TUA WESTER

2D & 3D GAME ANIMATOR

EMPLOYMENT

Resolution Games

Animator

October 2023 - Present

Animator on various projects within the company.

Right Nice Games

2D & 3D Animator | VFX Artist October 2020 - October 2023

Resident animator and VFX artist. I worked both with in-house projects and as a consultant on the game project Ultros.

Rovio Entertainment

Animation Internship January - August 2020

Animator on the game Angry Birds Legends. I worked with character, prop and UI animation both in Maya and inside of Unity, doing everything from rigging, skinning, animation, implementation and some VFX.

GAME PROJECTS

ULTROS

Lead Animator | Artist | VFX Artist January 2021 - June 2023

Ultros is a 2D Metroidvania released in February 2024. I was brought in by Niklas Åkerblad, aka El Huervo. I worked primarily on bosses, NPCs, enemies, as well as additional animations for the player character, most cinematic animations and some VFX.

2D 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 by Jöns Mellgren. I worked remotely with a small team of other animators, primarily with character and FX animations, as well as inbetweens and cleanup.

CV 2024

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SKILLS

2D & 3D Animation Real-time VFX Rigging Illustration

SOFTWARE

Autodesk Maya MotionBuilder Unreal Engine Unity

Clip Studio Paint TVPaint Adobe Photoshop Adobe Premiere

LANGUAGE

Swedish (Native) English (Fluent)

STUDENT GAME PROJECTS

Summit

Animator | Rigger | VFX Artist | Tech Artist

Summit is a single player adventure puzzle-platformer game developed during a 4 week gameproject at FutureGames. I created all the VFX, worked with shaders as well as modeled, 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 developed during a 2 week game project at FutureGames. I created all the VFX, modeled 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.

EDUCATION

FutureGames

3D Graphics

2018 - 2020

3D Graphics education for game development where I specialized 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.

EXTRAS

3D Course Teacher

Weekend Job at Tekniska Museet.