

# YingXuan (Jennifer) Liao

## Graphics Programmer

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Available to work after **May 15<sup>th</sup>, 2023**.

### SKILLS

**Programming:** C++, Lua, C#, python, Tensorflow, Java web development, Xml/Html/CSS/JavaScript

**Game Engine:** Unity, Unreal

**Graphics:** DX12; DX11; OpenGL (GLSL); RenderDoc; Sketch/Figma

### EDUCATION

**Carnegie Mellon University (CMU)**- Master of Entertainment Technology **2021.08 – Expected 2023.05**  
Entertainment Technology Center, Major in Entertainment Technology (Computer Graphics)

**Wuhan University (WHU)** - Bachelor of Engineering **2015.09 - 2019.06**  
School of Computer Science, Major in Software Engineering

### EXPERIENCE

**[Lilith Games Company](#) | Software Engineer | Lua, In-house game engine, Metaverse** **2020.03 - 2021.05**

- Worked on **io games, RPG, and chatroom** in a Metaverse game platform project using Lua.
- **Gameplay programming** like cameras, FSM, NPC behaviors, Object Pool in the **In-house game engine**.

**Neusoft Ruidao Company | Software Engineer (Intern) | Java web dev, MySQL** **2018.07 - 2018.08**

### PROJECTS

**Real-time Path tracer | DirectX12(HLSL), C++ 17, DirectX Raytracing** **2022.11 – Expected 2023.04**

- A **Real-time GPU Path tracer** using DirectX12 and DXR, as an implementation of a Siggraph 2022 Paper: [Generalized Resampled Importance Sampling for ReSTIR](#), including **multi-threading**.
- Develop abstractions over DirectX12 using modern C++ features.

**[Cloth and Fluid Simulation](#) | Graphics Engineer | Compute shader (HLSL), Unity** **2022.09 – 2022.11**

- Using **PBD (Position based dynamics)** to implement 2D cloth and its interactions.
- **Fluid simulation** using **SPH (based on PBD)** to create **150k particles** at **30 FPS** on an RTX 3070.
- Using **GPGPU/compute shader** in Unity and **RenderDoc** to optimize the performance.

**[Ray tracer & Soft Rasterizer](#) | Graphics Engineer | C++ 14, GLSL** **2022.02 - 2022.05**

- See in <https://www.yingxuanliao.com/computergraphics>
- Writing **3D CG software toolsets** including path trace, IK, mesh edit, based on [CMU 15-662](#) / [Nori](#).
- Using **PCF, PCSS** to improve the **shadow map** and implement the **soft shadows** in GLSL.
- Using **PRT (including Spherical Harmonics)** to implement **real-time environment lighting**.

**Telepathway, [Google](#) | General Engineer (Graphics) | CG, C#, Unity, XR** **2022.02 - 2022.05**

- An Academic Team Project with Google to make students interested in Machine Learning.
- Visualizing **K-means clustering** and **Reinforcement machine learning**.
- Write **procedural generating map** in Unity using **Delaunay triangles** and **mesh editing**.

**Build Virtual World, CMU | General Engineer | Shader graph, C#, Unity, VR/AR** **2021.09 - 2021.12**

- Built each game with the other programmer, 2 artists, and a sound designer every 2 weeks. Including **Unity, XR technology (AR, VR)** and so on.
- Created **particle systems** like fire, fog effects and **shader graph** to make water and thunder.
- Implemented game logics like **Singleton Pattern, NPC behaviors, Object pools**.