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ABOUT ME

- I am currently the Audio Producer at Harmonix Music Systems, responsible for producing all content from the audio department such as downloadable content and on-disc tracks.
- I also work as a freelance writer for games. I've been writing since I figured out that I could create the things I wanted to read.
- I have a master's degree in Library and Information science, since libraries are full of other things I want to read and sometimes, if I'm lucky, games I want to play.

PUBLICATIONS/ CONFERENCES

Voices of Youth Advocacy, "*Gaming for Librarians: An Introduction.*", February 2005
Speaker at NEAISL, "*Gaming in the Library?*", April 2006

GAME INDUSTRY WRITING

Rock Band 2 (Credited as Writer and Producer)

Rock Band (Credited as Writer)

- Worked with Writing Producer to determine overall writing direction and processes.
- Wrote names and descriptions for clothes, items, venues and other assets.
- Led naming and research for venue progression.
- Maintained interoffice wiki specs for writing tasks.
- Provided research assistance to other Writing Team members as Harmonix's Librarian.

Guitar Hero II (Credited as Librarian)

- Copyedited game credits.
- Provided TRC certification testing and training for other Quality Assurance professionals.
- Provided research assistance as Harmonix's Librarian.

CMT Presents: Karaoke Revolution Country / Karaoke Revolution Party (Credited as Quality Assurance Tester)

- Copyedited game credits.
- Provided TRC certification testing and other Quality Assurance testing.

GAME INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE

Harmonix Music Systems, Cambridge, MA

Producer, 2007 - present

- Producer for Rock Band downloadable content and on-disc tracks.
- Manage and schedule audio team.
- Point of contact for first party relationships and submission.

Associate Producer/Writer, 2007

- Producer for Rock Band downloadable content.
- Maintained first party publisher relationships.
- Worked with Audio Director to select tracks for download.
- Responsible for process and pipeline for all download packages and Message of the Day updates.
- Created and maintained schedules for Audio department and lip sync artists.
- Maintained interoffice wiki and php forms for inter-departmental tasks.

Librarian/Administrative Assistant, 2005 – 2007

- Recommended and acquired new materials in all subject areas.
- Did all copy and original cataloging of new materials.
- Designed, created, and maintained a web based database of all press clippings.
- Designed and created new pages for company intranet.
- Provide administrative support to human resources department.

Quality Assurance, 2005

- Performed and evaluated smoke tests for game builds on multiple platforms.
- Entered clear and understandable bug reports with succinct reproduction cases.
- Conducted cross-platform regression and exploratory testing of fixed bugs.
- Created and distributed daily QA status reports for management review.
- Submitted structured written feedback to the Design department regularly.
- Performed technical certification requirement evaluations on multiple platforms.

EDUCATION

B.A., History, May 1999, Gordon College, Wenham, MA

M.S., Library and Information Science, January 2005, Simmons College, Boston, MA