



Game Development Portfolios

Beginner guidance

Myself

- TUD Game Design 4th year
- Committee H&S officer
- Worked on *BattleClaws*, among others



Preface

- This is NOT a HTML tutorial
- Professional, rather than hobby focused
- I am not a professional
- Why?



Use Case

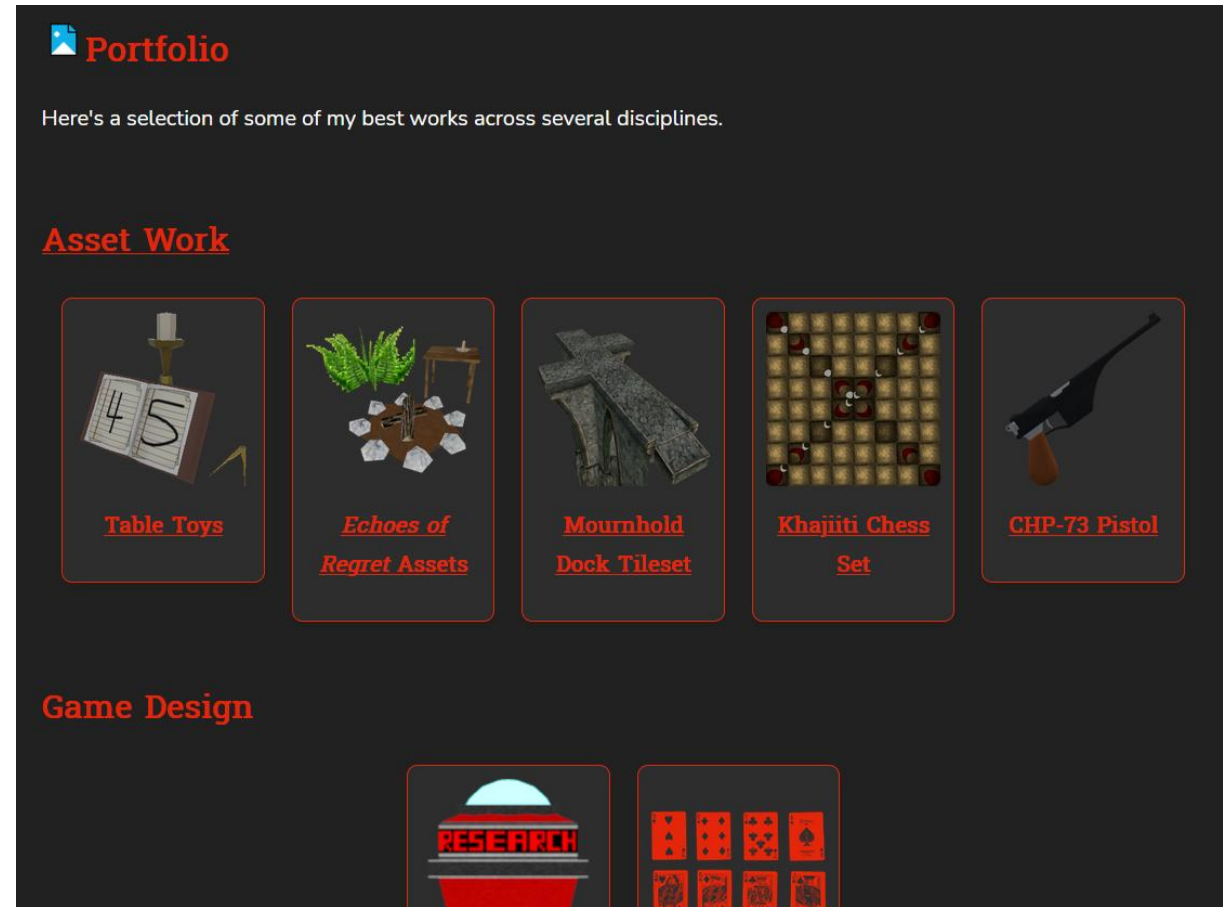
- Look up job listings
- Keep it relevant
- Tailor portfolios to job requirements

BOO! Did I scare you? I'm a job application 😂😂😂

The image shows a person wearing a grey hoodie holding a large, rolled-up white form titled "APPLICATION FOR EMPLOYMENT (PRE-EMPLOYMENT QUESTIONNAIRE)". The form includes fields for "PERSONAL INFORMATION" (NAME, ADDRESS, CITY, STATE, ZIP, PHONE), "DATE SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER", "ARE YOU 18 YEARS OR OLDER?", "AUTHORIZED TO WORK IN THE UNITED STATES?", "DATE YOU CAN START", "IF SO MAY WE PHONE YOU YOUR PRESENT EMPLOYER?", and "WHERE?". The form is held up in a warehouse or industrial setting with metal structures and lights visible in the background.

