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Skills

Unity 3D, Unreal Engine 5, C#, C++, Python, **Gameplay Programming**, **Multiplayer** (Epic Online Services and Steam), **Game AI** (Behavior Trees, GOAP), Plugin development, Jenkins, VR, XR.

Javascript (React, Next, Node, Electron), CI/CD, Live Ops, Perforce, Git.

Experience

Gameplay Consultant, XR Division

Remote

February 2024 - Present

- Manage operations of the studio.
- Work with clients on mobile, PC and VR game/app projects.
- Key projects delivered Architectural Visualization Web App made using Unreal and Next.js, Parkour game locomotion system, Virtual production support for Coca-cola, and three hybrid casual mobile games (shooting, strategy, and idle).

Senior Gameplay Engineer (Multiplayer/AI/UI), Material10

Remote

September 2022 - April 2024

- Implement and manage the multiplayer back-end (Epic Online Services)
- Design and Build gameplay mechanics tps/rts game.
- Design and develop AI system (NPC, World, Cinematic)
- Implement User Interfaces (HUD, Menus, Others)
- Manage the internal code infrastructure/pipeline for all teams.
- Optimize the maps and code to hit performance targets.
- Setup and deploy CI/CD pipeline (Jenkins, Azure, Perforce)

Remote

Senior Unreal Engineer Consultant (VR), Arvikasoft

March 2023 - August 2023

- Brought multiplayer functionality to Digital Twin VR app.
- Added new multiplayer features to the Digital Twin's desktop app.
- Integrate new UI/UX for the Digital Twins

Remote

Senior Unity Engineer Consultant, Statespace

June 2022 - August 2022

- Design, build and refactor gameplay features for Aim Lab PC project.
- Port the Aim Lab to mobile and manage the Live ops / CDN pipeline
- Support the partnerships team by branding Aim Lab for sponsors.

Senior Software Engineer (VR), PureRealism

Remote

Develop the multiplayer(auth, lobbies, voice chat)

September 2021 - April 2022

- Develop Gameplay features (Characters, Cameras, Interactables) for a VR based meeting platform.
- Design / Build / Optimize photogrammetry content delivery pipeline

Software Engineer L3 (Tools / Tech Art), Quixel - Epic Games

Islamabad, Pakistan

• Design the front-end and backend of Quixel Bridge's export module.

August 2018 - November 2021

June 2016 - November 2016

Develop Quixel Bridge's plugins for Unreal Engine, Unity, 3ds Max, Maya, Cinema 4D, and Blender.

Notable projects

- Image Processor (It is being used in Quixel Bridge and Megascans pipeline cloud tools.)
- Unreal Engine 5's Quixel Bridge pipeline setup and deployment.
- Developed plugins for Blender, Cinema4D, Unity, Marmoset, and 3ds Max.
- Developed tools to the test 3d models, plant's vertex data, texture artifacts, and Quixel Bridge plugins.

Gameplay Engineer Intern (Unity), Giant Fox Studios

Remote

- Develop core gameplay mechanics and UI/Controls.
- Optimize the code, materials/shaders, VFX, sounds, and rendering pipeline.

Education

COMSATS University Islamabad, 2014 - 2018

Bachelors in Software Engineering