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# Conference at a Glance

	SAT 7 AUG	SUN 8 AUG	MON 9 AUG	TUE 10 AUG	WED 11 AUG	THU 12 AUG	FRI 13 AUG
Registration/Merchandise	6 - 8 pm	noon - 7 pm	8 am - 6 pm	8 am - 6 pm	8 am - 6 pm	8 am - 5 pm	8 am - 1 pm
Exhibition/Startup Park FC CS	EP			10 am - 6 pm	10 am - 6 pm	10 am - 5 pm	
Courses FC		1:30 - 5 pm	8:30 am - 5 pm	8:30 am - 5 pm			
Papers FC					10:30 am - 6 pm	8:30 am - 6 pm	8:30 am - 5:30 pm
Panels FC					10:30 am - 6 pm	8:30 am - 6 pm	8:30 am - 5:30 pm - 8:30 am
Sketches & Applications FC CS					10:30 am - 6 pm	8:30 am - 6 pm	8:30 am - 4 pm
Electronic Schoolhouse: FC CS Educators Program   sigKIDS   Community Outreach			8:30 am - 6 pm	8:30 am - 6 pm	9 am - 6 pm	8:30 am - 6 pm	8:30 am - 4 pm
Art Gallery: technOasis	EP	5 - 7 pm	9 am - 6 pm	9 am - 6 pm	9 am - 6 pm	9 am - 6 pm	9 am - 1 pm
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Creative Applications Lab: The Digital Cafe		1 - 6 pm	9 am - 6 pm	9 am - 6 pm	9 am - 6 pm	9 am - 6 pm	9 am - 5:30 pm
Emerging Technologies: FC 65 The Millennium Motel	EP	5 - 7 pm 5 - 7 pm	9 am - 6 pm 9 am - 6 pm	9 am - 6 pm 1 - 6 pm	9 am - 6 pm 1 - 6 pm	9 am - 6 pm 1 - 6 pm	9 am - 1 pm 9 am - 1 pm Fiction 2000
Special Sessions/Daytime FC CS					Star Wars 12:30 - 2 pm		Fiction 2000 12:30 - 2 pm
Special Sessions/Evening FC CS	EP				Web3D RoundUP 8 - 9:30 pm	Animation Then and Now 6:30 - 8:30 pm	
The Studio FC CS		1 - 6 pm	9 am - 6 pm	9 am - 6 pm	9 am - 6 pm	9 am - 6 pm	9 am - 5:30 pm

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Birds of a Feather	FC CS EP	Throughout	the week						
Career Center	FC CS EP	6 - 8 pm	noon - 7 pm	8 am - 6 pm	8 am - 6 pm	8 am - 6 pm	8 am - 6 pm	8 am - 3 pm	
Fundamentals Seminar	FC CS EP		2 - 5 pm						0
International Services	FC CS EP	6 - 8 pm	noon - 7 pm	8 am - 6 pm	8 am - 6 pm	8 am - 6 pm	8 am - 6 pm	8 am - 5 pm	onference
Internet Access Centers	FC CS EP		noon - 7 pm	8 am - 6 pm	8 am - 6 pm	8 am - 6 pm	8 am - 6 pm	8 am - 5 pm	Conference Programs/Activities
Job Fair	FC CS EP					8 am - 6 pm			s/Activiti
Keynote Address/Awards	FC CS EP					8:15 - 9:45 am	1		es
SIGGRAPH Organization Forum	FC CS EP						12:15 - 1:30 pm		
Special Interest Groups	FC CS EP	Throughout t	the week						
Welcome Reception	FC CS EP		5 - 7 pm						
Courses Reception	FC			8 - 11 pm					Receptions
Papers/Panels Reception	FC						8 - 11 pm		NS SI

# Welcome

#### to SIGGRAPH 99!

It's great to see you!

All of us on the SIGGRAPH 99 Committee are happy you're here. Back in January 1998, when we started planning this event, we couldn't predict exactly what it might become, or how many people might accept our invitation to get together in August 1999 in Los Angeles.

So we continued and enhanced the traditional programs that everyone in the worldwide computer graphics community enjoys and anticipates. We brainstormed, exchanged ideas, and talked with hundreds of you about what should be included in this year's conference. We adjusted some aspects. We added some new features. We selected and organized authors, speakers, animations, images, exhibits, presentation technologies, and collaborative opportunities.

And now that you're here, the final ingredient is in place.

Welcome to your conference! Welcome to Los Angeles! And welcome to the future of computer graphics and interactive techniques!

Warren N. Waggenspack, Jr.

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SIGGRAPH 99 Conference Chair

# Conference

#### Keynote Address/Awards

SIGGRAPH 99's keynote speaker, Helaman Ferguson, reports on his "neolithic" adventures: communicating the beauty and power of art and science by carving theorems in stone and bronze with computer graphics and interactive techniques.

Immediately before the keynote address, SIGGRAPH presents two awards:

- Anthony D. DeRose, Pixar Animation Studios, receives the 1999 Computer Graphics Achievement Award.
- James F. Blinn, Microsoft Research, receives the 1999 Steven Anson Coons Award for Outstanding Creative Contributions to Computer Graphics.

#### **Technical Program**

#### Courses

SIGGRAPH's annual professional development offerings for everyone in computer graphics and interactive techniques, from first-job novices to 25-year veterans. Develop your skills and enhance your career in three days of courses offered in three formats: full-day courses, half-day courses, and two-hour tutorials.

#### **Papers**

The year's most significant, most provocative research and development results, selected by a rigorous international jury of scholars and scientists, and presented by the authors in three categories: research, systems, and applications.

**NEW!** for SIGGRAPH 99: visionary papers and impact papers, including a special session/course session on how their implications will shape the future.

#### **Panels**

Wide-ranging, free-flowing exploration of the art, science, and business of computer graphics and interactive techniques. Panelists argue, debate, and sometimes even agree on trends, technologies, claims, and controversies. The audience adds comments and questions. The result: surprising perspectives and important insights.

#### **Sketches & Applications**

Sketches: works in progress, tentative breakthroughs, and preliminary drafts. Applications: how new and traditional tools are used to produce practical, proven results. Three days of multimedia presentations in three categories: technical; art, design, and multimedia; and animation.

### NEW! Electronic Schoolhouse: Educators Program | sigKIDS | Community Outreach

For the first time, SIGGRAPH 99 combines three traditional conference programs in the Electronic Schoolhouse. Schoolhouse areas include the Classroom for traditional presentation of papers and panels, the Workshop for hands-on activities, the Playground for stand-alone exhibits, and the Library for all kinds of interaction, networking, and curriculum information. The Electronic Schoolhouse reflects everyday life, where we are all students and teachers, exchanging, learning, sharing, and inspiring. Students teach what they know, seniors discover new worlds and imagine new visions, professionals enlighten generations.

#### Creative Applications Lab: The Digital Cafe

Hands-on, up-close interaction with the people and techniques presented in Papers, Panels, Courses, and Sketches & Applications. Apply your new knowledge and skills, share insights and interests with other attendees, and talk with speakers and presenters in informal breakout sessions.

#### Conference Programs/ Activities

#### Art Gallery: technOasis

From its central gallery location, SIGGRAPH 99's aesthetic oasis extends to installations throughout the LA Convention Center. Experience turn-of-thecentury digital art in all its variety: visual, interactive, animated, sculptural, installed, virtual, Web-based, telecommunicated, and participatory. NEW! Tours of the gallery by educated docents who offer insight into the processes and aesthetics of each work of art.

#### Conference Programs/ Activities

#### Computer Animation Festival

Stories and non-narrative works that reflect on the past and illuminate the future, in imagery and animations, film and video, live and interactive performances. The year's outstanding achievements in digital experience appear in the evening and matinée shows of the Electronic Theater and Animation Theaters.

#### NEW!

#### The Story of Computer Graphics

Celebrating the organization's 30th year, SIGGRAPH premieres its new feature-length documentary which captures some of the most compelling stories behind the striking graphics and technology which have become routine in today's imagery. The Story of Computer Graphics chronicles the history of the industry, its impact on society, and the excitement of future possibilities.

#### Emerging Technologies: The Millennium Motel

The Millennium Motel is located between aesthetics and logic, where infrastructures of technology converge with the networks of desire. Check in and check out 1999's multi-modal interface design, intelligent autonomous agents, scientific visualization, conceptual electronic performance, and alternate realities.

#### **NEW!** The Studio

The former Guerilla Gallery teams technologists with artists to imagine, create, and collaborate in a hands-on state-of-the-art computer graphics studio. Artists, scientists, and engineers use the latest technologies in high-end printers and 3D desktop modelers to create and realize 2D and 3D output.

# Birds of a Feather (BOFs) Room 508A

Impromptu gatherings organized at the conference by attendees who post a notice on the BOFs schedule board at SIGGRAPH 99.

#### Career Center

Each year, thousands of experienced, qualified candidates connect with exceptional job opportunities in the Career Center, where attendees and exhibitors post résumés and job openings, schedule employment interviews, and consult with career mentors.

#### Fundamentals Seminar

Room 151

#### Sunday 8 August 2 - 5 pm

An essential, accessible introduction to computer graphics jargon, concepts, techniques, and technologies. The perfect orientation for novices on the fast track.

#### Presenters

Mike Bailey

University of California at San Diego and San Diego Supercomputer Center

Wayne Carlson The Ohio State University

G. Scott Owen Georgia State University

#### International Services

Join the worldwide computer graphics community in the International Center, where the multi-lingual SIGGRAPH 99 International Committee provides information, assistance, and translation services. All registered international attendees are invited to the International Welcome Reception on Wednesday evening from 6-8 pm at the Westin Bonaventure Pool, 4th floor.

#### Job Fair

Job seekers: explore how your skills and experience match a vast array of current job openings in a relaxed, informal setting at the day-long SIGGRAPH 99 Job Fair, Wednesday, 11 August. Employers: join hundreds of other leading computer graphics companies and explore how SIGGRAPH 99 attendees' skills and experience can benefit your organization.

#### **Pathfinders**

NEW! Is this your first SIGGRAPH conference? Welcome to Pathfinders, a volunteer mentoring program dedicated to the first-time attendee. Let us help you navigate through SIGGRAPH 99. Look for us at the conference in the South Lobby.