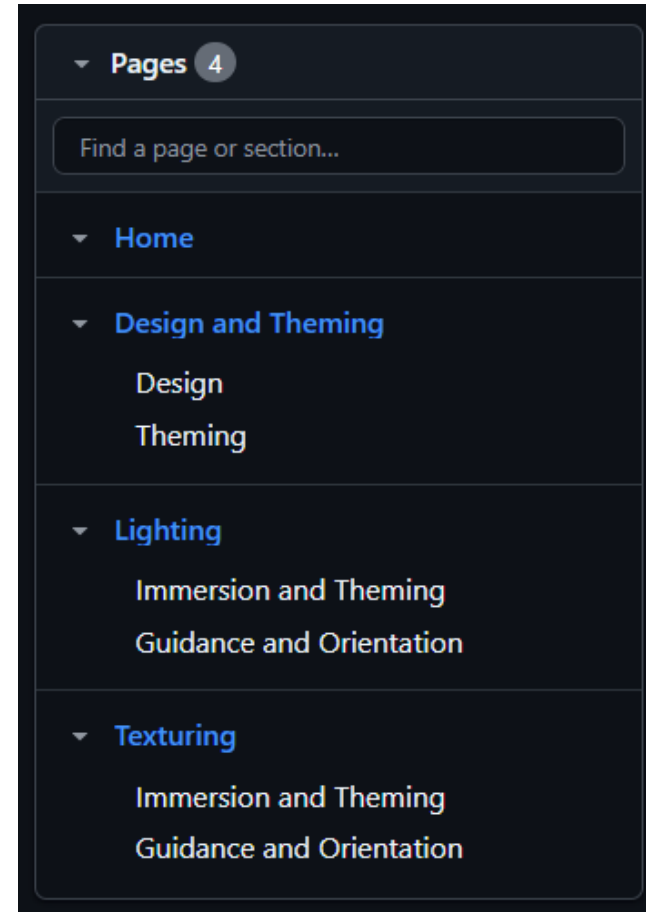
Body of Work

- Crawl before you can walk; write drafts
- Use job listings to focus your body of work



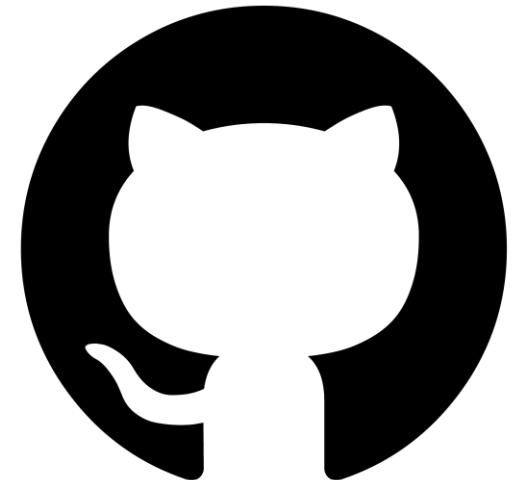
Legibility and Accessibility

- Make it digestible; what's the most relevant stuff
- [Microsoft Style Guide](#)
- Let your work speak for itself; consider videos
- Have everything somewhere



Implementation

- Again, consider your time
- Google Sites, Neocities, Wordpress, Github
- Good examples: [David Antognoli](#), [Ryan O'Connor](#), [Sam Osborne](#)
- Fancy example: [Berrak](#)



Implementation

- Alternate platforms/hubs
- Good example: [FrogmanDev](#)



Social Media

You can find me and my other stuff here!

 [Itch.io](#)

 [Bluesky](#)

 [Twitter](#)

 [Github](#)

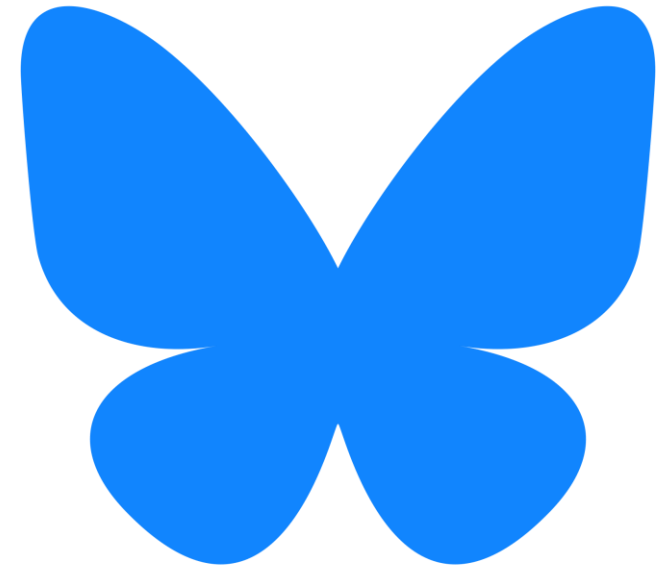
 [Tumblr](#)

 [Redbubble](#)

 [ArtStation](#)

Professionalism

- Build-A-Brand workshop
- Alternate accounts? More likely than you think
- Put your best foot forward and don't put yourself down
- Demonstrate value outside of your education
- Get on that LinkedIn grind



Parting Advice

- Seek advice and examples
- Alumni, Games Co-op, Comic Con...
- Jump on every portfolio review opportunity
- [Cult of Done](#)



Thanks for listening!

- Add me on LinkedIn!

