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Objective:

To obtain an internship as a 3D modeler or animator to expand my experience in 3D modeling, texture work, computer animation, 2D animation, and digital media; while utilizing the opportunity for me to better understand the art pipeline of a video game company.

Education:

University of Maryland, Baltimore County (UMBC)
Bachelor of Arts in Visual Arts with an Animation and Interactive Media Emphasis, Minor in Psychology
Expected Date of Graduation: May 2009
GPA: 3.96/4.0

Relevant Coursework:

Anatomy of a Video Game	Advanced Computer Animation
Introduction to Animation	Introduction to Interactive Media
Expression in Time and Motion	Drawing

Summary of Skills:

- Proficient in modeling and UV mapping in Maya and 3D Studio Max
- Proficient in Photoshop
- Experience in texturing with a variety of different maps
- Experience with animation in Maya
- Experience with particles in 3D Studio Max
- Basic knowledge of Gamebryo's Scene Editor

Relevant Experience:

UMBC Game Developer's Club

Fall 2006 – present

- President (2008-present), manage club meetings and projects and handle all administrative tasks
- Art Director (2007-08), organize artists and artwork for the club projects
- Secretary (2007-08), keep minutes of club meetings as well as helped with administrative tasks
- Designed Gwain (2007-08), a 2D side scrolling platform game
- Created a number of environmental assets and designed the level for Gwain
- Assisted on creation and development of Project Tetra (2006-07), a 3D multi-player role-playing game
- Modeled environmental objects and constructed rooms for level design for Tetra

Work Experience:

Legendary Studios

Fall 2007 – present

- Constructed 3D models for in game objects
- UV mapped models
- Worked on particle systems
- Debugged controls for level design and worked in xml files to correct errors
- Created GUI elements
- Worked with Gamebryo

Notable Awards:

Linehan Artist Scholar (UMBC)

- 4-year full scholarship based on both artistic skill and academic achievements

Runner up in the 2008 Aspiring Women Game Artists Competition

- Competition held by Notes on Game Dev

NCTE Writing Achievement Award

- A national writing award, given to less than 1000 high school students across the country

Portfolio: <http://www.wilcox-family.com/lesa>