

# NAUMAN HAFIZ

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## ART SKILLS

- Conceptual sketching and illustration, Pre-visualization, Photoshop rendering, Industrial design
- Art direction, Storyboarding, and visualization in Comic book format
- Graphic and Logo design
- Publishing and Print layout and design
- Web Design and Development, Flash animation
- Art portfolio is available on website

## COMPUTER SKILLS

- **RELEVANT COURSE WORK**: Quality Assurance, Database Management, Systems programming in UNIX and C, Problem solving using JAVA/C/C++, Computer Graphics, Web Development with Flash and HTML
- **APPLICATIONS**: Photoshop CS2, QuarkXpress 6, Illustrator CS2, Paint Shop Pro X, Corel Draw, Painter IX, FileMaker Pro 6, Macromedia Studio 8, Toon Boom Studio 3, Animation Shop, Visual Studio .NET, 3D Studio MAX 5, Microsoft Office
- **LANGUAGES**: C/C++, JAVA, SQL, Scheme, POV-ray, Actionscript, PHP, HTML
- Technically proficient with Hardware and Software on PC, Mac, and Linux/UNIX

## VIDEO GAME INDUSTRY EXPERIENCE

### GAMELOFT

*Quality Assurance Tester*

*New York, NY*

*Sep. – Nov. 2005*

- Vital member of the Quality Assurance division, testing software for gameplay, stability, compatibility, and networking problems on mobile devices with technology developed using the Java, BREW, and Symbian Interfaces.
- Identified and documented all the defects to ensure software functionality for present as well as future builds
- Created detailed specifications to maintain an online Bug Database essential for developer-tester worldwide communication
- Worked extensively with WAP sites and emulators, OTA, BREW, SMS/MMS and various other mobile technologies

### BETA-TESTER

- Beta-tested hundreds of games some of which are World of Warcraft, The Matrix Online, F.E.A.R., Swat 4, DragonShard, Warhammer 40,000: Dawn of War, Planetside, Pacific Storm and Diablo 2

### GAMEPLAY EXPERIENCE

- Have been an extremely comprehensive video game player since the days of the Atari 2600 and have stayed up to date with the games, the industry, and all of its key players
- Played and completed hundreds of games on the PC, PS2, Xbox, Gamecube and Gameboy Advance
- Have worked/played in connection with a number of clans and mod teams

## PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

### RIGA

*Quality Assurance Tester*

*New York, NY*

*Jan. 2006 – present*

- Responsible for testing and debugging web-related media, applications, and internet sites.
- Worked on websites for major industry leaders such as *Nike, Verizon, Avaya, Lucent* and *IBM*.

### COLLEGE RELATIONS, Oberlin College

*Advertisement Design and Development (Freelance)*

*Oberlin, OH*

*Jan. 2005 – present*

- Designed advertisements and marketing campaigns for the Oberlin College Alumni Fund
- Sent out mailings developed in Flash and PowerPoint convincing alumni to contribute towards college programs

### THE OBERLIN REVIEW NEWSPAPER

*Head of Layout and Design Department*

*Oberlin, OH*

*Jan. 2004 – May 2005*

- Supervised a team of four students in charge of the layout and design of the weekly campus paper
- Solely responsible for designing the front-page and the entire *News* section of the paper in QuarkXpress

### THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY, Oberlin College

*Information Management*

*Oberlin, OH*

*Jan. – May 2005*

- Automated administrative services and provided necessary maintenance of the computer hardware, software and network

### OSCA (Oberlin Students Co-operative)

*I.T. Consultant*

*Oberlin, OH*

*Jan. 2004 – May 2005*

- Designed and developed the OSCA database to simplify the management of over 800 students' residence and dining options and personal information
- Set up an online web service for college students to register and automated the process for transferring the form information directly into the database

## **OBERLIN COMMUNITY SERVICES**

*Math and English Tutor*

*Oberlin, OH*

*Aug. 2002 – May 2004*

- Taught at the *Oberlin Elementary School's* after-school programs working with Elementary and High School children
- Helped improve the students' math and reading skills and assisted them with the *Ohio Math Certification Test*

## **THE OBERLIN FUND, Oberlin College**

*Student Fund Raiser*

*Oberlin, OH*

*Jan. – Jul. 2003*

- Contacted college alumni over the telephone and convinced them to donate money towards college programs
- Collected over \$10,000 in pledges for the *Oberlin College Science Center* fund-raising campaign

## **EDUCATION**

### **OBERLIN COLLEGE**

*Bachelor of Arts - Computer Science*

*Oberlin, OH*

*May 2005*

- **SCIENCE SCHOLAR** - Chosen as one of twelve students from my class to participate in the *Science Scholar's Program*
- Received the International Student Academic Scholarship covering 80% of tuition fees

**References available upon request**