# MARGARET SUET-YIN WONG

## Game Designer

Portfolio: <u>Here</u> LinkedIn: <u>Here</u>

#### **ABOUT ME**

- Game design and prototyping experience
- Shipped a F2P mobile game title
- Enjoy and eager to learn new techniques and technologies
- Like doing research on inspirations for design
- Good analytical and problemsolving skills
- Able to work independently & collaboratively
- Friendly and open-minded personality

#### **SOFTWARE & TOOLS**

Adobe Creative Suite | Unity/C# | UE4/Blueprints | Sketch | Figma | Krita | SVN | GitHub | SourceTree | Miro | Trello | Google Suite | Microsoft Office Suite

# ACHIEVEMENTS & EXPERIENCE

**IGDA-Foundation Scholar** 

• July 2021 - September 2021

#### **GAMASUTRA Publication**

- July 2021 | Here
- A game design study

#### **Volunteering**

- June 2021
- Freeplay Indie Games Festival

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#### **EMPLOYMENT**

#### **Junior Game Designer**

Hipster Whale | March 2023 - Present | Melbourne

- Game Design Assisted in prototypes development
  - Conducted experiments on different elements to enhance gameplay dynamics
  - Researched and analysed various game mechanics to provide informed recommendations to the team
  - Fine-tuned in-game parameters to optimise the player experience
  - Authored comprehensive documents outlining potential in-game achievements
- Level Design Assisted in the creation of captivating level designs during the prototype phase
  - Explored and tested different game modes, integrating them with existing mechanics for a richer gaming experience
  - Conducted testing of extreme level design scenarios to assess their feasibility and entertainment value
  - Conceptualised innovative level mechanics and designed corresponding test levels to provide insight
- Playtesting Participated in playtesting sessions to gather feedback and identify areas for improvement in the game's design
- Communication Communicated with artist and programmer on the feasibility of implementing game design

#### **Creative Pipeline Assistant**

Hipster Whale | December 2021 - March 2023 | Melbourne

- Data input Organised and modified a large amount of in-game data to guarantee its accurate and seamless integration into the game
- Quality assurance Conducted rigorous testing of the game, meticulously scrutinising all aspects to ensure the precise and error-free presentation of data
- Workflow enhancement Enhanced the workflow on vast data volume to reduce prone of errors and increase efficiency
- Communication communicated with the producer and programmer on bugs and adjusted the estimated delivery date accordingly

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#### **HOBBIES**

- Badminton enthusiast
- Experiencing new stuff tried out bouldering, rock climbing, archery, axe throwing, mini-golf etc. which were all new to me in last years
- Playing boardgames with friends
- Exploring new places and travelling
- Drawing and hand-crafting

#### Indie Game Developer

Self-initiated Project | January 2021 - Present | Melbourne

- Slime Escape on Google Play Store | Here
- Game Design Delivered all the mechanics of the game
- Level Design Produced 30+ original puzzles design based on the mechanics
- **UI UX Design** Designed the user interface and experiences & modified them regarding the feedback
- 2D Art Decided the art style and designed the characters
- Narrative Writer Wrote up a short background story and created cutscenes
- Customer Support Listened to players' feedback during development and raised them in meetings

#### **UI UX and Graphic Designer**

IT Wakes Limited | November 2017 - June 2019 | Hong Kong

- UI UX Design Produced visual and UI design for APPs & websites on both desktop and mobile devices by communicating with the development team
- Graphic Design Collaborated with other graphic designers to complete animation, illustration, typesetting and video editing tasks
- Content Design Provided ideas on mini-games; Made changes on content based on users' feedback

#### **Freelance**

2015 - Present

 Delivered graphic design & illustration by responding to customers' requests



#### **EDUCATION**

#### **Master of Animation, Games & Interactivity**

RMIT University | July 2019 - June 2021 | Melbourne

- Focused on games and interactive experiences design
- Participated in an international project
- Developed some local-multiplayer games
- Worked both in a big team and independently

#### **Diploma of Graphic Design**

Welkin Computer Training | 2016 | Hong Kong

#### Master of Philosophy in Biochemistry

The Chinese University of Hong Kong | 2015-17 | HK

### **Bachelor of Science in Biochemistry**

The Chinese University of Hong Kong | 2012-15 | HK

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