SADIE CRAWFORD

Software Engineer

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EDUCATION

University of Florida

Digital Worlds Institute
May 2022

Master of Arts, Digital Arts and Sciences Focus on VR, 4.0 GPA

- Awarded "Best MiDAS Capstone"
- Published in the IEEE Conference on Virtual Reality 2022 as team lead for a multiplayer VR dental implant simulation

University of Florida

College of Liberal Arts and Sciences May 2021 Bachelor of Science, Computer Science

SKILLS

C++, Python, C#
JavaScript, PHP, Vue
Unreal 4 & 5, Unity
SVN, GitHub
UI/UX Design, VFX, Materials
Agile Scrum, Standups
CI/CD, Jenkins, Netlify
SQL, AWS (EC2, Lambdas, Buckets)
Photoshop, GIMP, Figma
Maya, Substance Painter

INTERESTS

Games (of course!) Knitting Reading Bird Watching

SUMMARY

Seasoned game developer with experience in the entire product lifecycle, from the design stage to launch day. Specializes in gameplay mechanics, UI development, and streamlining the collaborative process. Comfortable working with everything from C++ to visual assets to Figma design specs. Passionate about creating and sharing world-class video game experiences with others.

EXPERIENCE

Gameplay Engineer, Bad Robot Games

September 2024 - Present

• Implementing miscellaneous features, user interfaces, artificial intelligence, and visual effects for an unannounced project

Game Programmer, Chromatic Games

August 2022 - August 2024

Dungeon Defenders: Awakened

- Significantly optimized multiplayer loading times, improving time to load by 600% via local item storage and caching improvements
- Created split-screen functionality with dynamic UI changes,
 complete with an UE4 engine source bugfix for Slate input routing
- Led PTR and live releases, facilitating hotfixes and patch notes
- Ported the game to a free-to-play version for Smilegate Stove release

Dungeon Defenders: Going Rogue

- Functionally improved and stylized the original user interface
- Developed various gameplay mechanics, including enemy Als and game modes

Miscellaneous

- Played a key role in an undisclosed project's virtual reality gameplay and interactions
- Designed and implemented a classic tower defense user interface
 Niagara visual effects for an internal prototype
- Stylized and integrated a MOBA-style user interface for the company's latest project

Software Engineer, Grimsmo Knives

June 2021 - August 2022

- Architected a CNC machine lifecycle dashboard utilizing Python and Google APIs, increasing manufacturing output by 175%
- Implemented a lottery system for purchasing highly sought-after products, improving customer satisfaction and market retention
- Developed an internal enterprise resource planning (ERP) system with AppSheet and Apps Script for efficient resource and operations management