EOGHAN K. MULVENNA

Game Developer & Programmer

PERSONAL PROFILE

Making games is something that I have always done will always do. It's been a part of my life for as long as I can remember; from growing up in Ireland creating playground games for my whole school, to high school in Edinburgh where I gained a passion for programming small games, to the present day where developing games is my career and my chosen form of art. My main goal in life is to continue this journey, to keep learning and growing as a game developer by making fun, interesting and creative games.

SKILLS

- Languages: C#, C++, Python.
- Engines: Unity, Unreal 4.
- Source Control: Git, Plastic.
- Platforms: PC, All Current Consoles, Android & IOS
- Data Oriented & Object Oriented Programming.
- Planning and Implementing Gameplay Features.
- Designing and Implementing Architecture and Systems.
- Leading Code Teams.
- Fast Learner of New Languages, Engines, Frameworks and Technologies.
- Can Work Well Collaboratively and Independently.
- Creative and Analytical Problem Solving.
- Working well in small and large multi-discipline teams.

EDUCATION

Abertay University

BSc(Hons) Computer Game Applications Development | 2/1 September 2014 - May 2018

At university I worked on a multitude of different projects both for course work and outside of class. The most notable of these that I still find relevant to this day covered topics such as:

- Gameplay, Graphics, Network and Tools Programming.
- Console Game Development (PS Vita & GameBoy Advanced)
- AI Techniques, VR & AR Games and Procedural Generation

The projects at university where I learnt the most was my honours project which investigated procedural generation of VR environments. I created an infinite procedural cave that could be explored in VR. This was done through a combination of Marching Cubes, 3D Cellular Automata and Simplex Noise.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

- Games Industry Speaker at: Games Talks Live, Arcadia, SGDA Micro Talks and DeeCon
- Dare Academy 2018 Finalist
- IGDA Community Choice Runner-up 2019
- Roleplaying Society: President (2018), Secretary (2017)

HOBBIES & INTERESTS

- Playing Video Games & Table Top Roleplaying Games.
- Game Jams & Developing small games in my free time.
- Playing Music (Bass, Synthesizer and Guitar).

PROFESSIONAL CAREER

Hyper Luminal Games

Senior Programmer | March 2023 - September 2023 Programmer | June 2022 - March 2023.

- At HLG I worked on a variety different projects; from Work for Hire client work to Console Porting and working on the studios self published own IPs.
- Most of my time at the studio was spent on the Porting team where I worked to port PC games to Console, focused on implementing platform specific features and getting the game to pass certification. This work involved:
 - Creating a framework of common platform functionality to allow for work to be easily shared where possible between platforms.
 - Working directly with dev kits, platform specific tools, APIs and online publishing portals.
 - Extensive Refactoring and Optimisation work.
- During this time I worked on porting these games to the listed platforms:
 Viewfinder PS5, PS4.
 - Hellboy Web Of Wyrd PS5, PS4, Switch, Xbox Series X|S, Xbox One
- While working on the Own IP game Cloud Jumper I worked to prototype features for the core gameplay loop as well as planning refactors of legacy code and old tracer code to improve the core system to get the game ready for entering full production.
- As a Senior Programmer I often dealt with external partners such as partner developers, publishers and clients and helped the mid level and junior members of the team with their work. I was also involved in planning and improving department process and practices

Tag Games

Games Programmer | January 2020 - June 2022.

- At Tag I worked in many different capacities on multiple projects including:
 - Leading the code team on a small project.
 - Directing multiple small and large prototyping efforts.
 - Having ownership of code features.
 - Helping define both code and production process for the project.
- My day to day involved working closely with all members of the development team from all departments, planning work for myself and others, participating closely with the design process as well as planning, prototyping and implementing code features.
- While at Tag I worked on many different kinds of games which meant getting to create and work on lots of different systems and mechanics including:
 - Arcade style platforming.
 - Guns and ammo systems.
 - Strategic grid based combat.
 - Base building.
 - Team sport gameplay.
 - MMORPG mechanics.
 - As well as non gameplay specific features such as ability authoring tooling, UI/UX implementation, save/load systems, fully designing features and much more.

Orthrus Studios

Programmer | May 2019 - August 2019. Juinor Programmer | June 2018 - May 2019.

- At Orthrus I worked on the Fantasy City-builder 'Distant Kingdoms' which was published by Kasedo.
- Over my time at Orthrus I created a wide array of mechanics for the game such as road systems, construction grid systems, crowd simulation, development tools for all departments and much more.

REFERENCES AVAILABLE UPON REQUEST