#### Receptions

The pressure's off and the fun kicks in when SIGGRAPH 99 adjourns for fine food, chilled libations, and relaxed networking in glittering LA locations. Meet and greet old friends and new as the international computer graphics community gathers for informal evenings of fun and collaboration.

#### Welcome Reception

Art Gallery: technOasis Computer Animation Festival Emerging Technologies: The Millennium Motel

Sunday 8 August 5 - 7 pm

#### Course Reception

Pershing Square

Monday 9 August 8 - 11 pm

#### Papers/Panels Reception

Westin Bonaventure Pool Deck

Thursday 12 August 8 - 11 pm

#### Special Interest Groups

Discussion groups scheduled in advance by attendees who think and work in similar technologies and environments.

# T-Shirt Contest Room 508A

The annual, underground T-Shirt Contest will be juried at noon on Thursday, 12 August at SIGGRAPH 99. Bring your unique, CG-designed t-shirt with a description of the process used to create it. For information, visit Conference Management, Room 304.

#### **NEW!** Pathways to the Future

ACM SIGGRAPH celebrates the organization's 30th year with an exhibit featuring its year-round activities throughout the world: educational and public policy initiatives, special projects, publications, small conferences and workshops on focused topics, professional chapters, and international relationships.

#### **Special Sessions**

 The Story Behind the Digital Imagery of Star Wars: Episode I "The Phantom Menace"

Wednesday 11 August 12:30 - 2 pm West Hall A

A discussion of the scene behind the scenes of the making of the first in the prequel series of Star Wars. From concept artwork to the final render, peer into some of the behind the scenes details and stories from one of the most anticipated films of all time.

#### **Panelists**

Rob Coleman Ned Gorman John Knoll Christian Rouet Scott Squires Industrial Light & Magic

 Web3D RoundUP: Tomorrow's Visions of Web-Based Virtual Reality

Wednesday 11 August 8 - 9:30 pm West Hall B

A fun-filled evening featuring fast-paced demos of the latest real-time 3D graphics for the Internet. Don't forget to bring a noisemaker!

#### **Organizer**

Don Brutzman Naval Postgraduate School

#### Master of Ceremonies

Timothy Childs
Oz

Animation Then and Now
 Thursday 12 August 6:30 - 8:30

Thursday 12 August 6:30 - 8:30 pm West Hall B

As digital technology demolishes creative barriers, character and story have become more important than ever. Creating memorable characters on the frontier of technology and developing stories that capture an audience's imagination are explored by distinquished film critic and unabashed animation fan Leonard Maltin and some of the leading animation talents in the world.

• Fiction 2000: Technology, Tradition, and the Essence of Story

Friday 13 August West Hall B 12:30 - 2 pm

Can we use networked computers to tell each other stories that approach the complexity and power of the modern novel? This Special Session imagines the shape of fiction on the Internet over the next 10-15 years.

#### **Organizer**

Andrew Glassner Microsoft Research

#### Moderator

Curtis Wong Microsoft Research

# Tracks

### Animation & Special Effects FX

Producing and using computer graphics techniques for animation, special effects, and other entertainment applications.

#### Courses

- 19 3D Computer Animation Workshop
- 24 A Visual Effects Galaxy
- 27 Smart(er) Animated Agents
- 35 Motion Editing: Principles, Practice, and Promise
- 37 Subdivision for Modeling and Animation
- 43 Graphical Modeling and Animation of Brittle Fracture

#### **Papers**

Animation Session

Computational Fluid Dynamics in a Traditional Animation Environment

Graphical Modeling and Animation of Brittle Fracture



New technologies and techniques for art and examples of artistic expression using computer graphics.

- Fundamental Issues of Visual Perception for Effective Image Generation
- 13 A Survey of Color for Computer Graphics
- 15 Drawing on the Right Side of the Brain
- 19 3D Computer Animation Workshop
- 31 Why Does it Do That? 10 Mysteries of Computer Artmaking Revealed

Modeling and Rendering of Weathered Stone

Teddy: A Sketching Interface for 3D Freeform Design

Multi-Color and Artistic Dithering

Art-Based Rendering of Fur, Grass, and Trees

View-Dependent Geometry

#### Interactive Techniques IT



Design, implementation, and application of advanced, intuitive human-computer communication.

- Case Study: Scanning Michelangelo's Florentine
- 14 From Concept to Creation in Two Hours: The Advent of 3D Desktop Publishing
- 16 When All You Have is a Hammer, Everything Looks Like a Nail
- 20 Interactive Walkthroughs of Large Geometric Datasets
- 21 Internetworked 3D Computer Graphics: Overcoming Bottlenecks and Supporting Collaboration
- 34 Developing Shared Virtual Environments

Virtual Reality Session

Interactive Techniques Session



Creation and manipulation of graphics object representations.

- Practical Generation of Models From Acquired Data
- 14 From Concept to Creation in Two Hours: The Advent of 3D Desktop Publishing
- 26 Simulating Nature: From Theory to Application
- 33 Modeling Techniques for Medical Applications
- 36 Physically Based Modeling
- 37 Subdivision for Modeling and Animation

# Modeling Session

Data Captures Inverse Modeling Session

Meshes & Morphing Session

Rendering R

Creation of realistic images from models, by computing the interaction of light with surfaces.

- 1 Rendering and Visualization in Parallel Environments
- A Practical Guide to Global Illumination Using Photon Maps
- 25 Advanced RenderMan: Beyond the Companion
- 41 Volume Graphics

Efficient Lighting Session

Texturing Session

Image-Based Rendering Session

**SIGGRAPH 99 programs** capture five broad technical themes. In this publication, symbols identify which Courses, Papers, Panels, Sketches & Applications, and Electronic Schoolhouse sessions are associated with these thematic tracks.

	Panels	Sketches & Applications	Electronic Schoolhouse
	CG Crowds: The Emergence of the Digital Extra	Animation	An Introduction to Digital Effects
		Commercial Successes	Creating 2D Animation
	3D Tracking in FX Production: Blurring the Line	Looking Death in the Face	Creating 3D Animation
	Between the Virtual and the Real	Dimensional Painting Star Wars Episode I Creature Development	Art Before Technology or Technology Before Art? That is the Question!
	Visual Effects: Incredible Effects vs. Credible Science	Star Wars Episode I Technical Animation Challenges	Teaching & Creating Animatics
			Visual Effects Through Adaptive Technologies
	Visual Storytelling	Technical	When Children Draw in 3D
		Special Effects	Museums and Computer Games
	Function and Form of Visual Effects in Animated Films	Behavior and Flight	Educators Workshop in 3D Computer Graphics
		Motion Hacks	Math and Computer-Generated Effects
		Extracting and Editing Motion	Hands-On Animation
	Everying tiel Commuter Aut	Simulation for Animation	
	Experiential Computer Art	Art, Design, and Multimedia  New Directions in Visual and Audio Expression	Art Before Technology or Technology Before Art? That is the Question!
		Community and Communications	A Creative Journey
		Technique as Muse	Developing Creativity
		,	Drawing & Learning
			Art and Technology
			Integrating Art and Technology in a State-Wide Curriculum
			Digital Design Education at UCLA
			Walking the Tightrope
			High-End Interactive Media in the Museum
			Incorporating Principles and Examples from Art/Design and Film/Video Into a CS Computer Graphics Course
			Creative Programming
	How to Cheat and Get Away With It: What Computer	Art, Design, and Multimedia	Computer Camp: For Girls Only!
	Graphics Can Learn from Perceptual Psychology	Interaction and Navigation	The Round Earth Project
		Community and Communications	SP3D and The Lighthouse
	Natural and Invisible Human Interfaces		Web Pages, Interactive Interfaces, and Worm Holes
		Technical	Hands-On Universe
	Mixed Reality: Where Real and Virtual Worlds Meet	Virtual Reality	Visual Effects Through Adaptive Technologies
		Haptic Feedback Techniques	Museums and Computer Games
		Novel Projection Methods	The Interactive Learning Environment
			High-End Interactive Media in the Museum
		Animation	
		Animation  Commercial Successes	
		Star Wars Episode I Creature Development	
		Star Wars Episode I Steature Development	
		Technical	
		Medical Models and Mummies	
		Hard Core Modeling	
	Natural and Invisible Human Interfaces	Animation	
		Dimensional Painting Star Wars Episode I Technical Animation Challenges	
	Get Real! Global Illumination for Film, Broadcast, and	Technical	
	Game Production		
		Imaginative Rendering	
	Mixed Reality: Where Real and Virtual Worlds Meet	Imaginative Rendering Non-Realtime Rendering	
		Imaginative Rendering	

# Creative **Applications Lab:** The Digital Cafe

Hands-on, up-close interaction with the people and techniques presented in Papers, Panels, Courses, Sketches & Applications, Electronic Schoolhouse and Art Gallery: technOasis. Apply your new knowledge and skills, share insights and interests with other attendees, and talk with speakers and presenters in informal breakout sessions.

