

# Malebo Em Botden

**VISUAL DESIGNER & LIGHT ARTIST** 

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**DUTCH** Native **ENGLISH** Fluent

We should not focus on telling stories only using words but on showing them through the details. Allow the elements in an experience or game to speak for themselves!

For my visual designs and lighting compositions, I often draw inspiration from alternate realities. To create my designs, I conduct research, write, design, and, of course, collaborate with ambitious and motivated teams!

### **Education**

#### CGMA LIGHTING FOR GAMES

Short course by Adriano Grasso

2023 - present

#### LEARNSQUARED STYLEFRAMING

Short course by Zaoeyo

2023 - present

### LEARNSQUARED | MAIN TITLE DESIGN

Short course by Ash Thorp

2019 - 2023

#### HKU GAME DESIGN

Higher Professional Education Double Honours

2019 - 2023

#### RIJN IJSSEL | MAKEUP ARTIST

Secondary Vocational Education Certificate of Excellence Cum Laude

#### Skills

#### **UNITY ENGINE 3D**

Dialogue (Inky), UI, camera's (Cinemachine), basic mechanic implementation (C#), greyboxing (ProBuilder), lighting, post-processing.

#### **UNREAL ENGINE**

Lighting, camera's & set dressing.

#### **AUTODESK MAYA**

3D blockouts.

#### **ADOBE CREATIVE SUITE**

Photoshop, Illustrator, XD, After Effects UI/visual design, sketching/painting, photo editing, motion graphics, prototyping.

#### **FIGMA**

UI design.

#### **POWERPOINT & KEYNOTE**

Visual design & animation

## **Work Experience**

2021 - 2022

#### MINDGAME

6-Month Internship Visual and Game Design

Colouring cards for a board game using Adobe Photoshop.

Creating low- and high-fidelity interface designs for mobile applications using Adobe XD.

2020 - 2022

#### **PROJECT ESCAPE**

Visual Designer and Game Host

Drawing (game) police composite drawings using Adobe Photoshop. Guiding players through the online escape experience.

#### **DUTCH NATIONAL OPERA & BALLET**

4-Month Internship & Hired Professional Make-up Artist Madama Butterfly, Aus Licht, YP Gala, Pagliacci Cavalleria Rusticana.

2017 - 2018

#### ATELIER KEVIN VAN DEN BERGH

6-Month Internship FX Make-up Artist

Creating FX make-up applications for film, tv, events, and applied purposes.

# **Academic Projects**

2023

#### **CAVED**

3D Horror-Adventure Game, Unity 3D

In-engine: narrative, level greyboxing, UI, camera implementation, lighting, post-processing. Visual: logo design (Photoshop), UI design (XD), motion graphics (After Effects), promotional material.

2022 - 2023

#### **MOONTALES**

3D Cozy-Adventure Game, Unity 3D

In-engine: narrative, development, UI, camera implementation, lighting, post-processing. Visual: logo design (Photoshop), UI design (XD), motion graphics (After Effects), promotional material.

#### **EXOLIGHT**

3D Educational Game, Unity 3D

In-engine: narrative design,

Visual: UI design (XD), motion graphics (After Effects), promotional material.