Qiaochu (Mac) Li

Game Designer

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Languages

Native in Chinese Professional in English Elementary in German

Programming

C#, C++ Java, HTML/CSS Lua, Javascript, PHP

Source Control

Perforce, Git

Software

Unity 3D
Adobe Illustrator
Adobe Photoshop
Adobe Indesign
Adobe Premier
Microsoft Office

Education

2014–2016 **Master** of Entertainment Technology

Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh

2010–2014 Bachelor of Science

Peking University, Beijing

Major in Computer Science & Major in Psychology

Experience

May 2015 Game Design Intern

Kabam, Los Angeles

Work on an unannounced strategic mobile title in design team.

- Design and implement 20+ missions. Tune player experience by enemies, spawn positions, environment layouts, and events.
- Do mock-ups for chat and store systems.
- Balance item prices in upgrade system.

Projects

Fall 2015 **Emotionshop (pitch project) Team Lead and Developer**

Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh

Make games that evoke emotions based on their mechanics.

- Conceptualize innovative ideas that use game to evoke a certain type of emotion. (eg. Serenity, Gloating)
- Implement a game every week from sketch.
- Manage the whole team for meetings, playtest, and retrospective.

Spring 2015 **CAVE Interactive (location-based game)**

Game Designer and Programmer

Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh

Create a 5-minute tour experience in the CAVE.

- Make several prototypes to explore FTUE in the CAVE.
- Design and implement a puzzle game.
- Conduct three playtest events and refine the game accordingly.

Dec 2014 LudumDare (online game jam)

Participator

Personal, Pittsburgh

Create a game by yourself in 48 hours with a certain theme.

- Rank high on Innovation metric.
- Do 2D-art, programming, visual effects and sound effects alone.

Fall 2014 **Build Virtual Worlds (academic course)**

Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh

Game Designer and Programmer

Build a game in every 2 weeks with an interdisciplinary team for each.

- Rapid prototyping and development.
- Handle time and inter-person conflicts in team.
- Use cutting-edge platforms Kinect, Oculus Rift, Leap Motion.

Interests

Fiction, Boardgame, Squash