When the Creative Applications Lab: The Digital Cafe is scheduled for specific technical sessions, it may not be available for use by other attendees. Throughout the Program & Buyer's Guide, this symbol designates presentations that include CAL activities:

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#### Chair

Gudrun Enger

#### Location

West Hall A

#### Hours Days Sunday 8 August 1 - 6 pm Monday 9 August 9 am - 6 pm Tuesday 10 August 9 am - 6 pm Wednesday 11 August 9 am - 6 pm Thursday 12 August 9 am - 6 pm Friday 13 August 9 am - 5:30 pm

#### Committee

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#### Courses

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- 3 Java Advanced Imaging Tutorial
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  Demonstration
- 8 Case Study: Scanning Michelangelo's Florentine Pietá
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- 26 Fractal Terrain Models in Bryce 4.0
- 26 Procedural Volumetric Clouds
- 29 Advanced Graphics Programming Techniques Using OpenGL
- 30 An Interactive Introduction to OpenGL Programming

#### **Papers**

ArtDefo: Accurate Real Time Deformable Objects

Creating a Live Broadcast from a Virtual Environment

Interactive Motion Editing System

Real-time Acoustic Modeling for Distributed Virtual Environments

Realistic, Hardware-Accelerated Shading and Lighting

Rendering with Concentric Mosaics

Six Degree-of-Freedom Haptic Rendering Using Voxel Sampling

Stable Fluids

Teddy: A Sketching Interface for 3D Freeform Design

The VolumePro Real-Time Ray-Casting System

Tracing Ray Differentials Demonstration

#### **Panels**

SoftScene Automated 3D Camera Tracking/3D Modeling System

#### **Sketches & Applications**

3D Facial Reconstruction and Visualization of Ancient Egyptian Mummies Using Spiral CT Data

An Interface for Transcribing American Sign Language

Computer Animation of Bird Flight

Hyper 3D Paintings in QuickTime VR

Image Re-Composer

Interactive Insertion of Synthetic Objects into a Video Stream

LiveWeb: Visualizing Live User Activities on Web

Modeling HIV

Notes on Non-Periodic Tiling Patterns

OpenGL Texture-Mapping With Very Large Datasets and Multi-Resolution Tiles

Pequot Museum Interactives

Phene-: Creating a Digital Chimera

Physically-based, Anatomic Modeling for Construction of Musculoskeletal Systems

Prototype System of Mutual Telexistence

Real-Time Translation of Human Motion from Video to Animation

SaltoArte: Explorations in Spatial Interactive Multimedia

The Holodeck Interactive Ray Cache

The Nature of Noise

Virtual Music Reproduction

WorldBoard: Demonstrations and Mini Workshop on Authoring with our Tools

#### **Electronic Schoolhouse**

The Atmosphere: Incorporating Interactive Multimedia into the Classroom

Education Delivered Through Story-telling using Virtual Reality

FELIX 3D Display: A Tool for Volumetric Imaging

Students Projects in Rhino

The Interactive Learning Environment Project

Why is the Mona Lisa Smiling?

#### Art Gallery: technOasis

Emerging Structures in Artificial Societies

Nagasaki

Photoshop Tricks: Jewel-like Patterns

Trnava Synagogue: Development of a Composited Memory

# **Pathfinders**

SIGGRAPH 99 Pathfinders is a volunteer conference mentoring program dedicated to improving the first-time experience through the wisdom and support of experienced conference attendees.

In the past, mentoring happened only occasionally between close groups of friends with prior experience. Most newcomers faced the overwhelming number of options and people entirely alone.

To fill this important void, the principles of the Pathfinders program are simple. The program is a convenient, rewarding outlet to return volunteer service to the conference and community. It serves a continuum of today's newcomers and tomorrow's leaders. By helping to channel first-timers to programs appropriate for them, the overall quality of the conference is maximized for its participants.

Pathfinders offers customized attendee support both before and during the conference.

Before the conference, attendees can browse the online "Pocket-Pathfinder" Series for select advice and insights about the SIGGRAPH conference and its culture. These brochures are mini-digests ranging in topic from "Surviving Your Day at SIGGRAPH" to "Looking for Jobs at SIGGRAPH" to "SIGGRAPH" on a Budget." Look for them on the SIGGRAPH 99 conference Web site.

At SIGGRAPH 99, Pathfinders focuses on direct contact with volunteer mentors. One-on-one counseling is offered in the South Lobby booth throughout the conference week. Student volunteers meet Pathfinders at their conference orientation meeting and at informal roundtable discussions. The light-hearted "Specials of the Day" bulletin board recommends fresh slices of the conference that can help make a significant difference to a visitor's experience. Look for our mentors with the blue badges and ribbons anytime you have a question – they will be happy to help.

We are pleased to invite you to the Pathfinders continuum – an evolving experience where the joy of learning comes from everyone playing both student and mentor at SIGGRAPH.

Chair

John Fujii

Hewlett-Packard Company

John In Jujin

#### Committee

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Kristen Stratton Warner Bros.

#### Location

South Lobby

Days	Hours
Saturday 7 August	6 - 8 pm
Sunday 8 August	noon - 7 pm
Monday 9 August	8 am - 6 pm
Tuesday 10 August	8 am - 6 pm
Wednesday 11 August	8 am - 6 pm
Thursday 12 August	8 am - 5 pm

# Courses

**Professional development** in every aspect of computer graphics and interactive techniques, offered in **three formats: full-day courses**, half-day courses, and two-hour tutorials.

Full Conference registration allows attendees access to all SIGGRAPH 99 Courses. A course level indicator below each course title presents a refined indication of course level, as derived from the course reviewers.

Attendees who select the Full Conference registration option receive access to all SIGGRAPH 99 Courses and the Course Notes CD-ROM. Individual and full sets of printed course notes can be purchased at SIGGRAPH 99. Full sets ordered in advance are shipped to purchasers after the conference.

#### Location

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Days	Hours
Half Day am	
Monday 9 August	8:30 am - noon
Tuesday 10 August	8:30 am - noon
Half Day pm	
Sunday 8 August	1:30 - 5 pm
Monday 9 August	1:30 - 5 pm
Tuesday 10 August	1:30 - 5 pm
Full Day	
Monday 9 August	8:30 am - 5 pm
Tuesday 10 August	8:30 am - 5 pm
Tutorial	
Sunday 19 July	1:30 - 3 pm
	3:15 - 5 pm

#### Committee

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Bartelle

### Sunday 8 August

### Rendering and Visualization in Parallel Environments

Sunday Half Day PM Beginning Intermediate Advanced

Room 502A

Introduction

Schneider

Bartz

Bartz

Break

(continued)

Rendering

Schneider

Rendering

Silva

Personal Workstations

**Technical Workstations** 

Parallel Programming

Parallel Programming

Parallel Polygonal

Parallel Volume

Questions and Answers

Barz/Schneider/Silva

Bartz

Schedule

1:30

1:35

2:05

2:35

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3:15

3:35

4:15

4:55

The continuing commoditization of the computer market has precipitated a qualitative change. Increasingly powerful processors, large memories, big hard disks, high-speed networks, and fast 3D rendering hardware no longer require a large capital outlay. A new class of computers (the personal workstation) has joined the traditional technical workstation as a platform for 3D modeling and rendering.

In this course, attendees learn how to understand and leverage both technical and personal workstations as components of parallel rendering systems. Topics include: parallel polygon rendering; parallel volume rendering; workload characterization; workload partitioning; and static, dynamic, and adaptive load balancing. These concepts are applied to characterize various parallelization strategies reported in the literature for polygon and volume rendering. The course does not dwell on actual implementation of these strategies but focuses instead on a comparison of their benefits and drawbacks. Case studies provide additional material to explain the use of these techniques.

#### Organizer

Dirk Bartz Universität Tübingen

#### Lecturers

Dirk Bartz Universität Tübingen

Bengt-Olaf Schneider Claudio Silva IBM T.J. Watson Research Center

## 2D and 3D Image Registration and Image Warping

Sunday		Half Day PM
Beginning	Intermediate	Advanced
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Methodologies for warping and
blending images, and for
automatically determining the
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graphics background. Others	3	Break
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and interests.	3:55	Correcting Image Distortions
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Lecturers		Goshtasby
Ardeshir Goshtasby Wright State University	4:15	Robust Log-Polar Registration Wolberg
Richard Szeliski	4.05	
Microsoft Research	4:35	Video Sequence Interpolation
George Wolberg		Szeliski
City College of New York	4:15	Image-Based Rendering

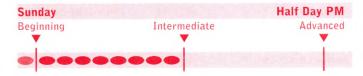
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### 3 Introduction to the Java Advanced Imaging API



The Java Advanced Imaging API (JAI) is a cross-platform, flexible, extensible toolkit for adding advanced image-processing capabilities to Java applications. It includes features such as tiled images, lazy evaluation, multi-resolution imaging, meta-data handling, and network imaging. This course introduces participants to the imaging capabilities of the Java platform and provides practical examples of how to make use of JAI in their applications.

The three major areas of JAI functionality are described in detail: pixel-based, or "rendered" imaging; resolution- and rendering-independent, or "renderable" imaging; and networked, or "remote" imaging. In each of these areas, participants learn both how to use the standard capabilities of the API and how to write their own extensions. The course includes a detailed presentation of an application example.

#### Organizer

Daniel Rice Sun Microsystems, Inc.

#### Lecturers

Thomas DeWeese Eastman Kodak Company

Daniel Rice Sun Microsystems, Inc.

#### Petree Hall C

#### Schedule

1:30	Introduction
	JAI and Java 2D
	Imaging Basics
	Rice and DeWeese
2	Working with Rendered Images and Properties
	Rice
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	Renderable Images
	DeWeese

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	Renderable Images
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Writing a JAI Application DeWeese

## 4 Practical Generation of Models From Acquired Data



A detailed discussion of how to create polygonal models from acquired data. Such models are used in a wide variety of fields including animation, architecture, illustration, engineering, and medicine. Models based on acquired data tend to be accurate, realistic, and rich in content. Common sources of acquired data include computed tomography, magnetic resonance imaging, physical slices, range cameras, laser scanners, 3DOF probes, structured light, and coordinate measuring machines. This course presents the techniques used to create polygonal models from these data sources, shows examples of the results, and discusses how to optimize the results.

#### **Organizer**

Ken Martin Kitware Inc.

#### Lecturers

Brian Curless University of Washington

William Lorensen General Electric Company

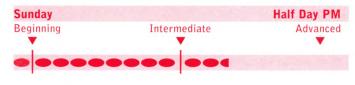
Ken Martin William J. Schroeder Kitware Inc.

#### Room 515A

#### Schedule

1:30	Models from Structured Volumetric Data Lorensen
2:20	Model Generation from Range Images Curless
3	Break
3:15	Model Generation from Unorganized Points Schroeder
4:10	Post Processing to Improve the Results Martin

#### From Fourier Analysis to Wavelets



Fourier analysis and wavelet theory constitute the fundamental mathematical framework for description of functions in the time and frequency domains. Such representations are the key element for effective analysis of function properties and for efficient implementation of computational methods. They are very important in many application areas, and are instrumental for researchers and developers who are solving problems in computer graphics and image processing.

In this course, participants learn the mathematical concepts behind Fourier analysis and wavelets. The target audience includes: people who already have some experience in signal processing and want to work with wavelets, and people who just want to obtain a general understanding of the wavelet theory.

