Oriol Viu i Duran

Game Designer | Narrative + Interaction

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Currently based in Sweden, pursuing a *MA* in *Game Design* while looking for personal and professional growth. Also developing my own narrative-driven games under the name *North Oriole*. **Creative**, **analytical**, **detail-oriented and easily adaptable**. **Able to communicate and collaborate in a team**, **as well as having initiative and versatility to work independently**. In my free time a runner, cinephile, record collector, trivia nerd, and Simpsons enthusiast.

Work Experience

Solo Game Developer

North Oriole Games | Self-employed | Jun 2022 -

- Designing and developing narrative-driven games in full. Participating in game jams and other team activities.
- Managing the social and marketing aspects of the studio. Crafting a distinct brand identity from scratch.
- Notable Projects: WAVA (2023), Very Mush Alike (Indie Spain Jam 2023 Finalist)

Educational Robotics Trainer

Habilis - Abacus Cooperativa | Barcelona, Spain | May 2024 - Jul 2024

- Conducting teacher training sessions in schools on educational robotics such as LEGO Spike or micro:bit.
- 30+ sessions done with 400+ attendees, receiving an average score of 9.25 out of 10.

Administrative Intern

Josep Pallach Institute of Education Sciences (ICE) - Universitat de Girona | Girona, Spain | Mar 2021 - Jul 2022

- Creating and writing content for social media and web. Managing a WordPress blog and biweekly newsletter.
- Organising classes, seminars, and virtual rooms for university staff. Video editing and administrative support.

Education

Master of Arts (MA) in Game Design

Uppsala Universitet - Campus Gotland | 120 ECTS | Visby, Sweden | Sep 2024 - (Jun 2026)

Bachelor's Degree in Design and Development of Video Games

Universitat de Girona | 240 ECTS | Girona, Spain | Sep 2017 - Jun 2022

- Final Degree Project: "WAVA: Design and development of a cinematic 2D puzzle-platformer game"
 - Awarded full marks and the *Computer Field Award* at the 28th Edition of the *Premis Patronat*.
 - Selected to present the developed prototype at the *Talent Open Mic* organised by the *DeviCAT*.
- Other Projects: One Man Land, Blood Trip, ecoCITY

Diploma in Narrative Design for Video Games

Pulse College | Dublin, Ireland (online) | Jul 2023 - Sep 2023

Volunteering

Rindi Cinéclub Committee

Gotlands Studentkår Rindi | Visby, Sweden | Oct 2024 -

• Organising film screenings for Campus Gotland students. Tending ticket sales and general cinema maintenance.

Languages

Catalan + Spanish
Native or Bilingual Proficiency

English Full Professional Proficiency *C1 Advanced - Score 198* Swedish Elementary Proficiency

Skills

Engines Unity Unreal Engine 5 / 4 Godot

Core Technical Game Design Narrative Design Interactive Storytelling Planning / Scoping Prototyping

Programming C# / C++ Blueprints Visual Scripting Python

Tools

Adobe Photoshop Micro Inkscape Blenc Twine GitHu

Microsoft Office Blender GitHub