

Joe Brisbois

Joe Brisbois has been creating video games for over 10 years, most recently as producer for Sony Computer Entertainment America, where he was responsible for the development of the award winning title EyeToy: AntiGrav™, a revolutionary and physically immersive game for the PlayStation®2 computer entertainment system.

Joe began his career in 1993 at Park Place Productions working as an artist on such games for Super Nintendo, Sega Genesis and PC as Champions World Class Soccer and Dick Vitale's College Basketball.

After graduating from San Diego State University in 1993 with a BA degree in Art, Joe joined Sony Computer Entertainment America as an artist on a series of ESPN sports games for PC, Super Nintendo, and Sega Genesis including Baseball Tonight, SpeedWorld and NBA Hangtime '95. He then served as lead artist on the PlayStation launch title ESPN Extreme Games and worked on the cinematic sequences for the space adventure Blasto before changing roles to produce his first game, 3Xtreme.

From Sony Computer Entertainment America, Joe moved on to produce several games for LucasArts, a Lucasfilm Ltd. company, including Star Wars Bounty Hunter for PlayStation 2 and GameCube, Star Wars: The Clone Wars for Xbox Live, and a trio of games for Nintendo's GameBoy Advance: Star Wars Episode II: Attack of the Clones, Star Wars The New Droid Army and Star Wars Jedi Power Battles. Joe also worked on The Sims Bustin' Out for Electronic Arts before returning to Sony Computer Entertainment America in early 2004 to begin production on EyeToy: AntiGrav.

Joe has taught 3D Modeling and Animation at San Francisco's Academy of Art University, and spoken about many aspects of game creation at events such as SIGGRAPH and the Game Developers Conference (GDC), as well as appearances on ABC Radio, SportsByline and GamerNation. He has been quoted by such publications as The New York Times, Washington Post and Animation Magazine.

Outside of work, Joe has volunteered at the San Diego Children's Hospital and Health Center, and enjoys running, sailing and playing a variety of sports.