# **TUA WESTER**

GAME ANIMATOR AND TECHNICAL ANIMATOR

# **EXPERIENCE**

### **Rovio Entertainment**

Animation Internship January - August 2020

Animation internship. I worked with character, prop and UI animation both in Maya and inside of Unity, doing everything from rigging, skinning, animation and implementation. I also did some VFX.

# **PROJECTS**

## PIECE

Project Lead | Animator

PIECE is an abstract 2D animation made as my senior year project at Animationsakademien. It was produced and animated entirely by myself. I worked in close collaboration with Robin Henriksson who composed and produced the music.

## Elsa and the Night

#### Character Animator | FX Animator

Elsa and the Night is a 2D animated short based on the children's book of the same name. I was brought in by Jöns Mellgren and worked remotely with a small team of other animators on the film. I worked primarily with character and FX animations, as well as inbetweens and cleanup.

## Summit

#### Animator | Rigger | VFX Artist | Tech Artist

Summit is a single player adventure puzzle-platformer game made during a 4 week gameproject at FutureGames. I created all the VFX, worked with shaders as well as modelled, rigged and animated the enemies and final boss.

# Queen of the Elements

#### VFX Artist | Tech Artist

Queen of the Elements is a 4-player local co-op game develo made during a 2 week game project at FutureGames. I created all the VFX, modelled the player characters and created all of the shaders. I also worked closely with the 2D and 3D artists to keep the style consistent.

# The Owlchemist: Mire of Malice

#### Animator | VFX Artist | Tech Artist

The Owlchemist: Mire of Malice is a single player adventure exploration game made during a 7 week gameproject at FutureGames. I created all the VFX, the majority of shaders and animated the main character.

#### CV 2020

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# SKILLS

3D & 2D Animation Technical Animation Real-time VFX Technical Art Illustration

# **SOFTWARE**

Autodesk Maya Unreal Engine 4 Unity

TVPaint Clip Studio Paint Adobe Photoshop Adobe Premiere

# LANGUAGE

Swedish (Native) English (Fluent)

# **EDUCATION**

## **FutureGames**

3D Graphics 2018 - 2020

3D Graphics education for game development where I specialised in 3D animation, technical animation and real-time VFX.

## Animationsakademien

Animation och Experimentfilm 2014 - 2016

All-encompassing animation course where I focused on traditional and tradigital 2D animation.

# Sigtuna Folkhögskola

Foto & Film 2013 - 2014

Foto & Film - Photography and filmmaking - education.