# Paul-Anthony Navarro

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## **QUALIFICATIONS**

- Graduating Carnegie Mellon University's Entertainment Technology Center (May, 2014)
- Winner: 3<sup>rd</sup> place ShortFACES Short Film Competition for short film, LOAD.
- Experience in live theater and film as a writer, director, producer, and performer
- Designed and instructed various classes in Theater Arts and Video Production

## EDUCATION

#### Carnegie Mellon University, Entertainment Technology Center (May, 2014)

Masters of Entertainment Technology

Building Virtual Worlds, Visual Storytelling, Improvisation

#### Portland State University

Masters of Education (2003) Certification in Secondary English and **Drama** Bachelor of Theater Arts (2000) Directing, Writing, Acting

## PERSONAL PROJECTS

Burghatory (Television Pilot; in post-production), Spring 2014

- Writer and Director
- Executive Producer: Assembled and managed a diverse production team consisting of CMU graduate students and professionals from the Pittsburgh film community.
- Successfully completed a Kickstarter campaign to fund the television pilot

#### LOAD (Short Film), Spring 2013

- Winner: 3<sup>rd</sup> place ShortFACES Short Film Competition
- Writer and Director
- **Official Selection:** International Film Festival of Cinematic Arts, the Boston Science Fiction Film Festival, the Boston Student Film Festival and the Sci-Fi-London Film Festival.
- Producer: Oversaw entire production from pre-production planning to post.

Stealth (Video Game), Spring 2013

- Winner: Global Game Jam Audience Choice Award (Pittsburgh, 2013)
- Co-Game Designer
- Sound Designer

## ACADEMIC PROJECTS

Quiet Zone (Animated Short; in production), Fall 2013-Spring 2014

- Director, Co-writer
- Co-producer: Oversaw production, post-production and mid-project turnover of team.
- Composer and Sound Designer

Webz of War (Video Game), Spring 2013

- Winner: Parallax Specialist Rank (2013)
- Published paper: International Games Innovation Conference (IGIC) (Vancouver, BC, 2013)
- Producer: Oversaw multicultural team, created and implemented agenda, delivered to government client.
- Composer and Sound Designer

## **PREVIOUS EMPLOYMENT**

Teacher/Instructor: Theater Arts, Video Production and Computer Applications (Various, 2005-2012)