# JOEL ZAKRISSON **ENVIRONMENT ARTIST**

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# Experience

#### Environment Artist (Nature Specialization) - DICE

Sep. 2023 - Present

Leading the environment art production for two levels in the next *Battlefield* single player campaign. Currently responsible for the planning of the environment art, while composing the world in-engine together with our designers. I'm overseeing several artists from DICE, Criterion, and EA Shanghai that produce content and do supporting level art.

Sep. 2021 - Sep. 2023



Level Artist - DICE Worked on Battlefield 2042 and Dead Space. I was the owner of several environments



Worked on Star Wars: Battlefront II, Battlefield V, and Battlefield 2042. Was responsible for creation of architectural sets and props, and composed environments with the kits. I was also in charge of the full 3D backlog for the maps that I worked on, and directed multiple

where I did composition, prop dressing, and a mix of hard surface and natural content.

Nov. 2016 - Sep. 2021



external/internal artists producing content. 3D Teacher

Sep. 2016 - Present



I teach and lecture at Swedish game educations occasionally. I've held 3D courses at Forsbergs', lectures at Södertörn University, and have been part of the Futuregames jury.

Aug. 2015 - Nov. 2016

2015 - 2017



3D Artist - Vobling

3D Artist - DICE

Created architectural visualization for various clients. Was responsible for building interior scenes in Unreal Engine and Unity, and optimizing them for VR platforms.

## Education



**Futuregames** Advanced Vocational Education in 3D Art for games.



Södertörn University 2014 - 2015 University studies in Game Art.



2011 - 2014 Klara Södra

Upper Secondary School. Game Design orientation.

# **Achievements**

## Articles/Interviews



DICE: Battlefield Briefing: Answering Your Reveal Questions, Inside Battlefield: Episode 23 80 level: DICE: Behind the Art of Battlefield and Battlefront, Mastering 3D Art, Creating Contrasting Moods in UE4 3D Artist Magazine: Build a real-time aquatic diorama, Cog Ship Battle Showcase, Marmoset Toolbag 3 Review



#### Finalist - The Rookies

Got an A rank and a finalist spot in The Rookies 2018. Wrote How to Make Your Portfolio Stand Out for their blog.



### Featured by Artstation and Allegorithmic

Featured on Artstation's Top Row with Mansion Hall and Fishing Trip. Cog Ship Battle was handpicked for Allegorithmic's "The Art of Substance" exhibition in L.A. All projects were part of Allegorithmic and Polycount's recaps.















World



Photoshop Substance Substance Painter

Designer

Quixel

Unreal Engine

Engine

Machine Designer