



WORTHING & MONCRIEFF

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Wield the Awesome Power of the Bureaucracy in W&M's “HRO: Adventures of a Humanoid Resources Officer”

Puzzle-Driven Visual Novel Launches May 21, 2023

BROOKLINE, Mass., April 18, 2023 —You play the under-appreciated Humanoid Resources Officer aboard the *Endeavor* — a military spaceship with more than its fair share of crew rivalries, office politics, and erratic decision-makers. When the *Endeavor* stumbles into universe-shaking trouble, can you harness the power of the bureaucracy to rein in your crew’s worst impulses and survive to the next episode?

The game features branching storylines shaped by player choices and UI puzzle solving — resulting in an eminently replayable narrative experience. Six full episodes and six unlockable mini-episodes will ship with the May release. “HRO” also rocks an original interactive soundtrack which responds to player choices.

“HRO” will be available for PC and Mac through Steam and the Epic store. Release date is May 21, 2023. Retail price will be \$19.99. The launch sale price (through May 27, 2023) will be \$14.99.

About Worthing & Moncrieff

Worthing and Moncrieff, LLC an independent developer of story-driven video games founded in 2015. “HRO: Adventures of a Humanoid Resources Officer” is the third published title from this studio which explores the intersection of literature and interactive storytelling. Their debut title, “A Matter of Murder,” was a 2017 TIGA Games Industry Award Finalist. It was featured in the 2016 Boston Festival of Independent Games as well as a participant in the 2016 Google Play Indie Games Festival. W&M’s “Austen Translation” was a 2018 TIGA Games Industry Award Finalist and an IndieCADE 2018 Official Night Games Selection. Their audio-only catapult adventure, “OverHerd,” won the 2019 Bose + Playcrafting Boston Jam.

Press kit: worthingandmoncrieff.com/HROpress

Learn more: worthingandmoncrieff.com

Press Contact:

Marc Harpin

617.277.4803

marc@worthingandmoncrieff.com