### **December 7** Main Track

## **December 7** AI Workshop by AWS

| 09:30 - 11:00 | Welcome Coffee  | 11:30 - 13:00 | Generative AI in Games: Theory and Use  | 10:30          |
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| 11:00 - 11:05 | Welcome to WN Belgrade!<br>Antonio Pasalic<br>Program Director, WN Media Group  |               | <b>Cases. Make sure to register in advance</b><br>Mikhail Ishenin<br>Solutions Architect, Amazon Web Services (AWS) | 11:30<br>12:00 |
| 11:05 - 12:00 | Panel Discussion on Serbian Indie Scene<br>2.0: What a Difference a Year Makes<br>Vanja Knežević, Andrea Aleksić, Djordje Markovic, Nikola<br>Šoškić, Vladimir Živković |               |   | 13:00          |
| 12:00 - 12:30 | Have a Heart: Why a Strong Story is Good<br>Business for Indies<br>Johnnemann Nordhagen<br>Founder and Creative Director, Dim Bulb Games                                |               |   | 14:00<br>14:30 |
| 12:30 - 13:00 | How to Boost Mobile Game Revenue:<br>Proven Web Shop Strategies<br>Anna Ponyatoykina<br>Country Manager, Eastern Europe (CIS), Xsolla                                   |               |   |                |
| 13:00 - 14:00 | Refreshments Break  |               |   | 15:00          |
| 14:00 - 15:00 | Raising VC Funding for PC and Mobile<br>Games in 2024<br>Mikhail Isidorov, Mirko Topalski, Igor Živkovski   |               |   |                |
| 15:00 - 15:30 | <b>Al in Gaming and Its Impact on Localisation</b><br>John Kavanagh<br>Sales Director, TransPerfect Gaming Solutions  |               |   | 15:30          |
| 15:30 - 16:00 | <b>A Developer's Guide to Growth</b><br>Mladen Martinčević<br>Technical Director, PLAYSTUDIOS EUROPE  |               |   | 16:00          |
| 16:00 - 16:30 | How (Not) to Hurt Yourself with Interactive<br>Narrative<br>Dragan Jerosimović<br>Game Developer  |               |   | 16:30          |
| 16:30 - 17:00 | Discussing Immersive Sims, Life, and the<br>Art of Change with Raphael Colantonio<br>Oleg Nesterenko, Raphael Colantonio  |               |   |                |

## **December 8** Main Track

# **December 8** Roundtable Discussions

#### - 11:30 Welcome Coffee

- 12:00 Viola's Quest: Art Reloaded Mina Simić, Danica Čudić
- **13:00 The Balkan Labor Market: Present Day** Marina Lopatina, Sanja Zugic, Vanja Jakovljević, Andrew Slepnev
- 14:00 Refreshments Break
- 14:30 Scorn. The Postmortem Miroslav Micevic Director Of Operations, Ebb Software
- 15:00 Main Legal Issues in Applying and Regulating Al Systems Marija Vlajković

Partner, Moravčević, Vojnović and Partners in cooperation with Schoenherr

- 15:30 Ground Zero: How to Define Starting Conditions for an Outsourced Game Cinematic? Pavle Music Concept Artist, Bunker VFX
- 16:00 The Power of the Three: Crafting the Best Realtime Visual Effects Alexander Vinogradov Lead VFX Artist, Sperasoft, a Keywords Studio
- 16:30 Coins and Smiles: The Art of Increasing Revenue without Gaming Frustration Sasha Zlotnitskaia Game Designer, Playkot
- 17:00 WN DEV CONTEST AWARDS CEREMONY

| 12:00 - 13:00 | <b>Maximising Player Lifetime Value for Your</b> |
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|               | Mobile Game. <u>Make sure to register in</u>     |
|               | advance  |
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Natalia Ugarova Account Executive, CleverTap

- 13:00 14:00 Refreshments Break
- 14:00 15:00Special Projects for Games: Maintaining<br/>and Increasing User Engagement. Make<br/>sure to register in advance<br/>Tanya Lavorenko

Business Development Manager, Zorka Agency

### 15:00 - 16:00 Will Al Take Our Jobs? <u>Make sure to register</u> in advance

Eugen Sudak Ethical Management Ambassador