

PAVAN PARAVASTHU, Software Engineer

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EDUCATION

Carnegie Mellon University (CMU), Entertainment Technology Center (ETC)
Master of Entertainment Technology

Pittsburgh, PA
May 2021

Visweswaraya Technological University (VTU), APS College of Engineering
Bachelor of Engineering (Information Science)

Bangalore, India
July 2011

SKILLS

Dev. Tools: C# (Unity3D), C++, Google Apps Script, JAVA (Android, SmartFoxServer2X), Python

Other Tools: Perforce, SVN, Git, PuTTY, FileZilla, JIRA, Trello

WORK EXPERIENCE

Teaching Assistant, National High School Game Academy, Carnegie Mellon University 06/2020 – 08/2020

- Created a programming curriculum and taught the same remotely
- Reviewed and debugged student code and provided actionable feedback
- Managed a team of 5 programming TAs

Software Engineer, Purpletalk India Pvt. Ltd. (India) 04/2015 - 06/2019

- Designed and developed mini games and Android plugins in interactive kids games using Unity3D
- Created multiple tools for purposes such as level editing, and localization
- Prototyped multiple mobile multiplayer games

Software Engineer, Electronic Arts (India) 07/2017 - 02/2019

- Ported UI for a celebrated title to the newer Cocos2DX engine using Cocos Creator
- Collaborated with artists to integrate new sprites and UI systems
- Integrated several monetization features into games

Software Engineer, Knowledge Adventure, Inc. (India) 05/2014 - 03/2015

- Created a client side multi-platform login system in Unity3D for children's MMO educational games
- Integrated UI for mini games in a sports manager game

Software Engineer, Gameshastra Solutions Pvt. Ltd. (India) 10/2012 - 02/2014

- Implemented client and server functionality of a prototype for an MMO card game
 - Programmed the gameplay for a 3D side scrolling platform jumping game
 - Created a dialogue manager system and a tool for designers to easily configure dialogue flow
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SHIPPED TITLES

- **Plants vs. Zombies (Free)** : iOS, Android [SexyApp, Cocos2Dx]
 - **Barbie Life** : iOS, Android [Unity3D]
 - **Monster High** : iOS, Android [Unity3D]
 - **Sholay - Bullets of Justice** : iOS, Android [Unity3D]
 - **Penguins of Madagascar - Dibble Dash** : iOS, Android [Unity3D]
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ACADEMIC PROJECTS

Programmer, Lead Designer - Cross Platform Social Experiences in VR [ETC, Spring 2020]

- Designed and developed multiple prototypes to explore social interactions between VR & Mobile players
- Implemented cross platform multiplayer using Photon and Unity3D
- Automated the build process for Android and Oculus Quest to ease testing

Programmer, Producer & Designer - Building Virtual Worlds (BVW) [ETC, Fall 2019]

- Designed and developed prototypes for games using unconventional input systems and hardware using Unity3D
- Managed 2 teams as a producer while also fulfilling my primary role as a programmer
- Created quick game prototypes using technology such as Magic Leap, HTC VIVE, Kinect and Oculus Rift S