Gonçalo Silva

Level Designer and Level Artist

About me

My name is Gonçalo Silva and I'm a Portuguese level artist and level designer.

I am passionate about creating video games with strong environments, immersive and a fun gameplay or exciting stories. Any game is a journey and, being part of its production, creating a new world and sharing it, is the most satisfying reward.

Competencies

Maya

3D Max

Game Engines:

Unreal Unity

ProBuilder

Programming:

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Academic Formation

2016 - 2019

3D Software:

Degree in Game Design

Instituto Politécnico de Bragança (IPB) Mirandela

2014 - 2015

Course in Computer Science (EsAct-IPB)

Instituto Politécnico de Bragança (IPB) Mirandela

Work experience

Fev. 2022 - Present

Infinity Ward

Associate Game Designer

-work with the art department from a very early stage and develop the visiuals/ concepts together.

-Collaborating with level designers from other modes as we start to share more assets. -Level builders are often responsible for multiple game levels, so good time management skills are a must.

Aug. 2020 - Aug. 2021

May 2020 - Aug. 2020

Dec. 2019 - May 2020

Sept. 2019 - Aug. 2020

Saber Interactive

Junior Lever Designer and Environmental Artist

- Layout design, construction, composition, and optimization using concept and

- Collaborate with designers on direction, blockout, and blueprint development. - Communicate game and level design ideas and concepts to the team.

- Support the art team in the research of references. Research and list of items found in a particular environment.

Pixel Edge Games

Level Designer and Artist

- Layout design, construction, composition, and optimization using concept and reference, using Unity Engine.

- Collision, and level of detail creation.

- Collaborate with designers on direction, blockmesh and blueprint development.

Ring Zero Game Studio Ltd

Game and Level Designer

- Full responsibility for game design, from concept to final product release, as well as level design, from map design to stats to difficulty tuning. - Be highly involved in every stage of production.

- Support the art team in the research of references. Research and list of items found in a particular environment.

Epoch Games | The Lays of Althas: Sundered Order

Lead Level Designer and Artist

- Responsible for layout, blockmesh, terrain sculpting, art implementation, optimization, collision, and level of detail.

- Collaborate with a small team, manage, coordinate and communicate effectively.

Languages

Portuguese

Native

English

Intermediate

Soft Skills

Perfectionist

Self-Taught

Determined

Passionate Versatile

Soft Skills

LEVEL DESIGN

Plans, layouts, and blockmeshes

All Documentation

Assets Integration

Scripting level logic

Environmental storytelling Quest design

Pacing

Composition

GAME DESIGN

Narrative Design

Quest Design Puzzles

SOFTWARE

Jira Perforce

Games

2018 - 2019

Fallout Miami (Pc)

Level Designer and Artist

Extra

2020

CG Master Academy's Level Design for Games with Emilia Schatz and with Patrick Haslow as substitute teacher 2018

Blood in the Sky (PC)

Level Designer and Technical Artist