

## MICHAEL CHARGE

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## PERSONAL PROFILE

I am a hardworking and enthusiastic person who enjoys working alongside other people on projects. I am interested in both the analysis and creation of games, especially in terms of the gameplay. This is why I selected to study games programming modules as part of my BSc Computing course. I always strive to do my best work in whatever projects I am issued, be that in university or in other work outside of education.

## EDUCATION

Teesside University, Middleborough

### **BSc Computing**

**2010 - Present**

1<sup>st</sup> Year Modules: Programming (50), Mathematics (40), Systems Design (51), Games Middleware (53), Games Technology (62)

2<sup>nd</sup> Year Modules: Games Engine Construction, Games Software Development, Network and Concurrent Programming, AI Programming, Games Authoring Tools Development, Mobile Games Programming

Benton Park School

### **Sixth Form**

**2008-2010**

A-Level Physics (D), A-Level Chemistry (D), A-Level History (C), A-Level General Studies (C), AS-Level Maths (E)

Benton Park School

### **GCSE**

**2006-2008**

GCSEs include English, Maths, Triple Award Science, Geography and History  
All A's or B's

## TECHNICAL SKILLS

Proficient in C++

Limited experience in C#, Java, Objective C, Lisp, and Erlang – All taught during Second Year of University course

Experience in the Unreal Development Kit and Hammer Editor

Experience in the development of iOS and Android applications – Second Year

Proficient in the running of a blog using the Wordpress system

## IT EXPERIENCE

Mamas and Papas Head Office, Huddersfield

### **Assistant IT Technician**

**June 2011 – Sept 2011**

IT Support role – Worked on various tasks on both Windows and Mac OS as well as assisting with the roll out of the Warehouse Project Management System.

Mamas and Papas Head Office, Huddersfield

### **IT Work Experience**

**June 2008 – August 2008**

Performed IT asset cataloging and data entry, construction of standard build machines and assisting in hardware installation

OTHER EXPERIENCE

This Is My Joystick

**Writer**

Writer contributing reviews and editorials

**July 2010 – Present**

Geeks.co.uk

**Writer**

Writer contributing game reviews and related news stories

**July 2009 – January 2010**

Teaching Assistant at Horsforth Music Centre

**Teaching Assistant**

Assisted in the setup of rooms for music lessons and concerts. When required also helped to teach clarinet as part of lessons

**January 2008 –Sept 2009**

HOBBIES AND INTERESTS

Airsoft – A sport similar to paintball. Keen member of the Airsoft society at Teesside University

Gaming – Interested in both video and traditional games. Treasurer of the Gaming Society at Teesside University

Cadets – Member of the Air Training Corps between 2007 – 2010. Reached the rank of Cadet Sergeant. Attended two annual training camps (St Mawgen, Cornwall and Rhinedahlen, Germany). Achieved bronze Duke of Edinburgh.

REFERENCES

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