#### Organizer

Luiz Velho Instituto de Matematica Pura e Aplicada

#### Lecturers

Jonas Gomes Luiz Velho Instituto de Matematica Pura e Aplicada

#### Room 515B

#### Schedule

1.20

1.50	Fundamentals of Fourier Analysis Gomes
2:15	From Time-Frequency Localization to Wavelets Gomes
3	Break
3:15	Filter Banks and Wavelets Velho
4	Wavelet Design

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#### **Fundamental Issues of Visual Perception for Effective** Image Generation A Art

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#### Organizer

Christopher Healey North Carolina State University

#### Lecturers

Christopher Healey North Carolina State University

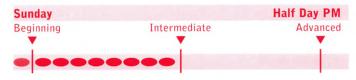
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Penny Rheingans University of Maryland, Baltimore County

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ndamental findings of how we	1:30	Introduction
rceive light, color, pattern,		Healey
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derstand how to create images	3:15	Color Perception,
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#### 9 System Designs for Visualizing Large-Scale Scientific



This course explores the system issues involved in visualizing very large scientific datasets and highlights plausible approaches. It begins with an overview of the problems of extremely large data sets in scientific visualization, followed by a review of current solutions and research directions with an emphasis on data management for interactive visualization design. Then it introduces a data-streaming design that has been implemented in the popular vtk system. Next, algorithms and ways of structuring rendering systems for performing either postprocessing or runtime visualization on massively parallel supercomputers are described. Finally, the course summarizes overall design of a computational steering system.

#### Organizer

Kwan-Liu Ma University of California, Davis

#### Lecturers

Michael Cox NASA Ames Research Center

Kwan-Liu Ma University of California, Davis

Steve Parker University of Utah

William J. Schroeder Kitware Inc.

#### Petree Hall D

#### Schedule

1:30	Introduction Ma
1:40	Large Data Management for Interactive Visualization Design Cox

2:20	Adapting Data-flow
	Systems to Large
	Datasets
	Schroeder

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3:15	Adapting Data-flow
	Systems to Large
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4	Parallel Visualization
	Systems
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5 Interactive Large-Scale Visualization in the SCIRun Problem Solving Environment Parker

There is a common misconception in computer culture: to make slow software work more quickly, all you have to do is acquire a bigger and faster computer. This is expensive and unworkable from many points of view. There are many ways to measure current software performance and optimize it to enhance graphics performance. This course attempts to meet the growing demand for information in this important area with a particular emphasis on practical software development.

Topics include: interaction among CPUs, bus, memory, and graphics subsystems; general C and C++ language optimization techniques; analysis tools used to measure graphics and system performance and to detect bottlenecks; current algorithms and techniques for reducing the overhead and amount of graphics drawn; and a "laundry list" of optimization techniques on a variety of platforms.

#### **Organizer**

Keith Cok SGI

#### Lecturers

Alan Commike Bob Kuehne Thomas True SGI

### 10 Developing Efficient Graphics Software

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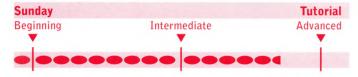
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1:30	Introduction
1:35	General Performance Overview
2:05	Software and System Performance
3	Break
3:15	Profiling and Tuning Code
3:35	Compiler and Language Considerations
3:55	Graphics Techniques and Algorithms

Tips and Tricks

#### A Practical Guide to Global Illumination Using Photon R Rendering



Photon maps provide a new practical way of efficiently simulating global illumination including caustics and participating media in scenes with complicated geometry and advanced shading models.

This tutorial provides the insight required for efficient and practical implementation of global illumination algorithms and shading algorithms based on photon maps. Topics include: efficient techniques and datastructures for generating photon maps (including the use of projection maps and Russianroulette-based sampling); how to efficiently integrate information from photon maps in shading algorithms to render global illumination effects such as caustics, color bleeding, and participating media; and a number of useful and practical "tricks" that dramatically improve photon map speed.

The tutorial includes several examples of scenes rendered using photon maps, followed by discussion of how the photon maps were used and the issues that were important to ensure good quality and fast results.

#### Organizer

Henrik Wann Jensen Massachusetts Institute of Technology

#### Lecturers

Henrik Wann Jensen Massachusetts Institute of Technology

#### Room 408B

#### Schedule

- 1:30 Introduction and Overview Jensen
- 1:45 Photon Tracing: Building the Photon Maps Jensen
- 2:30 Rendering using Photon Maps Jensen

Case Study: Scanning Michelangelo's Florentine Pietá Interactive Techniques

Sunday Tutorial Beginning Intermediate Advanced

As part of a scholarly study, art historian Jack Wasserman has been working with IBM researchers to create a digital model of Michelangelo's Florentine Pietá. The project has encountered many practical problems related to the size and topology of the work, time and budget constraints, and restricted access. While the researchers have published, and will continue to publish, papers on specific new methods developed in the course of solving various problems, a typical technical paper or presentation does not allow for discussion of many important practical issues.

This tutorial is designed for practitioners who are interested in acquiring digital models for computer graphics applications, end users who are interested in understanding what quality can be expected from acquired models, and researchers who are looking for research opportunities in the "gaps" in current acquisition methods.

#### Organizer

Holly Rushmeier IBM T.J. Watson Research Center

#### Lecturers

Fausto Bernardini Joshua Mittleman Holly Rushmeier IBM T.J. Watson Research Center

Room 408B Schedule 3:15 Project Definition and Requirements Rushmeier 3:35 Project Planning and Hardware Selection Bernardini 3:55 Working Onsite Rushmeier 4:20 Software Development for Model Construction Rushmeier and Bernardini 4:45 Presenting the Model to the User

Mittleman

#### 11 Visualizing Quaternions



Room 403A

Introduction to Rotation

Visualization Techniques

Quaternion Visualization

Clifford Algebras: The

Representations

for Quaternions

Applications of

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This mixed-level tutorial provides an intuitive connection between quaternion lore and many standard problems in representation, interpolation, and exploitation of orientation frames in graphics and visualization. It begins with an attempt to construct an entirely pictorial intuition of what quaternions are and why we should use them to study orientation frames. A range of interactive images is exploited, including images representing individual quaternion rotations, the action of rotations in quaternion space, and the visual properties of quaternion splines and related animation optimization procedures. For those who think that applications of quaternions to graphics stop with animation, the tutorial continues with a wide variety of additional ways to exploit quaternion frames, ranging from creating optimal tubings and multidimensional VR navigation techniques, to oriented streamlines and local surface textures.

#### Organizer

Andrew Hanson Indiana University

#### Lecturer

Andrew Hanson Indiana University

#### 12 Lighting and Shading Techniques for Interactive Applications CALD

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of improving lighting and shading in interactive applications running on mainstream graphics hardware. It strengthens understanding of both the theory of core computer graphics concepts and the practice of graphics programming techniques, through examples that increase image realism and create special effects. It also strengthens analytical skills: how to identify and evaluate multiple approaches to solving rendering problems, and how to analyze code examples that generate high-quality graphics

Attendees gain insight into the implementation of modern graphics hardware, become more cognizant of the strengths and weaknesses of that hardware, understand the capabilities of OpenGL and other low-level graphics APIs, and learn how to use these APIs as tools to solve challenging rendering problems.

#### Organizer

David Blythe SGI

#### Lecturers

David Blythe **Brad Grantham** 

Mark J. Kilgard **NVIDIA** Corporation

This course focuses on the problem images.

#### 1:30 Introduction Blythe Lighting Model Basics 1:35 Blythe

Room 152

Schedule

2:10 Shading Computations Kilgard 3 Break 3:15 Advanced Shading Grantham

4 Advanced Shading II Kilgard

4:45 Summary, Questions, and Answers All

### 13 A Survey of Color for Computer Graphics



In computer graphics, color technologies such as monitors, scanners, and printers are fundamental. Physical and symbolic models for representing color, algorithms for rendering colored objects and images, and tools for design and selection of color are all part of computer graphics. Rather than teach a single area in depth, this tutorial surveys the relevant color disciplines. The format provides an overview of each topic, describes its application to computer graphics, and provides references to texts and other sources. Topics include: color perception, representation, reproduction, management, rendering, selection, and design.

While the tutorial is intended to be comprehensive, greater weight is given to the scientific and technical aspects of color than the artistic. It should be of value both to those seeking an introduction to color in computer graphics and to those knowledgeable in some aspects of color who wish to get a broader view of the field.

#### **O**rganizer

Maureen Stone StoneSoup Consulting

#### Lecturer

Maureen Stone StoneSoup Consulting

#### Room 403A

#### Schedule

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3:15	Introduction
	Stone
3:20	Color Vision and
	Appearance
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3:35	Color Reproduction an
	Management
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4	Color in Graphics
	Systems
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Color Selection and Design Stone

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Introduction to a powerful new approach to digital 3D modeling. Designers, animators, and artists have the same goal today that they've had for years: to present their inspirations in concrete form. What has changed are the tools. Computer modeling software has evolved into powerful, complex packages now capable of tackling any task. The intuitive, expressive nature of working with one's hands, however, has been left behind. Recent advances in haptics allow people to interface with computers using their sense of touch. Modelers can now quickly and easily create with intuitive digital tools that closely mimic traditional, physical modeling tools. At the same time, advances in rapid prototyping make it easy to "print" physical copies of 3D computer models for evaluation, display, and collaboration. Together, these new capabilities give modelers an unprecedented ability to rapidly express ideas.

#### **Organizer**

Thomas Massie SensAble Technologies

#### Lecturers

Marina Hatsopoulos Z Corporation

Thomas Massie SensAble Technologies

#### Room 403B

#### Schedule

2:45

1:30	Introduction Massie
1:45	Touch-Enabled Computer Modeling Tools Massie
2:15	3D Printing for Rapid Model Creation Hatsopoulos

Wrap-up

Massie

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### 15 Drawing on the Right Side of the Brain



West Hall A

Learning to draw means learning to see things differently, to see in ways that are not used in ordinary life.

Drawing is an active, creative, self-directed process. It slows down close observation and leads to a different way of seeing. Once it's learned, drawing can be used to record what you see, either in reality or in your mind's eye, in a manner not totally unlike the way we can record our thoughts and ideas in words.

In this intensive course, attendees are introduced to the perceptual skills necessary for realistic drawing and for seeing things as they are. The course is especially designed for people who may believe that learning to draw well is possible only for those with inborn talent. For over a decade, Betty Edwards has disproved this widely held belief. Given proper instruction, the basic perceptual skills of drawing can be taught and learned in a short time.

#### **Organizers**

Nahum Gershon The MITRE Corp.

#### Betty Edwards

Drawing on the Right Side of the Brain, Inc.

