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#### **WORK EXPERIENCE**

# Bradley University, Peoria, IL. —Capstone Teachers Assistant

August 2024 - May 2025

Aid and assist in the teaching and curation of the Senior Game Design Capstone class. Responsible for the mentorship of the Production and Project Management disciplines of this year-long, single project-based course, culminating in the earning of a Bachelor's Degree in Game Design.

# **Moonlight Coalition,** Peoria, IL—*GED tutor*

Feb. 2025 - Present

Tutor, advise, and teach those who require aid in studying for the Illinois General Education Development test, which will earn them the equivalent of a high school diploma. I am responsible for the curriculum, as well as scheduling exams.

### **PROJECTS**

### Eye of the Erime - Lead Producer (Coming to Steam Q4 2025)

During this year-long development cycle, I acted as the Lead Producer for a team of ten. I organized schedules, managed third-party work, resolved conflicts, maintained accountability for deadlines, and established a healthy, happy, and efficient office environment. A few team members had never worked on a team before, leading to incredible opportunities for growth that I had the privilege of facilitating. Project details can be found <a href="here">here</a>.

# Our Name Is The Stars - Lead Producer

I acted as the Lead producer, leading a 27-person team, managing schedules, ensuring project integrity, handling conflict resolution situations, and maintaining a low project scope creep. I also managed the three-person production team, mentoring two first-time producers. These skills let me take on this narrative-focused experience with a two-semester quick turnaround development time. Project details can be found <a href="https://example.com/here">here</a>.

#### **EDUCATION**

**Bradley University, Peoria, IL.**— Bachelor of Arts in Game Design, Minors in Creative Writing, Leadership & Management

May 2004

**Bradley University, Peoria, IL.**— *Master's in Game Design and Development* 

August 2025

#### **Summary**

Hello, my name is Will
Bennington. I am a Producer with
experience in creative
writing/leadership and
management, seeking to focus on
production or Project
Management. I've loved playing
video games my entire life. I'm
excited to become part of the
community and industry that can
create these works of art and
inspire others the way previous
generations of designers and
developers inspired me.

#### **SKILLS**

**Game Production** 

Project Management

Tabletop Game Design

Motivation and team morale

Formal Written Content

Strong Communication skills (both written and verbal)

Scheduling and running meetings

GDC CA associated skills

Conflict Resolution

### **TOOLS**

Atlassian project management tools (Jira and Trello)

Microsoft Office

Microsoft Copilot