

# David Rios

Environment Artist / Game Programmer /  
Dungeon Master

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## Objective

My current objective is to eventually get a position in a game studio as an intern or part time worker in order to help better myself and the company! Until then I'm working to pay off my student loans and bringing positive experiences to others!

## Education

**Art Institute of Philadelphia** : BS in Game Art & Design    **GPA:** 3.48    **2018**

## Skills

- 3ds max, Photoshop, After Effects, Microsoft office, Windows, Mac, C#(3 years), Twine, Unity
- Easy to talk to, Uplifting, a People person, Good with learning as I go, Easy to learn software (ex. Registers, Computers etc.)
- Currently hold Dungeons and Dragons Campaigns regularly with friends and I play the role as the Dungeon Master. I create the world and the encounters the players engage in, as well as engage in occasional roleplay wherever it may come up.

## Project Experience

**Team production game** : “ Way of Cinnamon” (4 man project, **2017-2018**)

**Roles:** Team leader, Level designer, Scripter/Programmer, Gameplay designer

**Responsibilities:** Delegate tasks, Organized Assignments, Mediated all Disagreements, Represented group for presentations

**Technical Responsibilities:** Programmed puzzles, Checkpoint system, Jumping, and Interactions. Modeled platforms and props for in game use. Developed Story/Narrative. Looked for bugs and applied bug fixes.

[see the game here!](https://purple-giraffe-games.itch.io/the-way-of-cinnamon) <https://purple-giraffe-games.itch.io/the-way-of-cinnamon>

**Individual game project** : “Fortuna’s Cache” (**2017**)

**Info:** In this game I learned a lot about the many aspects of game design such as modeling game props, creating textures, level design, creating scripts, and more.

## Work Experience

### **Art Institute of Philadelphia:** Library Assistant (3 years)

- Worked alongside Librarian with daily library tasks.
- Administer testing sessions.
- Helped any student who required assistance.

### **Whole Foods Market on South Street :** Cashier and Cashier Assistance (1 year / Present)

- Worked with handling money on a day to day basis
- Rang up customers and their purchases in a regular and high traffic environment
- Engaged in friendly small talk with customers to provide a good customer experience
- Took part in a variety of safety procedures as well as training exercises
- Provided assistance to cashiers when needed. (Heavy lifting with containers of bags - at least 30-50 lbs)
- Assisted any customer who needed guidance throughout the store
- Occasionally helped newer "trainees" adjust to their job
- Raised over \$1000 for our School based fundraiser and then another \$700 on our fundraiser towards impoverished families
- Memorized a variety of codes that are used to identify a diverse collection of produce