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CONCEPT ARTIST, ILLUSTRATOR,  
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## Work Experience



MAY 2019-JULY 2023

### THUNDERFUL GAMES SKÖVDE

(PREVIOUSLY GURU GAMES)

INTERMEDIATE CONCEPT ARTIST  
AND ART GENERALIST

#### PROJECTS:

2020 - 2023

### STEAMWORLD HEADHUNTER.

2D/3D CONCEPT ARTIST



2019

### HELLDIVERS: DIVE HARDER DLC

(OUTSOURCING) ART GENERALIST,  
LEVEL ART AND KEY ART ILLUSTRATOR.



2019

### ANGRY BIRDS VR: ISLE OF PIGS

(OUTSOURCING) ART OPTIMIZATION



2019

### GHOST GIANT: OCLUS VR PORT

(OUTSOURCING) ART OPTIMIZER



2019

### WONDERGLADE

(OUTSOURCING) ART OPTIMIZER



2017 - 2019

### ARCSCAPE STUDIOS

(INCUBATOR STARTUP)

LEAD ARTIST AND 2D/3D ARTIST



#### PROJECTS:

2017 - 2019

### WHIMSICAL WITCHERY

ART DIRECTION, PROJECT PLANNING,  
2D/3D ART, TEXTURING, KEY ART  
ILLUSTRATION



## Main Software:

CONCEPT ART PIPELINE



### Software Skilltree:

|                    |       |                |       |
|--------------------|-------|----------------|-------|
| PHOTOSHOP:         | ●●●●● | PREMIER PRO:   | ●●●●● |
| BLENDER:           | ●●●   | AFTER EFFECTS: | ●●●●● |
| ZBRUSH:            | ●●●   | ILLUSTRATOR:   | ●●●●● |
| SUBSTANCE PAINTER: | ●●●   | INDESIGN:      | ●●●●● |

OTHER SOFTWARE EXPERIENCE INCLUDE UNITY, BITSQUID, MAYA AND 3DS MAX.

## Expertise

### 2D/3D CONCEPT ART

CHARACTERS, PROPS,  
ENVIRONMENTS, YOU NAME IT.

### ART DIRECTION

EXPERIENCED WITH ART DIRECTION  
BOTH ON A MANAGENT AND  
SUPPORTING LEVEL

### PUBLIC SPEAKING

PREVIOUSLY REPRESENTED MY  
COMPANY AS A SPEAKER DURING  
INDUSTRY EVENTS.

### WACKY IDEAS

WE NEED SOME INTERESTING IDEAS?  
I GOT YOU.

### ILLUSTRATION

EXPERIENCED ILLUSTRATOR  
WITH YEARS OF EXPERIENCE.

### PROJECT MANAGEMENT

EXPERIENCE IN PROJECT AND  
WORKFLOW PLANNING AS WELL  
AS LEADERSHIP ROLES

### ART GENERALIST

EXPERIENCE AS A GENERALIST ARTIST.  
IF I DON'T KNOW SOMETHING?  
I LEARN IT ON THE JOB.

### REMOTE WORK

WELL VERSED IN ESTABLISHING AND  
USING REMOTE/HYBRID REMOTE  
WORKFLOWS.

## Education

2016 - 2019

### UNIVERSITY OF SKÖVDE

BACHELOR OF ARTS ,  
2D GRAPHICS IN GAMES

2013 - 2016

### VÄSTERHÖJDSCYMNASIET

### SKÖVDE

MEDIA , COMMUNICATION  
AND GRAPHICAL ART

## Awards

2016

### GRAFISKA YRKENAS FRÄMJANDE SCHOLARSHIP

AWARD FOR ART STUDENTS  
SHOWING GREAT PROMISE

2023

### GAMES ARE ART COMPETITION, SECOND PLACE WINNER

2ND PLACE WINNER IN  
RAWFURY'S COMPETITION