

Kelin Zhao | UI Designer & 2D Artist

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EDUCATION

Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA

Entertainment Technology Center, Master of Entertainment Technology expected May 2014

Relevant Courses: Basic Interaction Design, Typography, Anatomy and Figure Drawing

Beijing Film Academy, Beijing, China

Animation and Game Design, Bachelor of Arts July 2011

Relevant Courses: Concept Design, Animation, MAYA, ZBrush, Photoshop, Flash

EXPERIENCE

HeadRight Games, Pittsburgh | Freelance UI Artist

Sep 2013 - Feb 2014

Designed game visual style and created UI art for mobile game *Word Pops!*

Schell Games, Pittsburgh | Art Intern

Jun 2013 - Aug 2013

Created concept art for mini games

PROJECTS

WMS Gaming Project **Table Game** | UI Designer & 2D Artist

Jan 2014 - Present

- Ideating game visual style and creating concept art
- Designing the mobile UI and creating UI art

Social Mobile Game **Pittsburgh Secrets** | UI Designer & 2D Artist

Aug 2013 - Dec 2013

- Created game art assets including badges and icons
- Designed and created wireframes, UI mockups and final UI art

3D Animation Project **Stardust** | Concept Artist

Jan 2013 - May 2013

- Produced a 3D animation in a six-person team for Give Kids The World
- Created concept art for scenes and characters
- Unwrapped 3D models and made textures

Building Virtual World (BVW) | 2D Artist & UI Designer

Sep 2012 - Dec 2012

- Participated in the game design and visual art of five interactive virtual worlds, each completed in less than three weeks with different four-person teams
- Created concept art and designed user interface as a 2D artist
- One virtual world *Floria* was selected to be performed in the BVW Show

Game Design Project **Thief Run** | Game Designer & Concept Artist

Sep 2009 - May 2010

- Created concept art and 3D scenes
- Designed game mechanics, interactions and levels

SKILLS

SKILLS: UI/UX Design | 2D Art | Digital Painting | Concept Art | 3D Art | Graphic Design |

PACKAGES: Photoshop | Sai | Illustrator | Flash | MAYA | ZBrush | Unity3D | After Effects | Dreamweaver