

Resume

Nick Burns

I'm a Canadian artist, designer and creator, working on environment art, video game level design, graphic and brand design, and usability. I also dabble in video production, animation and illustration.



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> Education

**Bachelors of Information Technology
+ Advanced Diploma of Applied Arts**
Specialization in Interactive Multimedia & Design

Carleton University & Algonquin College, Ottawa, Ontario – 2013-2017

Graduated a four year university-college split program. Topics of study included graphic design, user experience design, visual art, composition, videography, video editing, motion graphics, 3D computer animation, game design, project management, marketing, business management, software development, and web design. Experience was also gained in multidisciplinary teamwork, team leadership, client relationship management, and living with very little sleep.

> Job Experience

Training Materials Developer
Graphic Design & User Experience Design
Specialist

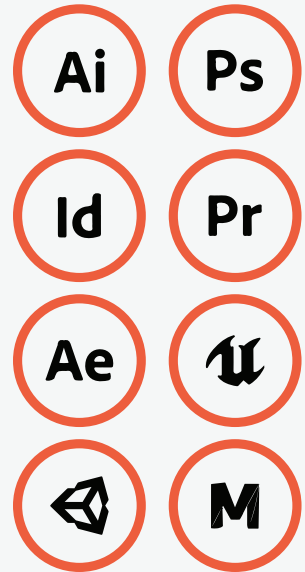
Elections Canada, Gatineau, Quebec – 2017-2021

Worked with other designers, editors, subject matter experts, and developers to deliver user friendly, boundary pushing training products for election staff, administrators, and additional internal production for EC staff. Successfully aided in shipping multiple by-elections, and the 43rd Canadian general election.

Studio Director & Co-Founder
Artist, Designer & Producer

SkyPyre Studios, Ottawa, Ontario – 2017-2021

Started and maintained an independent multimedia studio working on independent projects in games and video, and providing design services to clients such as branding, graphic design, game art, videography and video editing. Successfully completed a one year capstone project, and shipped a second independent game.



Annual Global Game Jam
Participant

Unreal Tournament
Community Level Designer

Active Project Tinkerer

Let's Chat!

I'm always open to opportunities and discussions. I'm available for contract or full time work, interested in remote work but open to relocation discussion.