#### Lecturer

#### Betty Edwards

Drawing on the Right Side of the Brain, Inc.

## 16 When All You Have is a Hammer, Everything Looks Like a Nail T Interactive Techniques



Isosurface construction is a core algorithm for any visualization system. Although Marching Cubes is associated with medical image surface construction, the technique has found widespread use in other scientific visualization applications.

This course goes beyond these accepted roles for the algorithm and presents applications in CAD, image fusion, graphics, and entertainment. It emphasizes the divide-and-conquer approach championed by Marching Cubes and shows how to extend the original concepts to other cell types, higher dimensions, and geometric clipping. All examples are illustrated using the publicly available Visualization Toolkit (ftp://vtk.scorec.rpi.edu/pub/). The software runs on Unix (www.kitware.com/vtkhtml/vtkdata /VTK Linux WWW/VTK-Linux-HOWTO.html), Linux, and Windows 95/98/NT. The software can be used from C++, tcl, python, or Java.

#### **Organizer**

William Lorensen General Electric Company

#### Lecturer

William Lorensen General Electric Company Room 403B

### 17 Non-Photorealistic Rendering



This course provides a working knowledge of techniques for nonphotorealistic rendering (NPR). NPR may offer a more effective means of communication than photorealism, and for many applications provides a more natural form of visual expression. From the artist's perspective, the course covers approaches that support the effects of natural media, such as pencil, oil painting, or watercolor that are derived from a range of 2D and 3D algorithms.

Topics include details of a range of techniques for generating NPR imagery, including pen and ink and sketchy styles, using both interactive and off-line approaches.

#### Organizer

Stuart Green LightWork Design Ltd.

#### Lecturers

Cassidy Curtis Pacific Data Images

Bruce Gooch Amy Gooch University of Utah

Stuart Green LightWork Design Ltd.

Aaron Hertzmann New York University

Pete Litwinowicz RE:Vision

David Salesin University of Washington

Simon Schofield Miller Hare Ltd. and University College London

#### West Hall B

Schedule	
8:30	Welcome and Course Overview Green
8:55	Introduction to NPR Green
9:15	Beyond Realism: Aesthetics in Image Synthesis Salesin
10	Break
10:15	NPR: The Artist's Perspective Schofield
11:30	Painterly Image Processing Hertzmann
Noon	Lunch
1:30	Image-based Rendering and NPR Litwinowicz
2:30	Introduction to 3D NPR: Silhouettes and Outlines Hertzmann
3	Break
3:15	Using NPR to Communicate Shape Gooch
3:45	Non-Photorealistic Animation Curtis
4:15	Interactive NPR

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#### Lecturers

Mike Bailey

University of California, San Diego and San Diego Supercomputer Center

Andrew Glassner Microsoft Research

Olin Lathrop Cognivision, Inc.

Patricia Wenner Bucknell University

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### Monday 9 August

#### 193D Computer Animation Workshop

Art FX Animation & Special Effects CALD



This hands-on workshop, presented in the Creative Applications Lab: The Digital Cafe, introduces participants to high-end 3D computer animation capabilities. Participants work in pairs on workstations running one of today's major 3D software packages. The course is divided into four parts, each consisting of a lecture on specific principles of 3D animation, a demonstration of how those principles are implemented on the software being used, and an extended exercise in which participants work at the workstations on a short animation that illustrates those principles.

#### Organizer

Michael O'Rourke Pratt Institute

#### Lecturer

Michael O'Rourke Pratt Institute

#### **Animation Assistants**

Lauren Carr Jaewon Chung Sean Gautreaux Nicole Goodman Steve Gressak Alex Ko Helen Koo Unju Lee Jerome Lin Gevel Marrero Mika Matsuura Bill Sayer Heather Sinclair Junghwan Sung Isabel Veguilla Hyejung Yoon Yi-Sui Yoon Pratt Institute

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8:30	Lecture: Coordinate
	Systems, Geometric
	Primitives,
	Transformations,
	Keyframing, Animation
	Preview, Dope Sheets,
	and Hierarchies
	O'Rourke

10 Break

10:15

Lecture: The Camera, Lighting, Surface Characteristics/Shaders, Basic Texture Mapping, Rendering & Shading Algorithms, Final Frame Considerations, **Flipbooks** O'Rourke

Lunch Noon

1:30 Lecture: Polygonal Modeling, Patch Modeling, Common Modeling Techniques, Surface Editing, Keyshape Animation, **Bump and Transparency** Mapping O'Rourke

3 Break

3:15 Lecture: Inverse Kinematics, Rotational Limits, Rigid Surfaces, Flexible Surfaces, Constraints O'Rourke

### 20 Interactive Walkthroughs of Large Geometric Datasets

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A survey of the principles involved in designing interactive walkthroughs of large geometric datasets. The course theme is based on two questions:

- 1. How can we make effective walkthrough illusions?
- 2. What are their applications?

The course begins with an introduction to interactive walkthroughs and their applications. It discusses taxonomy and representations of geometric datasets. Then it summarizes four rendering acceleration techniques: use of image-based representations, model simplification, visibility culling, and dynamic tessellation of spline models. Each speaker surveys a number of algorithms for each technique and evaluates them with respect to system integration. Next, two speakers present algorithms for real-time collision detection and managing large geometric datasets for interactive walkthroughs. Finally, the speakers discuss their experiences in developing walkthrough systems for more than a decade and their application of these systems to architectural and CAD datasets.

#### Organizer

Dinesh Manocha University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

#### Lecturers

Daniel Aliaga Lucent Technologies Bell Laboratories

Frederick P. Brooks Ming C. Lin Dinesh Manocha Andrew Wilson University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

Jonathan Cohen Subodh Kumar Johns Hopkins University

Hansong Zhang

#### Room 502A

Schedule	
8:30	Introduction Manocha
9	Image-based Representations Aliaga
9:45	Model Simplification Cohen
10	Break
10:15	Model Simplification (continued) Cohen
10:30	Visibility Culling Zhang
11:15	Interactive Display of Spline Models Kumar
11:45	Database Management Wilson
Noon	Lunch
1:30	Database Management (continued) Wilson
1:45	Interactive Collison Detection Lin

3 Break

2:15

Fourteen Years of 3:15 Interactive Walkthroughs

Brooks

4:15 System Integration and Conclusions Manocha

Fourteen Years of

Interactive

**Brooks** 

Walkthroughs

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# 21 Internetworked 3D CG: Overcoming Bottlenecks and Supporting Collaboration IT Interactive Techniques



An introduction to networking concepts for using and developing interactive and collaborative Internet-based graphics applications.

Software and tools associated with the Multicast Backbone (MBone), Distributed Interactive Simulation (DIS) protocol, Hypertext Transfer (http) protocol, Java and Java3D, the Extensible Markup Language (XML), the Virtual Reality Modeling Language (VRML) and the High Level Architecture (HLA) for Distributed Virtual Environments are demonstrated in this course. Collaborative remote design projects are presented as case studies, followed by first-hand examples of the capabilities and tradeoffs involved when interactive 3D graphics are combined with the World Wide Web and live information streams across the Internet. The speakers also discuss how the SIGGRAPH community is affected by (and can likewise influence) Internet Engineering Task Force (IETF) standards (such as implementations of relevant protocols in the IPv6 suite), the ACM Special Interest Group on Communications (SIGCOMM), the VRML Consortium, and other Internet-related organizations.

#### **Organizer**

Theresa-Marie Rhyne Lockheed Martin/ U.S. EPA Visualization Center

#### Lecturers

Bob Barton

Fraunhofer Center for Research in Computer Graphics

Don Brutzman

Naval Postgraduate School

Mike Macedonia

USA Simulation, Training, and Instrumentation Command

Theresa-Marie Rhyne Lockheed Martin/ U.S. EPA Visualization Center Room 502B

#### Schedule

8:35	Introductory	Remarks
	Rhyne	

9:20 Overview of 3D
Interactive Graphics
Using the Internet
Rhyne

9:50 MBone and Internet based Virtual Environment Demonstration

10 Break

10:15 Internetworked
Graphics: Capabilities,
Shortfalls, Frontiers
Brutzman

11 MBONE and Virtual Environment Demonstration

Noon Lunch

1:30 Integrating IETF
Standards with 3D
Programming
Paradigms & Issues in
Distributed Virtual
Environments
Barton

2:15 Collaborative Virtual Reality Demonstration

3 Break

3:15 Human-Computer
Interaction Issues and A
Taxonomy of Distributed
Virtual Environments
Macedonia

4:30 MBONE and Virtual Environment Demonstration

4:55 Closing Remarks
Rhyne

223D Geometric Compression

Monday Full Day
Beginning Intermediate Advanced

Room 408A

To support Internet access to 3D models of complex virtual environments or assemblies for electronic shopping, collaborative CAD, multi-player video games, and scientific visualization, representations of 3D shapes must be compressed by several orders of magnitude.

This course offers an analysis of storage costs for 3D shape representations and covers several recent schemes for lossy and lossless compression of triangle meshes and more general polyhedra. In addition to single-resolution compression schemes for triangle meshes, which result in compressed formats of less than a byte per triangle, multiresolution progressive refinement approaches are discussed. Along with surface simplification or decimation methods, these approaches, which change the surface topology while approximating the geometry, can be regarded as lossy compression schemes.

#### **Organizers**

Jarek Rossignac Georgia Institute of Technology

Gabriel Taubin IBM T.J. Watson Research Center

#### Lecturers

Michael Deering Sun Microsystems, Inc.

Craig Gotsman
Israel Institute of Technology

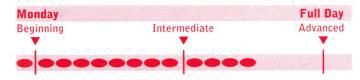
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Jarek Rossignac Georgia Institute of Technology

Gabriel Taubin IBM T.J. Watson Research Center

### Monday 9 August

### 23 Virtual Worlds/Real Sounds



This course covers concepts, models, techniques, and systems for parametric digital synthesis and simulation of real-world sounds and sonic environments. Its goal is to provide well-founded methods and techniques for dealing with sound using parametric computational models. Attendees should leave with the knowledge that there can be more to virtual sonic environments than playback of pre-recorded PCM sounds, and more than attachment of ad hoc echoes and reverberation effects to simulating realistic sonic spaces. The course balances theory, algorithms, and issues in the computation of sound with demonstrations illustrating the use of real-time sound synthesis and processing.

