



MICHAEL ANDERSON

LEAD COMPOSER FOR INTERACTIVE MEDIA

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SKILLS

- Interactive Music
- Adaptive Soundtracks
- Wwise
- FMOD
- Game Development
- Collaboration

LANGUAGES

- English
- Spanish
- French

EDUCATION

**BACHELOR OF ARTS IN MUSIC
COMPOSITION, UNIVERSITY OF
CALIFORNIA, LOS ANGELES**

ACHIEVEMENTS

- Won the Best Audio award at the Indie Game Festival.
- Achieved over 500,000 downloads for a game featuring the original soundtrack.
- Recognized for innovation in audio design by the Game Developers Association.

PROFILE

Innovative Background Score Composer specializing in interactive media and video game soundtracks, with a strong emphasis on adaptive music techniques. Recognized for the ability to craft scores that respond dynamically to player actions, creating immersive and engaging user experiences. Extensive experience collaborating with game developers, sound designers, and narrative teams to ensure cohesive integration of music within gameplay.

EXPERIENCE

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Epic Game Studios

2016 - Present

- Designed adaptive music systems that react to player choices, enhancing immersion.
- Collaborated with game designers to create soundtracks for five AAA titles.
- Utilized Wwise and FMOD for audio implementation within game engines.
- Conducted playtesting sessions to gather feedback on musical impact on gameplay.
- Led a team of junior composers in developing thematic material for game franchises.
- Presented at industry conferences on the future of music in gaming.

BACKGROUND SCORE COMPOSER

Indie Game Collective

2014 - 2016

- Composed original scores for over 20 indie games, achieving critical acclaim.
- Worked closely with developers to integrate music seamlessly into gameplay.
- Leveraged MIDI composition techniques to create rich, layered soundscapes.
- Conducted regular feedback sessions with players to refine musical elements.
- Developed promotional audio tracks for marketing campaigns to enhance visibility.
- Participated in collaborative game jams to explore innovative sound design.