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SUMMARY

Romance narrative designer with 4 years of experience creating interactive visual novels. Specializing in developing branching storylines with compelling character chemistry and emotional arcs for mobile platforms. Expert in crafting engaging choice-based content that balances storytelling with player retention strategies. Experienced in adapting existing IPs into interactive formats and collaborating with cross-functional teams to deliver scalable narrative solutions.

- Experience reviewing, editing, and refining both personal and external narrative content
- Skilled at writing engaging dialogue that conveys romantic tension
- Experience developing diverse characters and relationship dynamics
- Understanding of romance subgenres (contemporary, paranormal, historical, etc.)
- Skilled in providing constructive editorial feedback to improve story quality

EXPERIENCE

Lead Writer, Crazy Maple Studio, Jun 2025 - Present

- Lead Writer for a Romantasy Visual Novel (VDP), focusing on emotionally compelling character arcs
- Lead Writer for CEO/Mafia Romance (MAIFB)

Narrative Designer, Crazy Maple Studio, Sep 2023 – Nov 2024

- Developed and edited narrative content for three interactive visual novels
- Maintained character consistency and thematic coherence across branching storylines
- Adapted writing approaches for platform-specific requirements and audience preferences
- Created detailed story documentation and narrative archives
- Reviewed and refined narratives to ensure quality and engagement
- Implemented editorial feedback through multiple revision cycles
- Wrote, designed, and edited interactive visual novels with branching dialogue for Crazy Maple's "Chapters: Interactive Stories" app, including [My Professor's Sanguine Secret](#), [Falling for His Father](#), and [Bad Boy Daddy](#)

Narrative Lead & Story Editor, [Fallsbury Heresy](#), Apr 2023 – May 2023 & [Holiday Spirits](#), Dec 2024

- Led narrative development while maintaining story coherence across branching paths
- Reviewed and edited narrative content from team members for quality and consistency
- Ensured character development remained consistent despite player choices
- Created and maintained comprehensive narrative documentation

Game News Writer, [Pad and Pixel, LLC](#), Jul 2023 – Present

- Wrote articles for the [Epic Games Store](#) news section, including an interview on [The Lord of the Rings: Return to Moria](#), as well as features on [Homebody](#) and [Fall of Porcupine](#)

Freelance Narrative Designer, Wicked Arts Inc., Jul 2023 - May 2024

- Lead narrative development and character design through iterative feedback cycles
- Creating branching dialogues and character-driven story elements
- Managing version tracking for narrative content using collaborative tools
- Coordinated with the design team to integrate story elements with gameplay
- Wrote flavor text for items, equipment, and monsters

EDUCATION & AWARDS

Bachelor of Arts: Creative Writing, Minor in Games Studies, Metropolitan State University, 2022

Associate of Arts: Communication Studies (3.89 GPA), Normandale Community College, 2020

Second Place, [The Patsy Lea Core Living Memorial Award](#) (Short Stories), 2020

Top 5 Nominee, [2023 Narrative Design Awards](#) (Fallsbury Heresy), 2023

Narrative Samples:

Professional Work:



- [My Professor's Sanguine Secret](#)
- [Falling For His Father](#)
- [Bad Boy Daddy](#)

Script Samples:

[Falling for His Father 1-5 Live QA.xlsx](#)

[Bad Boy Daddy 1-5 Live QA Version - SAMPLE.xlsx](#)

[Sanguine Secret - SAMPLE.xlsx](#)

Freelance Work:

Holiday Spirits - Itch.io 2024 [Winter Visual Novel Game Jam](#):

<https://nameless-crab.itch.io/holiday-spirits>



Holiday Spirits is a game about drinking, merriment, and finding joy in the magic of Christmas.

You're the third son of Santa Claus, running your tavern in the cozy town of Mistle Grove. When Morgan Strong - a tall, Jotunn businesswoman from Silverpine City - and Cedar Evergreen - a passionate Elven tree farmer - become your regulars, you quickly realize that for them to open their hearts, you must mix them the perfect drink! In doing so, they might be able to find something more magical than the perfect drink: love.

Fallsbury Heresy - Itch.io [2023 Narrative Game Jam](https://nameless-crab.itch.io/fallsbury-heresy):

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Set during the infamous Salem Witch Trials, *Fallsbury Heresy* explores themes of sisterhood, found family, religious trauma, and LGBTQ+ love.

Plot Choices map for *Fallsbury Heresy*:

[Copy of Plot Choices](#)