Daniel Davis

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Full Sail University September 2014

Bachelor of Science Degree in Game Art

Software

Maya, MudBox, 3DS Max, ZBrush, UDK, Unreal 4, Unity, Cryengine, Photoshop, After Effects, Fume FX, Houdini, Perforce, Jira, Github, Trello, Asana, C++, Python, Maxscript, Currently Learning C#

Skills

Unreal 4 and Unreal Development Kit Visual Effects

- Create and animate textures for 3D and 2D effects, for use on static meshes and in Cascade
- Use lighting and colors to emphasize effects used to enhance environments in games and simulations

Modeling

- Hard surface modeling a specialty, modern weapons and vehicles in particular
- UV, and texture models in multiple styles, while maximizing UV space
- Generate scale models for architecture visualization and 3D printing purposes

Experience

Impulse Games

June 2015 – Current

Contract VFX Artist

- Implemented high quality real time VFX in Unreal Engine 4
- Created Textures for use in game as VFX assets

Cubic Advanced Learning Solutions

December 2014 – July 2015

Technical Artist Intern

- Modeled Hi and Low Fidelity Environments for government contracts
- Helped build and implement encoded procedures and implement them within a simulation model
- Assisted with implementation in Unreal Engine, and worked within an intense, multi-person, communication heavy pipeline

US Army

April 2006 – November 2012

Combat Medic

- Placed in a management position in both office and field environments, in charge of 3 or more subordinates
- Had direct responsibility for high price/high priority materials, supplies and equipment
- In charge of budget and orders for supply for office, medical, military, and tech supplies
- Able to adapt and improvise in stressful situations
- Currently hold Secret Security Clearance

Student Projects

"Divinity: A Fairies Tail"

- Created 2D sprite VFX for main character, enemies, and background
- Modeled, UV'd, and textured tentacle enemy and arrow prop
- Made UI elements, textured background elements

"Elemental Engagement"

- Created 2D sprite VFX for multiple characters
- Made Geometry for use with VFX specific FX

