# Jaydon Cueva

## **Game Designer**

## **Professional Experience:**

August 8th 2021 - January 28th 2025: Halfbrick Studios

#### • Generalist Game Designer

- System and mechanics design
- o Conceptualizing and Ideation for gameplay systems
- Designed, prototyped and created the companion app "The Thrill of the Fight 2 Spectator" for the PC platform.
- o Captured in-game footage for trailers and marketing
- o Created in-game debugging tools for development
- o Participated and underwent regular strict code reviews to produce production ready code.
- o Lead team meetings and collaborative brainstorming sessions
- Scrum master / Junior Producer
- o Presented project updates to stakeholders and in regular company wide meetings

## **Course Related Experience:**

## August 2020 – December 2020: **Jumpstart Apocalypse VR (End of Year Group Project)**

#### Game Designer

- Level and Environment Design
- Audio Design
- Mechanics and system design for Zombie types, Weapons, Inventory and combat encounters
- Designed, prototype and implemented adaptive music to respond to player gameplay in collaboration with a musician.
- o Captured in-game footage and composited game trailer

### April 2020 – May 2020: SENSUS (Client Brief Assessment)

### • Game Designer and Programmer

- Level and Environment Design
- Programmer and Technical Design
- Audio design
- o Puzzle design
- Conceptualized, researched, prototyped and implemented environment encounters
- Captured in-game footage and composited game trailer

### Nov 2019 – Dec 2019: XEO (End of Year Group Project)

#### Game Designer and Programmer

- Level and Environmental Design
- o Programmer and Technical Design
- Audio Design
- Prototyped, implemented and expanded upon Player Hover Craft movement controller
- Created player combat systems such as shooting, speed boosting and health with supporting dynamic world space User interface
- o Captured in-game footage and composited game trailer

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#### Skills

- Unity Game Engine C# Development and Level Design
- Unreal Engine 4 Node based development and level design
- Autodesk Maya 3D Modelling and Animation
- Adobe Premiere Pro Editing and Compositing Game Trailers
- Git
- Perforce
- Jira
- Confluence
- Miro

## Voluntary Work

3D Level Design and production for the Free to Play online FPS Redmatch 2 - Maps Include:

- Metro
- Outskirts
- Orbit
- XEO
- Quadrants
- Connectors

#### **Education:**

## Feb 2019 – Dec 2020: Academy of Interactive Entertainment (AIE)

- Advanced Diploma of Professional Game Development
- Diploma of Game Design and Production
- Certificate III in Game Art and Animation

## References:

Available Upon Request