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Nationality Austria

Education

since 2003 Upper Austria University of Applied Sciences Hagenberg, Austria

since Oct. 2006...... **Digital Media** (Master Course) [dm.fh-hagenberg.at]

graduating in focusing on Interactive Media (computer graphics & vision, digital imaging, human-July 2008 computer interaction, game development, software engineering and hypermedia).

Supervisor: Dr. Wilhelm Burger, wilhelm.burger@fh-hagenberg.at (overall gradepoint average: 1,23 - 1st and 2nd semester only)

2003 - 2006.......... Mediatechnology and -design (Bachelor Degree, graduated with distinction)

(overall gradepoint average: 1,29)

Job Experience

since Oct. 2006.......... Teaching Assistant at University of Applied Sciences Hagenberg, Austria

for Computer Graphics, Digital Imaging and Java Programming

June - Dec. 2007....... Freelancer at VisYoo, Inc., Salzburg, Austria [www.visyoo.at]

(C#, OpenGL, Image/Video Processing, Shader Programming)

Oct. '06 - June 2007 Course Instructor (Databases, .NET & Webprogramming)

at **BBRZ/BFI Upper Austria**, Linz, Austria [www.bbrz.at]

Feb. - Aug. 2006.......... Internship at Siemens Corporate Research, Inc., Princeton, NJ.

[www.scr.siemens.com] (Visualization Prototypes for Medical Image Data - C++,

Image Processing, OpenGL; Application-Testframework with Python),

Supervisor: Dr. Jens Guehring, jens.guehring@siemens.com

July/August 2005...... Software Engineer Trainee at RiS Ltd., Steyr, Austria [www.ris.at]

(Video-On-Demand Platform - ASP.NET/C#)

August 2004 IT Trainee at Image Media Digitaldruck Ltd, Oberndorf, Austria

[www.image-media.at], (maintaing their website & internal network)

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IT Experience

Operating Systems...... Microsoft Windows Vista / XP, Windows Mobile 5/6,

Linux, Apple Macintosh (OS X)

Programming Lang. C/C++, .NET/C# (Visual Studio .NET 2005),

Java (Eclipse); Scripting: Python, JavaScript

TechnologiesNET Framework 2.0/3.0 (WPF/XAML, WCF), .NET Compact Framework,

TAO Framework, OpenGL, OpenInventor, DirectX, Cg (Shader), OpenCV, ARToolkit/ARTag, Java Media Framework, Qt (GUI)

Web Technologies........ HTML, CSS, PHP, SQL, JavaScript, Python, Flash (AS 2.0), ASP.net, JSP,

Media Design Skills Macromedia Freehand, Adobe Photoshop, LaTeX,

Adobe Premiere & After Effects, Avid Xpress Pro

Microsoft Expression Blend

Languages

German..... Mother tongue

English fluently Italian basics

Hobbies / Personal Interests

Skiing, Hiking, Travelling, Movies, Video & Photography

Publications

An Adaptable Rear-Projection Screen Using Digital Pens and Hand Gestures

Peter Brandl, Michael Haller, Michael Hurnaus, Verena Lugmayr, Juergen Oberngruber, Claudia Oster, Christian Schafleitner, and Mark Billinghurst, ICAT 2007, Esbjerg, Denmark, IEEE

References

Dr. Wilhelm Burger.

University of Applied Sciences Hagenberg, Director of Studies, wilhelm.burger@fh-hagenberg.at

Dr. Jens Guehring,

Siemens Corporate Research, Princeton, NJ, USA, Project Leader, jens.guehring@siemens.com

Awards

Microsoft Imagine Cup 2007, Seoul, Korea: Top 6 World Finalist in Software Design with "Intoi" Media Cube Award (best student project of the year) for "Intoi" and "Xplain"

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Bachelor Thesis



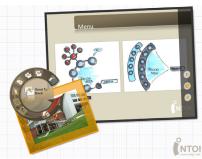
Puzzle Project In my bachelor thesis I focused on solving jigsaw puzzles using contour matching. It discussed the development of an application which solves problems like solving puzzles in a way which can be compared with human cognition using methods of computer vision and digital imaging.

The algorithms used for analyzing the image, extracting pieces, detecting corners of puzzle pieces and finally solving a whole puzzle are described in this thesis. The prototype of this application was written in Java and implemented as an *ImageJ* plug-in.

The paper also discusses other methods and approaches to solve puzzles and illustrates problems which may occur.

Projects (Selection)

INTOI - Interchange of Ideas (Digital Whiteboard)



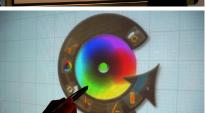
INTOI is a digital, interactive whiteboard that introduces new methods for brainstorming, content presentation and knowledge transfer.

Both the INTOI application and its unique user interface are designed to enable an innovative and intuitive user interaction paradigm for multiple users. The users can draw and write on a digital projected surface with digital Anoto pens, as well as load and create images, Microsoft PowerPoint or Adobe PDF files. Participants can upload their own files or download the current screen directly onto/from the projection surface by using a small desktop applica-



A pie menu can be called tapping the pen on the display surface to change a property, tool or setting. Navigation on the page of infinite size is performed by simple hand gestures.

www.intoi.net



Team: 5 (4 programmers + 1 designer) **Duration: Oct. 2006 - June 2007**

Technology: C#, .NET Framework, WPF, WCF, TAO Framework, OpenGL, ... My Responsibilities: Core Development, Pen Connection & Logic, Page/

Stroke Rendering, Network Programming (Uploader), ...

Awards: Imagine Cup 2007 Korea: Top 6 Finalist Software Design Media Cube Award 2007: category "media technology", best student project of the year

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Projects (Selection)



Terrain Engine

We developed a terrain engine for visualizing large triangle data as well as bitmap/height maps. The GUI was built with Qt, the rendering is done in OpenGL. During this course we learnt a lot about generating virtual 3D worlds, as well as store this large data and develop fast algorithms to visualize them.

Team: 3 programmers

Duration: Nov. 2006 - January 2007 **Technology:** C++, OpenGL, Trolltech Qt

My Responsibilities: development and implementation of algorithms



Genesis - Interactive Tabletop Game

Genesis is an interactive game installation, where the user is able to play god. The play table's size is approximately 1 by 1 meters housing 7 wooden cubes. These cubes, representing important basic elements such as water, stones, cereal, wood, fauna, and of course mankind, can be tracked with help of ARtag markers by a camera. The whole scenery gets projected depending on the user's positioning of the cubes. Not only the order but also the positions decide if the simulated world can survive or gets destroyed.

www.youtube.com/watch?v=P9mrmbTBj74 www.portfolio.cs1.at/genesis



Team: 4 (3 programmers + 1 designer)

Duration: Oct. 2005 - January 2006

Technology: C++, OpenGL, ARtag, OpenCV

My Responsibilities: Core Development, Camera Tracking, Hardware Setup



Xplain - Multimedia Online Game

Xplain is an online-multimedia game, based on the well-known board game "Activity".

The basic aim in this game is to "explain" your team partner as many items using one of three different ways: voice, drawing or pantomime.

Using headset, webcam and a whiteboard, we realized the game as a browser based Flash application.

www.xplain.cs1.at



Team: 4 (3 programmers + 1 designer) **Duration:** March 2005 - June 2005

Technology: Adobe Flash, ActionScript 2.0, Flash Communication Server

My Responsibilities: Game Logic, Server Side development

Awards: Media Cube Award 2005: game category, best student project

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