Christopher Dalton

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WORK EXPERIENCE

Associate Systems Designer
Standing Stone Games
12/2023 – present
Lord of the Rings Online
- In charge of maintaining and updating the core crafting system for the game.
- Collaborating with other designers to create and balance the itemization for a new raid and instance group.
- Leading the concepting, designing, and implementing of a new hobby system to the game.
- Designing and implementing skills and effects for an evergreen challenge content system of the game.

Associate Systems Designer
TCW Global (Working with Standing Stone Games)
06/2022 – 12/2023
Lord of the Rings Online
- Collaborated with a team of designers to develop a new and unique player class for an expansion.
- Assisted in the design and execution of captivating effects and skills for a perpetually engaging endgame progression system.
- Spearheaded the design, development, and successful integration of a new crafting tier for a highly anticipated game expansion.
- Contributed to skill and effect balancing for players, fine-tuning their abilities and optimizing equipment and itemization.

Associate Game Design Analyst
KooApps
06/2021 – 08/2021
- Conducted comprehensive data analysis and evaluated user play patterns on a global level.
- Collaborated with cross-functional teams to apply data-driven insights in enhancing game design and user experience.
- Developed and implemented robust strategies for optimizing game mechanics and monetization strategies based on data findings.
- Generated detailed reports and presentations to communicate findings and facilitate decision-making processes.

SKILLS

– TOOLS

Unreal Engine 4/5	Unity	Maya
Excel	Tableau	

– DESIGN

Playtesting	Class Balance	Systems Design
Tutorialization	Statistic Balance	Encounter Creation
Player Guidance	Itemization	

– TECHNICAL

C#	Blueprinting	LUA

STRENGTHS

Collaboration   Documentation   System Balancing   Data Analysis

EDUCATION

Game Design | Bachelor's of Arts in Game Design
Digipen Institute of Technology
08/2017 – 04/2021   REDMOND, WASHINGTON