Are you ready?

- To take math basics to the next level.
- To explore programming applications beyond gaming.
- To function in a deadline and results-driven environment.
- To work in groups on complex projects and treat college like a workplace and your peers as colleagues.

Did you know?

- At George Brown we distinguish game ’programming’ (T163) from ’design’ (G405) and ’development’ (G109).
- You don’t have to be a gamer to be a game programmer. In fact, being a good gamer doesn’t automatically mean you will be a good programmer. Programming takes practice. The industry wants exceptional programmers. With a game programming background you can apply your skills to a variety of different fields.

Chart Your Path Success

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<td>• Programming is not a regulated profession but we encourage participation in the International Game Developers Association (IGDA).</td>
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<td>• Participate in a variety of jams: Toronto Jam, Global Game Jam, GBC Jam (monthly) and more.</td>
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<td>• Participation also open to students at the Game Developers Conference.</td>
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<td>• Attend the Level Up Competition in January – open to all students.</td>
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<td>• Take advantage of industry speakers and site visits to network and share your work.</td>
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<td>• Check out Career Services for tips on how to update your professional social media profile(s) and how to use social media to follow companies of interest and industry news.</td>
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<td>• Register on STU-VIEW for a mandatory in-person English placement test and for your courses.</td>
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<td>• Set up your georgebrown.ca email. This is how the college will keep in touch with you.</td>
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<td>• Get your student ID card. It gives you access to many college services and activities, including the Library Learning Commons.</td>
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*Extra fees may apply
Other Services
The Current Student page has information about available services and activities including: Athletics (including clubs & recreation), Student Life activities (including the Student Leadership Academy), Counselling, Accessible Learning Services, Library Learning Commons, tutoring, peer coaching, technical support, and more.

Program Highlights
• Solid preparation for a programming career including portfolio building opportunities.
• Game development course provides an intensive and collaborative environment where Game – Programming (T163) students are placed in groups with students from other programs. Past projects have included Runbow and other successful games.

About Us
• At George Brown we provide practical (lab-based and industry-focused) experience.
• Many faculty members are actively working in Toronto's vibrant gaming industry and recruit students for work opportunities.
• We host game jams and encourage participation in competitions that allow students to interface with industry leaders and peers.
• We provide computer labs and all necessary software on-site for student use.

What's Next
Our graduates will be able to work in many areas of the digital gaming industry, including:
• software or hardware development
• publisher
• ISP and game portal development and maintenance
• website development
• distribution middleware and tool provider
• production servicer
• content/IP owner

Need career support?
Jump-start your job search with Career Services and Career Coach.
The Career Services centre offers support to students during and after their studies.
• Identify your strengths and develop your career skills.
• Use our online tools and interactive workshops to build your resume, cover letter and interview skills.
• Work one-on-one with a Career Advisor to start your career development.

Still unsure?
We can help you find the program that's right for you.
Contact an Entry Advisor at 416-415-5000, ext. 2949 or collegeadvisor@georgebrown.ca.
Book an appointment using the Entry Advising Client Intake Form.
For inquiries related to H163, contact Program Co-ordinator: Alexander Richard ext. 4232 or arichard6@georgebrown.ca.

Links Reference
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