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SUMMARY

Aoki has taken the art director position in several video games in major gaming companies, Nintendo and Sega. His expertise covers all-around video game art creation from conceptual work and prototyping to polishing the final products in both 2D and 3D. He shows his leadership to inspire a team with his artistic skill set and technical knowledge. His passion always gears towards making fun games for all ages. He keeps positive energy to strive for it. He also is an educator to pass his knowledge to the new generation.

- Unity with C#
- Character Design
- 2D/3D Art
- Management
- Leadership
- Art Director
- Concept Art
- Photo-Shop
- Education
- Self-motivated
- Storyboard
- UI/UX Design
- Animation
- VR Design
- Japanese

KEY PRODUCTS CONTRIBUTED

- Mario vs. Donkey Kong (Art Director)
- Sonic & Knuckles (Main Artist)
- Many more games from Sega and Nintendo
- Mario vs. Donkey Kong 2 (Art Director)
- Sonic the Hedgehog 3 (Main Artist)

WORK EXPERIENCE

- EcoSystemOne**, Santa Clara, CA <https://ecosystemone.com/>
2019 – Present CO-Founder, VR developer
- STEAM for Teens**, Redmond, WA <https://steamforteens.com/>
2017 – Present Owner, Unity Curriculum Designer, Instructor
- Recurrence, Inc.** Bellevue, WA <http://recurrenceinc.com/>
2018 – 2018 Art Director
- Chronos Global Academy**, Seattle, WA <http://chronosglobalacademy.org/>
2016 – 2017 VR Curriculum Designer with Unity, Unity Class Instructor
- NINTENDO SOFTWARE TECHNOLOGY**, Bellevue, WA
2001 – 2014 Art Director, Principal Artist, Lead Artist, Senior Production artist
- SEGA**, San Francisco, CA and Tokyo, Japan
1987 – 2001 Art Director, Senior Artist, Junior Artist

EDUCATION

B.A. in Design Management, Tokyo Zokei University, Tokyo, Japan

INDEPENDENT PROJECTS:

- The Switch** (iOS and Android): Producer <https://itunes.apple.com/us/app/the-switch-dodge-em-all-lite/id954730719?mt=8>
- ARCRIDER, ARCRIDER DX** (iOS and Android): Solo project <https://itunes.apple.com/us/app/arcriderdx/id948482563?mt=8>