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Profile

Self-taught developer with professional experience in industrial automation, PLC programming, and technical support. Outside of work, I mainly focus on game development, driven by a lifelong passion for games. I'm also interested in low-level programming and experimental hardware. I learn through hands-on projects and constant experimentation.

Projects

CrazyMoles - Rhythm/Memory Game

Godot (GDScript)

Playable rhythm-based whack-a-mole game. I handled all programming, UI design, and character animation. Mole patterns are synced to music using custom Python scripts and manual audio slicing. Playable demo

Citrouilleville – 3D Platformer Prototype

Unity (C#)

Proof-of-concept for a 3D platforming game. I built all core systems, implemented multiple mechanics, wrote custom shaders, did most animations and did some 3D modeling. Video demo

MagicCups – VR Minigame

Unity (C#), OpenXR

A VR minigame. I developed the entire project, from programming to art asset creation. Video & details

Experience

Electromaz – San José, Costa Rica Sales → Integration Technician → Engineering Assistant 2021 – Present

Since joining Electromaz, I've progressed from sales to engineering, with occasional IT support responsibilities.

During my time here, I've worked on tasks such as:

- Sales and technical advising of electrical products
- Integration of control panels and industrial automation systems
- Programming of PLCs for automation tasks
- Configuration and communication of industrial equipment using standard protocols
- CAD design for parts manufactured via machining, laser cutting, and 3D printing
- IT support and user assistance

Education

Technical Degree in Industrial Electronics CTP San Sebastián, San José, Costa Rica 2020

Technical Skills

Familiar with a wide range of tools and software beyond those listed

- Languages: C, Python, C#, GDScript, JavaScript, Bash
- Tools & Engines: Unity, Godot, Git, Blender, OpenXR, Docker, Flask
- Databases: SQLite, PostgreSQL, MongoDB
- Environment: Linux (daily use)
- Development Skills: Low-level programming, Game mechanics design, UI/UX implementation, API integration, Networking basics

Languages

- Spanish: Native
- English: Intermediate-Advanced Fluent in technical reading and documentation