Xavier Garcia

Game Artist and Illustrator

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Current Client Work

Lab Zero Games

• 3D Environment Artist on Indivisible

Lead Artist Armor Games

Art Direction and full art production on i saw her standing there

Studio Experience

Lead Artist Spry Fox, San Bruno, CA. November 2016 - May 2017

- Complete visual overhaul, from 2D to 3D, for their Co-Op MMO Steambirds Alliance
- Concepted, modeled and lit vast majority of 3D assets
- Together with engineering, created an easy to use art pipeline for content creation and implementation in Unity
- Worked with studio heads on branding, marketing and gameplay ideas

Art Director Jam City, Palo Alto, CA. May 2015 - August 2016

- Shipped Alpha: Tasty Town
- Project visualization from the inception stage, following up all the way to production
- Manage an internal art team of 6 people plus contractors
- Produce presentation decs for executive meetings and sales pitches
- Create Style Guides for the internal and external teams to follow

Art Director / Lead Artist Kiwi, Palo Alto, CA. January 2013 – May 2015

Shipped: Heroes: Islands of Adventure, Westbound, Enemy Lines, Shipwrecked, Age of Espers

- Establish Visual Direction, Brand Identity and Production Guidelines for multiple simultaneous projects
- Lead Art Tool development for in-house engine with off shore team in Bangalore
- Managed several internal teams of 5-10 people plus contractors
- Manage multiple international Outsource Production teams
- Establish strong correlation between Art and Game Design

Senior Artist Gameloft, New York City, NY. August 2011 – June 2012

- Visual Development for Ice Age and Zombiewood
- Worked with Outsource Production in Paris and China
- Created concepts for characters, environments, vehicles, icons and props

Senior Artist OMGPOP, New York City, NY. Dec. 2010 – August 2011

Production Art for Draw Something, Pool World Tour and Cupcake Corner

Concept Artist Electronic Arts, Salt Lake City, UT. Dec. 2006 – August 2010

- Hasbro prototypes: Mr. Potato Head, Battleship, Magic: The Gathering
- Character and Environment concepts on NERF N-Strike and NERF N-Strike Elite
- Character and Environment concepts on the MySims franchise

Environment Artist Headgate Studios, Bountiful, UT. Feb. 2006 – Dec. 2006

• 3D Environment Artist on Tiger Woods PGA Tour 07/08

Clients

Game Studios

- Lab Zero Games Indivisible, Skullgirls
- Capcom Street Fightyer IV
- Spry Fox Steambirds Alliance
- Proletariat Streamline
- Armor Games i saw her standing there

Merchandise

- Fangamer
- Eighty Sixed Clothing
- Sanshee
- Udon Entertainment

Awards & Recognition

Annie Awards 2012

Nominee for "Skullgirls" under the Animated Video Game category

Guest Speaker, Fullsail University 2011

• One hour talk to 300+ students on how to break it in the game industry

Square-Enix Final Fantasy X-2 Ultimania Contest – 2003

Winning entry "Alternate Yuna design"

Education

Associates Degree in Computer Animation Full Sail, Orlando, FL. Sept. 2003 – Nov. 2004 Cinematic Animation Kubert School, Dover, NJ. Sept. 2000 – May 2003

Software

 Unity, Maya, 3DS Max, 3D Coat, Photoshop, Illustrator, Flash, Tiled, Spine, Perforce, SVN, Git, Jira

Art Skills

 Concept art, illustration, storyboarding, had painted texturing, 3D modeling, paintovers, game mockups