# DAVEMCDOWELL

Designer & Developer

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## **EXPERIENCE**

## Team Gourmet USA - Designer & Developer

Seattle, WA | MAY 2021 - AUG 2022

Headed rebranding of both digital and print media along with complete redevelopment of official Ecommerce site theme based in Shopify.

### Expedia Group — Lab Manager

Bellevue, WA | SEP 2017 - DEC 2019

Areas of responsibility included Research Ops, Research Archive Development, A/V + IT Services, Lab Support, Software training and Communications.

## Cornish College of the Arts — XRI Toolset & Gallery Developer

Seattle, WA | JUN 2017 - SEP 2017

A WebGL based virtual gallery and interaction toolkit built in Unity, commissioned by Cornish to provide a browser/HMD based experience for displaying student and faculty work for virtual exhibitions. <u>GitHub</u>

# Cornish College of the Arts - ADFM IT Assistant

Seattle, WA | SEP 2015 - MAY 2017

Provided basic IT support for the ADFM department computer & digital print lab, assisted with small projects and gallery AV tech prep for student shows.

## **Venom Game Labs** — Level Designer

International | DEC 2012 - APR 2016

Developed several guide levels while moving towards implementing environment & atmospheric standards set out by previous lead level designer.

## **EDUCATION**

#### Cornish College of the Arts — BFA, Design

Seattle, WA | SEP 2015 - MAY 2017

Built a strong core in traditional design skills with emphasis on web, UI/UX and emerging tech. Capstone project was a full game demo and studio brand guide.

#### Columbus State — AAS, Interactive Media

Columbus, OH | JUN 2010 - MAY 2013

Foundational degree with practical hands-on experience with traditional, web, 2D and 3D media. Primary focus was in 3D Art and Animation.

## **CORE SKILLS**

Level Design

Game Prototyping

Game Design & Development

Web Design & Front-End Development

**UXR Lab Testing & Management** 

# **TECHNICAL SKILLS**

Creative Cloud (PS, AI, ID, PR, AE)

Web Languages (HTML, CSS, Js)

Shopify Ecommerce (Liquid, Theme Development)

Game Programming (C#, Js)

Sharepoint On-premise + Online

Audio-Visual & IT Support (Win7-10, macOS)

Source Engine & Hammer World Editor

Maya, Blender

Unity

#### NOTEWORTHY

Partner at local game studio: 100 Worries, LLC.

Awarded **Best in Game Design -** 'Zen' Downtown Digital Arts Festival 2012, Columbus, OH

<u>Toronto-Montreal Mobile Lab</u> <u>Demo</u>, Expedia Group, 2019

New York Times - Expedia
Usability Lab, Expedia Group,