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PROFILE

Online specialist with a broad overview of technology and a deep enthusiasm for maintainable software architecture and DevOps practices.

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

2025-Present	Online Technical Director - Io Interactive - Copenhagen Technical direction on online, network, and devops topics Project Fantasy
2023-2024	Lead Online Programmer - Io Interactive - Copenhagen C#, C++, Azure, TeamCity, PlayFab Project Fantasy
2021-2023	Principal Online Programmer - Io Interactive - Copenhagen C#, C++, Azure, TeamCity, PlayFab Project Fantasy • Backend development • Matchmaking integration (PlayFab) • GameServer development and provisioning (PlayFab)
2014-2021	Lead Senior Online Programmer - IO Interactive - Copenhagen C#, Azure, Powershell, C++, TeamCity Backbone technology team Assembled and mentored a team Established and nurtured a DevOps culture Continued technical leadership of the Online team in a multi-project context FinOps - cloud cost reporting and optimisation
2018-2021	 Hitman 3 Migration to dotnetcore and Service Fabric Continued automation improvement toward better CI / CD practices Planification and support of new platforms (Epic, Stadia, Nintendo Cloud, PS5, XBox Series) Lead and support profile carry-over feature
2017-2018	 Hitman 2 (2018) Support new player progression & scoring features Ghost Mode, first competitive multiplayer mode in Hitman Ticket-based matchmaking Release management Continuous improvements of the Hitman online platform Migration of the running service to a new deployment (Service Fabric)
	 Hitman 2: Sniper Assassin Pre-order incentive for Hitman 2, and first Multiplayer Hitman experience. Provide technical insights for multiplayer development Release and live operations

2017-2018

GDPR

Establishment of legal requirement, design and led development of GDPR compliance for game data.

- Personal data portal
- Data extraction and deletion pipeline
- ▶ Consent management

IOI Account

Initiated and led development of an user account solution in the context of splitting with Square Enix.

- ▶ Identity service
- ▶ Basic profile website
- Mailchimp integration
- ▶ In-game linking and registration

2014-2018

Hitman (2016)

Led development of online & progression features throughout development, episodic releases and post-launch operations. Participated in UI technical solution.

- ▶ Azure PaaS integration
- ▶ Online player profile, progression, inventory
- ▶ Online menu system
- Automation
- ▶ Load testing and performance optimization
- ▶ Live Operations & tooling
- Analytics, from collection to reporting

2013-2014

Online programmer - IO Interactive - Copenhagen

C++, C#, Azure Cloud Services, SQL, PSN, XBoxLive, Steam

Hitman (2016)

Established the basis of the Hitman online platform and online features

- Contract mode
- ▶ Online Events system
- ▶ Challenge system
- Player progression
- ▶ General game flow & integration

2009-2012

Online engineer - Ubisoft - Annecy Studio

C++, Python backend, MySQL, Quazal, PSN, XBoxLive

Assassin's Creed III - Multiplayer

Improvement of existing features and development of new services

- ▶ Design of a ladder system
- ▶ Implementation of a generic event service, used for several online features
- ▶ Refactoring of game loop code
- Development of web based post-launch tools for online services

Assassin's Creed Revelations - Multiplayer

Improvements of the existing online features and code refactoring.

- ▶ Participation in the matchmaking design to increase reliability
- Design and refactoring of the game online and network stack
- Design and refactoring of the game flow integration
- Implementation of matchmaking tracking informations
- ▶ Beta and post-launch tracking analysis, matchmaking parameters adjustments

Assassin's Creed Brotherhood - Multiplayer

Development of the first Assassin's Creed multiplayer experience.

- ▶ Matchmaking and network (P2P) session setup
- Design and implementation of player statistics and leaderboard service
- Game flow integration (session setup, map loading, game mode initialization ...)
- ▶ Post-Launch analysis of matchmaking issues

Hermes - Online Library

Development of an in-house online library throughout the development of the titles.

- ▶ Abstraction of first party online APIs (XBox Live and PSN)
- Wrapper on top of some Quazal Rendez-Vous services
- ▶ Implementation of generic services (client and backend) using Quazal Rendez-Vous

2008-2009

Junior architect - Capgemini

Java, J2EE, Oracle, CMMI L3

Developer on national energy provider EDF's client site: Bleu Ciel

2008

Software Engineer (intern) - Capgemini

Java, J2EE, Oracle

Developer on national railway freight operator FRET SNCF backend system.

EDUCATION

2007-2008	European Master in Software Engineering, majoring in software project management Université de Sciences et Technologie de Lille - Villeneuve d'Ascq, France
2006-2007	First year, Master in Computer Sciences, in Carleton University as an exchange student Carleton University, Ottawa, Canada
2003-2006	European Bachelor in Computer Sciences Université de Savoie, Le-Bourget-du-Lac, France

SKILLS

COMPUTER SKILLS

Languages

- ▶ C#
- ▶ C++
- ▶ SQL
- ▶ Typescript, Python, Java

Technologies and Frameworks

- ► Azure PaaS: Storage, SQL, ► Visual Studio Service Fabric, App Service, ▶ IntelliJ Functions, Data Factory, ▶ TeamCity Redis, Cosmos DB, Batch, Perforce, Git HDInsight, Applnsights, ...
- ▶ .NET, .net core

- Docker

LANGUAGES SKILLS

French: fluent (first language)

English: fluent

Danish: beginner