#### Organizer

Perry Cook Princeton University

#### Lecturers

Robin Bargar

University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

Perry Cook Thomas Funkhouser Princeton University

Nadine Miner Sandia National Laboratories

Xavier Serra Pompeu Fabra Universitat

#### Room 408B

#### Schedule

Welcome; Overview/Introduction Cook

Sound in Digital Media, Opening Thoughts Bargar

Views of Sound Cook

Survey of Sound Synthesis Algorithms Serra, Miner, and Cook

Modeling of Spaces Funkhouser

Summary of AM, Preview of CAL Demos Cook

Noon Lunch

Welcome/ Reintroductions Cook

Controlling and Scripting Sound Synthesis Bargar and Cook

Hardware, Software, and Computing Issues Cook, Bargar, Serra, Miner, and Cook

Sound Synthesis/ Processing Systems and Software Funkhouser, Serra, Minder, and Bargar

Measuring Success: Psychoacoustics and Testing Miner

Animation Applications and Demos

Wrap-up Cook

#### 24 A Visual Effects Galaxy

FX Animation & Special Effects



Visual effects are many things to many people. At their most visible, they are the explosion at the apex of a chase scene; a space cruiser doing battle with a starship; a multi-limb leader of an alien universe. But most of the time, visual effects are not noticeable as effects. They are dust at the end of a broom or bubbles at the tail of a submarine. And visual effects are what you don't see: telephone poles and cables removed because they didn't exist in the 17th century; skyscrapers replaced by mountain ranges; the hero's eyes changed from blue to green.

In a comprehensive look at the visual effects industry, members of the Visual Effects Society focus on specific techniques and technologies of the past two decades.

#### Organizers

Pam Hogarth Gnomon, Inc., School of Visual Effects

Jill Smolin Cinesite Visual Effects

#### Moderator

Harrison Ellenshaw

#### Lecturers

Jon Alexander
Tim Alexander
Susan Kelley Andrews
Rod G. Bogart
Carl Frederick
Industrial Light & Magic

Glenn Kennel Cinesite Digital Mastering

David Morehead DreamWorks SKG David Prescott

Digital Domain, Inc.

Brian Rosen Pixar Animation Studios

Scott Singer Pacific Data Images

Tom Smith Cinesite Visual Effects

#### West Hall A

#### Schedule

8:30	Introduction Ellenshaw
8:35	Special Effects, Special Film, Scanning and Recording: The History and Development of Kodak SFX 200T and Invisible Effects Smith and Kennel
9:25	Creating a Digital Tree and Using L-Systems in Production Prescott
10	Break
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10:15 Creating a Digital Tree (continued)
Prescott

10:35 The ILM Fur Rendering System Frederick

Noon Lunch

1:30 Challenges of Scale and Computer Imagery in Antz: Using Effects to Bring Cinematic Detail to a Fully Computer-Generated Film Singer

2:20 Flagrant Abuses of a
Perfectly Nice Texture
System: Defining
Surfaces for Pixar's A
Bug's Life
Rosen

3 Break

3:15 Flagrant Abuses (continued) Rosen

3:30 The Prince of Egypt, Hieroglyph Nightmare Morehead

4:15 The 2D Creative
Process on Star Wars:
Then and Now
J. Alexander,
T. Alexander, Andrews,
Bogart, and Mongovan

5 Closing Comments Ellenshaw

#### 25 Advanced RenderMan: Beyond the Companion



RenderMan has been used by many large and small animation production studios to create high-quality, often photorealistic imagery for television and motion pictures. Much of the power of the system is due to its flexibility and extensibility, which give users the ability to customize the system to fit situations that were not envisioned by the original implementors.

This course goes beyond the basics presented in The RenderMan Companion and teaches advanced tricks and techniques that are being used (or should be) in late-1990s special effects production. It explores examples of successful animations that have made extensive use of RenderMan features, particularly its Shading Language.

#### Organizer

Larry Gritz Pixar Animation Studios

#### Lecturers

Tony Apodaca Ronen Barzel Larry Gritz Pixar Animation Studios

Doug Epps Tippett Studio

Clint Hanson Sony Pictures Imageworks

Scott Johnston Fleeting Image Animation, Inc.

#### Petree Hall D

#### Schedule

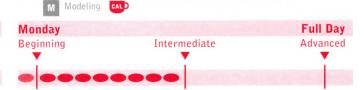
8:30	Welcome and Introduction Apodaca
8:45	Modern Scene Description Paradigms Apodaca
10	Break
10:15	Advanced Shader Writing Techniques Gritz
Noon	Lunch
1:30	Advanced Techniques for CG Lighting Barzel
2:15	RenderMan in the Production Process Epps
3	Break
3:15	Volumetric Shaders for Visual Effects Hanson

Non-photorealistic

Rendering

Johnston

### 26 Simulating Nature: From Theory to Application



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### Organizer

David Ebert	
University of	Maryland, Baltimore
County	

#### Lecturers

David Ebert University of Maryland, Baltimore County

Nick Foster Pacific Data Images

F. Kenton Musgrave MetaCreations

Przemyslaw Prusinkiewicz University of Calgary

Jerry Tessendorf Cinesite Visual Effects

Sophie Vincelette Pixar Animation Studios

#### Petree Hall C

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nowledge of several techniques for		
mulating natural phenomena. It	Schedule	
overs practical aspects, as well as search issues. The presenters sovide both a research and	8:30	Introduction Ebert
oduction perspective on the fficult task of photo-realistic odeling, rendering, and animation natural phenomena. Topics	8:45	Fractal Landscapes in Their Natural Context Musgrave
clude: physics-based approaches r modeling and animating water, aves, and oceanscapes; practical application of fluid dynamics for	9:45	Water More Real Than Real Tessendorf
ater and gas animation;	10	Break
ocedural and physics-based oproaches for modeling smoke od steam; procedural volumetric	10:15	Water More Real Than Real (continued)
chniques for modeling and nimating clouds; grammar-based chniques for modeling plants and ant ecosystems; practical aspects modeling and rendering rich	11	Modeling Rotational Motion in Water and Smoke Foster
ganic environments; and fractal	Noon	Lunch
chniques for simulating ountainous landscapes. The ourse also features a concluding onel session in which the speakers scuss research directions, explore	1:30	Procedural Volumetric Cloud Modeling and Animation Ebert
isolved problems, and discuss new	2:30	Modeling Plants and

3:45

#### Modeling Plants and 3:15 Plant Ecosystems (continued)

Plant Ecosystems

Prusinkiewicz

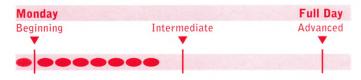
Looking Over a Four
Leaf Clover: Strategies
in Dressing Natural
Environments in A
Bug's Life
Vincelette

4:45 Panel Session / Questions and Answers All

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### Monday 9 August

#### 27 Smart(er) Animated Agents FX Animation & Special Effects



Room 515A

As real-time characters become almost commonplace, the next challenge is to make those characters interact with real people. Interactions should be through the modalities that real people share, especially language, gesture, and shared perceptions of the world. This course explores several ways to give real-time, animated, embodied characters more intelligence and communication skills so that they can act, react, make decisions, and take initiatives. It also addresses applications to collaborative groups, interactive training, and smarter games.

#### Organizer

Norm Badler University of Pennsylvania

#### Lecturers

Justine Cassell Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Barbara Hayes-Roth Stanford University

W. Lewis Johnson Jeff Rickel University of Southern California

James Lester North Carolina State University

#### 283D Photography



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Brian Curless University of Washington

Paul Debevec University of California, Berkeley

Marc Levoy Stanford University

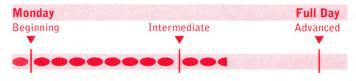
Steven Seitz Carnegie Mellon University

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d scenes. While optical cameras easure visible light radiated from scene, 3D photography systems	8:30	Introduction Curless
easure scene geometry and color. ombining these two technologies	8:50	Acquiring Images Curless and Seitz
is the potential to change the ce of computer graphics by oviding an effective means of instructing graphical scenes of	9:35	Overview of Passive Vision Techniques Seitz
paralleled detail and realism.	10	Break
nis course presents the current ate of the art in 3D photography	10:15	Façade: Modeling Architectural Scenes Debevec
nd describes the principles behind number of current techniques. eading researchers in the field troduce the fundamental	11:20	Voxel-based Techniques for Reconstruction Seitz
ncepts, survey a variety of chniques, examine in detail a few	Noon	Lunch
ccessful approaches at the refront of 3D photography, then view optical methods, including	1:30	Overview of Attractive Vision Techniques Curless
ereo vision, photogrammetry, ructured light, and laser range anners. The course provides a	2:10	Desktop 3D Photography Bouguet
rum for presenting a range of fferent techniques and discussing e relative merits and weaknesses current approaches.	2:50	Shape and Appearance from Images and Range Data Curless
rganizers	3	Break
rian Curless niversity of Washington	3:15	Shape and Appearance from Images and Range Data (continued)
even Seitz arnegie Mellon University	3:50	Application: The Digital Michelangelo Project Levoy
ecturers ean-Yves Bouguet		Levoy
alifornia Institute of Technology	4:40	Discussion: 3D Cameras and the Future of

Photography

All

## 29 Advanced Graphics Programming Techniques Using



Room 152

Schedule

Introduction

Visual Simulation

Graphics Special

Image Processing

Scientific Visualization

**Production Graphics** 

Simulating Natural

Summary, Questions,

Phenomena

and Answers

All

Grantham

McReynolds

Blythe

Blythe

CAD I

Nelson

Break

Effects

Nelson

Lunch

CAD II

Blythe

Break

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McReynolds

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This course focuses on practical solutions to domain-specific graphics application problems, with an emphasis on techniques for interactive graphics running on mainstream graphics hardware. Topics are drawn from the major graphics application areas, including CAD, visual simulation, gaming, image processing, scientific visualization, and special effects.

In this course, attendees:

- · Strengthen their understanding of both the theory of core computer graphics concepts, by seeing them applied, and the practice of graphics programming techniques, through examples that increase image realism.
- · Create special effects.
- · Solve domain-specific rendering problems.
- · Improve their analytical skills by learning how to identify and evaluate multiple approaches to solving rendering problems, and to analyze code examples that generate high-quality graphics images.
- · Gain greater insight into the capabilities of OpenGL itself.
- · Learn how to use OpenGL as a tool to solve challenging rendering problems.

