

Bowen Shi

Game Designer | Narrative & Systems Design

Pasadena, CA • drcharlesshi@gmail.com

• +1 (440) 251-5586

scpdrcs.com • [linkedin.com/in/scpdrccharlesshi](https://www.linkedin.com/in/scpdrccharlesshi)

PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

WARPED WORLDS

Pasadena, CA

Independent Game Designer / Developer

2025-Present

- Lead full-cycle design and development of independent game projects under the Warped Worlds banner
- Designed and implemented core gameplay mechanics, systems architecture, and narrative integration
- Fabricated custom alternative controllers and integrated hardware into gameplay systems
- Built and iterated Unity prototypes, conducted structured playtests, and shipped playable builds for public showcases
- Delivered complete playable portfolio projects under self-directed production timelines

INDIECADE

Los Angeles, CA

Game Design Intern

2024

- Designed and implemented core gameplay mechanics and narrative structure in Unity during a 7-week climate-focused game jam
- Collaborated with remote multidisciplinary teams and iterated weekly based on structured feedback
- Successfully shipped a complete playable project under strict production constraints

ART DICO LTD.

Los Angeles, CA

Community Outreach Coordinator

2022-2023

- Coordinated international outreach initiatives across North America
- Facilitated communication between regional partners, improving organizational visibility and engagement

VALO REALITY TECHNOLOGY

Los Angeles, CA

Narrative Designer

2021

- Developed narrative content for interactive media project Stella Cafe
- Collaborated with developers to integrate story elements directly into gameplay systems

EDUCATION

ARTCENTER COLLEGE OF DESIGN

Pasadena, CA

B.S. Entertainment Design – Game Design

2022-2026

SKILLS

Game Design & Systems:

- Game Systems Design, Narrative Design, Rapid Prototyping

Engines & Programming:

- Unity Engine, C# (Unity), Unreal Engine 4, Unreal Engine 5, UEFN

Creative Software:

- Adobe Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign, Premiere Pro, After Effects

Collaboration Tools:

- GitHub, Perforce, Miro, Canva

HONORS

Best in Theme – ArtCenter Game Jam (2024)

Provost's List – ArtCenter College of Design (2022)