ACE COMBAT DISTANT THUNDER - DEVELOPER INFORMATION

Ichiyanagi Profile

Full name: Hiroyuki Ichiyanagi
Position: Project Director

Namco since: 1994

Project History: "Super Family Gerende" (SNES skiing game), Klonoa Door to

Phantomile (PSX), Klonoa Moonlight Museum (Wonder Swan)

Personal Interests: Drawing "manga", skiing, online games

Message to players: Our goal was to give players the feeling of becoming an ace pilot

while playing.

Kono Profile

Full name: Kazutoki Kono

Position: Art Director

Namco since: 1994

Project History: Smash Court (PSX)

Rage Racer (PSX), Ridge Racer Type 4 (PSX) Ace Combat 2 (PSX), Ace Combat 4 (PS2)

Personal Interests: Designing and creating various artwork not related to games, VJ

(Visual Jockey)

Message to players: I have never been to Europe but our game will soon arrive, please

enjoy it.

Ishii Profile

Full name: Kazuhiro Ishii

Position: Chief Programmer

Namco since: 1995

Project History: Ace Combat 2

Ace Combat 3 Electrosphere

Personal Interests: Local travel (After overseas version development is

finished I plan to head to Nagano hot springs).

Message to players: The greatness of the graphics and sound are apparent, but the

programming is also incredible. Please enjoy the game to its

fullest.

Nakanishi Profile

Full name: Tetsukazu Nakanishi

Position: Sound

Namco since: 1995

Project History: Rage Racer, Ridge Racer Type 4, Ridge Racer V

Klonoa

Ace Combat 2, Ace Combat 3 Electrosphere

and more ...

Personal Interests: Skiing, programming.

Message to players: I really hope you enjoy the game's acoustics!