#### Organizer

David Blythe SGI

#### Lecturers

David Blythe **Brad Grantham** SGI

Tom McReynolds Gigapixel, Inc.

Scott R. Nelson Intel Corporation

### Tuesday 10 August

### 30 An Interactive Introduction to OpenGL



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These tutorial programs run on any computer that supports OpenGL. Using interactive tutorial programs, instructors demonstrate how OpenGL processes geometry and transformations, specifies material and lighting properties, computes fog, and maps textures to geometry.

Organizer Dave Shreiner SGI

Lecturers Edward Angel University of New Mexico

Dave Shreiner SGI

Mason Woo World Wide Woo

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Angel 2:30 Rasterization and Fragment Operations Shreiner

Welcome & OpenGL

Elementary Rendering

Immediate Mode vs.

Matrix Transformations

Introduction

Display Lists

Angel

Break

Woo

Lighting

Shreiner

3:15 Framebuffers Angel

Break

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Pixel Operations and Imaging Shreiner

4:30 Feedback and Picking Woo 4:45

Summary, Questions and Answers All

### Tuesday 10 August

## 31 Why Does it Do That? 10 Mysteries of Computer Artmaking Revealed A Art



Learn the concepts behind solutions to 10 common frustrations faced by virtually all artists and designers who use computers, such as:

"Why does my printout look so different from the image on my screen?"

"What resolution should I use for scanning?"

"What exactly does interpolation mean and how is it related to gradients, 3D shading, and animation?"

These concepts are taught from an artist-and-designer point of view using visual explanations and live demonstrations of popular software packages. Attendees also review relevant work by practicing computer artists who have harnessed this new medium in creative, effective ways.

#### **Organizer**

Anne Spalter Brown University

#### Lecturer

Anne Spalter Brown University

#### Room 515B

#### Schedule

1:30 What Am I Really
Seeing When I "Zoom
In"?
Spalter

Why Do My Smooth, Seamless Screen Images Print Out Looking Grainy? Spalter

Why Does the White Space in My Digital Painting Make My File Larger? Spalter

What Exactly Does "Size" Mean in the Digital Painting and Photo-Editing World? Spalter

What Resolution Should I Scan at and Why? Spalter

What Do Filters Really Do?
Spalter

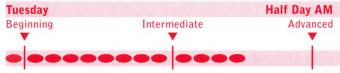
What is the Difference Between "Paint" and "Draw" Programs? Spalter

How Can I Combine the Best of Paint and Draw Techniques? Spalter

Why Do Color Printouts Look So Different From Color on the Screen? Spalter

Why Does an Image that Looks Fine on One Platform Often Look Too Light or Dark on Another? Spalter

#### 32 CPU Extensions for Graphics and Video



CPU developers have taken the next step in the evolution of CPU design with the inclusion of SIMD floating point instructions on mainstream CPU's. This course provides an overview of the two main CPU extension sets aimed at accelerating 3D graphics and video: 3DNow! and Katmai New Instructions (KNI). A general overview of both technologies and a discussion of the documents, tools, and example code that are available prepare attendees to make their own plans for software development and optimization.

This course assumes some familiarity with CPU architecture, including concepts such as processor cache, instruction fetch, instruction decode, execution units, arithmetic/logic unit (ALU), branch prediction logic, cycle counts, latency, throughput, single-instruction/multiple data (SIMD) instructions, etc. The ability to read C code is recommended. Programming experience with assembly language (particularly x86 assembly language) is very helpful.

#### Organizer

Randi Rost 3Dlabs, Inc.

#### Lecturers

Richard Brunner Intel Corporation

David Kaplowitz Advanced Micro Devices, Inc.

Randi Rost 3Dlabs, Inc.

#### Room 515B

#### Schedule

8:30 Introduction
Rost

8:40 3DNow! Technology
Overview
Kaplowitz

10 Break

10:15 Streaming SIMD
Extensions Technology
Overview
Brunner

11:15 Developing High-Performance Software with 3DNow! And SSE Rost

11:55 Wrap-Up and Questions

#### 33 Modeling Techniques for Medical Applications



Petree Hall C

This course demonstrates the state of the art in interactive and realtime modeling in educational and clinical medical applications where graphical representations of organ anatomy and physiology are necessary. Applications include modeling the shape and motion of the heart; brain data registration for surgery; abdominal, laparoscopic, and liver surgery; modeling of breasts and soft tissue; registration methods for prostate cancer; blood flow simulation; modeling of joints, skin, and muscles for animation; organ visualization and segmentation methods; and haptic interfaces.

Modeling

#### Organizer

Dimitris Metaxas University of Pennsylvania

#### Lecturers

Nicholas Ayache INRIA

James S. Duncan Yale University

Sarah F.F. Gibson Mitsubishi Electric Research Lab

Eric Grimson

Massachusetts Institute of Technology and Harvard University

Ron Kikinis

Brigham and Women's Hospital and Harvard Medical School

Nadia Magnenat Thalmann University of Geneva

Dimitris N. Metaxas University of Pennsylvania

### 34 Developing Shared Virtual Environments

Interactive Techniques

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#### Organizer

Michael Capps Naval Postgraduate School

#### Lecturers

Michael Capps Kent Watsen Mike Zyda Naval Postgraduate School

David Anderson

Howard Abrams

Mitsubishi Electric Research Lab

Chris Greenhalgh Nottingham University

Katherine Morse SAIC/DMS0

Sandeep Singhal IBM Corporation

#### Room 502B

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tual environment (VE) plications. The morning "design" sion begins with an introduction	8:30	Introduction Capps
the history of shared VE relopment and the evolution path today's architectures. Because	8:55	History of Shared VR Systems Zyda
signing a shared virtual reality  Dication requires a series of  Dices that have important effects	9:25	Software Architectures Watsen
on performance and function, the	10	Break
urse investigates issues in tware architectures, awareness nagement techniques, graphics	10:15	Network Architectures Capps
Is, object sharing, and object eroperability. The afternoon	10:45	Interest Management Greenhalgh
nplementation" session teaches endees how to build shared VE plications quickly and easily, by eraging development with pre-	11:25	Managing Dynamic Shared State Singhal
sting toolkits. Several popular	Noon	Lunch
kages are reviewed in detail m the point of view of the blication builder. The designers of se toolkits provide in-depth	1:30	Introduction to Implementing Shared VE Systems Capps
orials on using their systems for ximum benefit.	1:45	MASSIVE/ DIVE

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Bamboo

Abrams & Watsen

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Systems Morse

3:15 Internet Deployment and Language Choice

Singhal

4:15 OpenCommunity /

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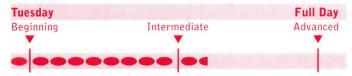
4:45 Conclusion

Capps

### Tuesday 10 August

#### 35 Motion Editing: Principles, Practice, and Promise

FX Animation & Special Effects



Motion editing techniques allow existing motions to be changed to meet new needs. Using these techniques, animators can fix imperfect motions, reuse motions from a library in multiple settings, and dynamically generate motions for interactive environments. This course begins its survey of recent technologies for motion editing by analyzing actual motion editing problems, then reviews the mathematical foundations for animation as a common vocabulary for discussing editing techniques. Some recent motion editing technologies, such as signal processing and space-time constraints, are introduced in a manner that presents their theory, implementation, and practical application. The course also reviews the relationship among various motion editing tools and how they can be integrated.

#### Organizer

Michael Gleicher University of Wisconsin, Madison

#### Lecturers

Barton Gawboy Mark Schafe Anohana Production Management

Michael Gleicher

University of Wisconsin, Madison

Zoran Popovic Carnegie Mellon University

Jeffrey Thingvold LambSoft, Inc.

### West Hall A

#### Schedule

8:30	Welcome and Introduction Gleicher
8:45	Demystifying Motion Animation Gawboy

9:45 Representing Characters and Motions 1 Grassia

10 Break

10:15 Representing Characters and Motions 2 Grassia

11 Motion Editing and Signal Processing Gleicher

Lunch Noon

1:30 Motion Editing Tools Thingvold

2:15 Motion Creation with Editing in Mind Schafer

3 Break

3:15 Motion Transformations with Spacetime Constraints

Gleicher

3:45 Physically-Based **Motion Transformations** Popovic

4:30 Panel Discussions All

#### 36 Physically Based Modeling

Modeling

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Physically based modeling has become an important new approach to computer animation and computer graphics modeling. This course is targeted at researchers and implementors who wish to develop a solid understanding of physical methods as applied to animation and modeling. The material is of particular interest to those who wish to implement physically base modeling techniques, and/or to rea and critically appraise technical papers in the area.

The primary goal for this course i straightforward: to teach participants to actually do physically based modeling. Bolstered by the extensive course notes, the student with good basic implementation skills should be able to implement the techniques presented, not by rote but confidently and with understanding Course presentations favor visual, spatial explanations (including numerous examples on video) over formal symbol manipulation wherever feasible.

### Organizer

David Baraff Pixar Animation Studios

#### Lecturers

Michael Kass Andrew Witkin Pixar Animation Studios

#### Room 502A

	Schedule	
	8:30	Introduction
,o Is	8:45	Differential Equation Basics Witkin
15	9:30	Particle Dynamics Witkin
	10	Break
ed ad	10:15	Rigid Body Dynamics I Baraff
	11:15	Constrained Dynamics Witkin
is	Noon	Lunch
	1:30	Implicit Methods of Cloth Simulation Kass and Baraff
5	2:30	Collision Detection Baraff and Kass
	3	Break
ng.	3:15	Rigid Body Dynamics II Baraff
r	4	Tips, Tricks, and Hacks Witkins, Baraff, and Kass

#### 37 Subdivision for Modeling and Animation

Modeling FX Animation & Special Effects

Tuesday **Full Day** Beginning Intermediate Advanced

Room 515 A

Foundations I: Basic

Schroder and Zorin

Foundations I: Basic

Evaluation and Survey

of Subdivision Schemes

Multiresolution Meshes

A Variational Approach

Variational Subdivision

Subdivision Surfaces in

the Making of Geri's

Ideas (continued)

Foundations II:

Stam and Zorin

Implementing

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to Subdivision

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Subdivision is an algorithmic technique for generating smooth surfaces as a sequence of successively refined polyhedral meshes. Subdivision algorithms are exceptionally simple, they work for arbitrary control meshes, and they produce globally smooth surfaces. Special choices of subdivision rules allow for the introduction of features into a surface in a simple way. Subdivision-based representations of complex geometry can be manipulated and rendered very efficiently, which makes subdivision a highly suitable tool for interactive animation and modeling systems.

This course covers the basic ideas of subdivision and a variety of different subdivision schemes. It details their properties, reviews their suitability for particular applications, and compares their relative merits. Strong emphasis is placed on practical issues. At the end of the course attendees are well prepared to implement the basic techniques as well as delve into the research literature on the subject.

#### Organizer

Denis Zorin New York University

#### Lecturers

Tony DeRose Pixar Animation Studios

Leif Kobbelt Universität Erlangen

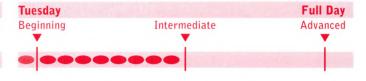
Peter Schröder California Institute of Technology

Jos Stam Alias|Wavefront

Joe Warren Rice University

Denis Zorin New York University

### 38 Haptics: From Basic Principles to Advanced Applications



its history, techniques, and recent advances, with a particular emphasis on applications. The first half of the course is a basic introduction to haptic devices, human psychophysics, haptic rendering techniques, and implementation issues. The second half covers several advanced application areas, including assembly and path planning, modeling deformable objects, telemanipulation, scientific applications, and modeling and rendering volumetric objects. The morning and afternoon sessions conclude with hands-on

#### Organizer

Ricardo Avila General Electric Company

#### Lecturers

General Electric Company

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Thomas Massie Dan Staples SensAble Technologies

Diego Ruspini Stanford University

Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Russell Taylor University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

A thorough introduction to haptics: demonstrations.

Ricardo Avila

Cagatay Basdogan

Kenneth Salisbury

#### Schedule

8:30	Introduction Salisbury
9:15	Haptic Modeling and Rendering Ruspini
10	Break
10:15	Implementation Staples
Noon	Lunch
1:30	Volume Haptics Avila
2:30	Deformable Objects Basdogan
3	Break
3:15	Telemanipulation Salisbury
3:45	Scientific Applications Taylor
4:15	Advanced Applications Demonstration Massie

### Tuesday 10 August

### 39 Image-Based Modeling, Rendering, and Lighting

#### Tuesday Full Day Beginning Intermediate Advanced

Room 152

Schedule

Introduction and

Image Formation

Fundamentals and

Accelerate Rendering

**Determining Geometry** 

Using IBMR to

Overview

Debevec

Sillion

Break

Szeliski

Warping

McMillan

Lumigraph

Representatives

Lunch

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Debevec

Break

Bregler

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LDI and Lightfield /

Image-Based Lighting

Applications of IBMR in

Applications of IBMR in

Questions and Dialog

**Human Animation** 

Art and Cinema

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Image-based modeling and rendering differs from traditional graphics in that both the geometry and appearance of the scene are derived from real photographs. The techniques often allow for shorter modeling times, faster rendering speeds, and unprecedented levels of photorealism. This course explains and demonstrates a variety of ways of turning images into models and then back into renderings, including movie maps, panoramas, image warping, photogrammetry, light fields, and 3D scanning.

Topics include: computer vision and how it relates to image-based rendering techniques, and how to apply the techniques to animation and 3D navigation. The course also shows how global illumination techniques allow photorealistic modifications of image-based models and illustrates results from recent research and creative applications.

#### **Organizer**

Paul Debevec University of California, Berkeley

#### Lecturers

Christoph Bregler Stanford University

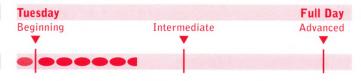
Michael F. Cohen Richard Szeliski Microsoft Research

Paul Debevec University of California, Berkeley

Leonard McMillan Massachusetts Institute of Technology

François X. Sillion French National Institute for Computer Science and Control

#### 40 Introduction to Programming With Java3D



Petree Hall D

Java3D is a new cross-platform API for developing 3D graphics applications in Java. Its feature set is designed to enable quick development of complex 3D applications and, at the same time, enable fast and efficient implementation on a variety of platforms, from PCs to workstations. Using Java3D, software developers can build cross-platform applications that build 3D scenes programmatically, or via loading 3D content from VRML, OBJ, and/or other external files. The Java3D API includes a rich feature set for building shapes, composing behaviors, interacting with the user, and controlling rendering details. In this course, participants learn the concepts behind Java3D, the Java3D class hierarchy, typical usage patterns, ways of avoiding common mistakes, animation and scene design techniques, and tricks for increasing performance and realism.

#### Organizer

Henry Sowizral Sun Microsystems, Inc.

#### Lecturers

David R. Nadeau San Diego Supercomputer Center and University of California, San Diego

Henry Sowizral

Schedule 8:30 Section 1 Introduction, Scene Graphs, Shapes, Appearance Building 3D content with a scene graph; building 3D shapes; controlling appearance 10 Break 10:15 Section 2 Groups, Transforms, Texture Mapping, Lighting Grouping shapes; transforming shapes; using special-purpose groups; introducing texture mapping; using texture coordinates; using raster geometry; lighting the environment

Noon Lunch 1:30 Section 3 Universes, Viewing, Input, Behaviors Building a virtual universe; introducing the view model; viewing the scene; building a simple universe; using input devices; creating behaviors

3 Break

1:30

Section 4 Interpolators, Picking, Backgrounds, Fog Creating interpolator behaviors; using specialized behaviors; picking shapes; creating back grounds; working with fog; conclusions

Sun Microsystems, Inc.

#### 41 Volume Graphics Rendering

Full Day Tuesday Intermediate Advanced Beginning

Room 408B

Morning: Fundamentals

Introduction to Volume

Volume Sampling and

and Modeling

Graphics

Kaufman

Voxelization

Distance Volumes

Volume Modeling and

Medical Applications

Afternoon: Rendering

Introduction to Volume

Real-Time Ray Casting

Volume Deformation

Volume Haptics

Terrain Applications

and Manipulation

Rendering and

Manipulation

Kaufman

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Volume graphics is an approach to handling conventional graphics applications with volumetric techniques. This course provides an overview of volume graphics, with a focus on volume modeling, volume manipulation, volume rendering, and their applications. It is divided into two portions structured as two half-day courses. The morning is devoted to fundamentals of volume graphics, modeling, and associated applications. The afternoon is devoted to volume rendering, manipulation, and associated applications. The course covers the technology and several major applications, available tools and techniques, the challenges confronting the field of volume graphics, and some of the advanced topics in the field.

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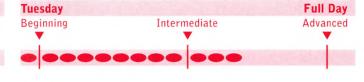
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Ari Kaufman Milos Sramek State University of New York at Stony Brook

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#### 42 Color Science for Film, Video, and CGI



Introduction to the science behind image digitization, tone reproduction, and color reproduction in film, studio video, and computer generated imagery (CGI). It explains and demonstrates the color science that underlies each of these domains and details how color is represented and processed as images are transferred among them. Topics include the different forms of nonlinear coding used in film, video, and CGI; why one system's RGB does not necessarily match the RGB of another system; color measurement instruments such as densitometers and colorimeters; monitor calibration; and color management technology. This course is suitable for people who have no fear of mathematics and who are experienced in creating or

#### Organizer

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Room 151 Schedule 8:30 Basic Principles Poynton Luminance, Lightness, and Gamma Poynton 9:45 Raster Images in Computing Poynton 10 Break 10:15 Raster Images in Computing (continued) 10:45 Raster Images in Computing (continued) Poynton 11:15 Printing Noon Lunch 1:30 Color Science for Video Poynton manipulating digital images. 3 Break 3:15 Constant Luminance Poynton 4 Luma, Color

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# Tuesday 10 August

# 43 Impact Papers/Course Sessions



These Papers were selected by the Papers Committee for extended presentation in a Course session and will also be presented in the Papers session. They were chosen based on the overall impact they are expected to make in computer graphics and interactive techniques.

West Hall B 1:30 - 5 pm

# **Graphical Modeling and Animation of Brittle Fracture**



In 1998, the use of simulated motion in several commercial animations demonstrated that passive simulation is a powerful technique for animating secondary motions. This paper augments techniques for simulation of flexible objects by including models for crack initiation and propagation in three-dimensional volumes. By analyzing the stress tensors computed over a finite element model, the simulation determines where cracks should initiate and in what directions they should propagate.

James F. O'Brien Jessica K. Hodgins Georgia Institute of Technology

(See Papers: Fluids & Fracture, Wednesday, 11 August, 4:15 - 6 pm)

# A Morphable Model for the Synthesis of 3D Faces

A new technique for modeling textured 3D faces. Three-dimensional faces can either be generated automatically from one or more photographs, or modeled directly through an intuitive user interface. Users are assisted in two key problems of computer-aided face modeling.

First, new face images or new 3D face models can be registered automatically by computing dense one-to-one correspondence to an internal face model. Second, the approach regulates the naturalness of modeled faces, avoiding faces with an "unlikely" appearance.

Volker Blanz Thomas Vetter Max Planck Institute for Biological Cybernetics

(See Papers: Data Captures Inverse Modeling, Thursday, 12 August, 10:30 am - 12:15 pm)

# Teddy: A Sketching Interface for 3D Freeform Design

A sketching interface for quickly and easily designing freeform models such as stuffed animals and other rotund objects. The user draws several 2D freeform strokes interactively on the screen, and the system automatically constructs plausible 3D polygonal surfaces. The system supports several modeling operations, including construction of a 3D polygonal surface from a 2D silhouette drawn by the user.

Takeo Igarashi Hidehiko Tanaka University of Tokyo

Satoshi Matsuoka Tokyo Institute of Technology

(See Papers: Interactive Techniques, Friday, 13 August, 2:15 - 4 pm)

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# Papers & Panels

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Hours

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# Wednesday 11 August

10:30 am - 12:15 pm

**Papers** 

West Hall A

Animation [X

Animation & Special Effects

#### Chair

Michiel Van de Panne University of Toronto

# **Physically Based Motion Transformation**

Zoran Popovic Carnegie Mellon University Andrew Witkin Pixar Animation Studios

# Voice Puppetry

Matthew Brand

Mitsubishi Electric Research Laboratory

# Cognitive Modeling: Knowledge, Reasoning and Planning for Intelligent Characters

John Funge Xiaoyuan Tu Intel Corporation Demetri Terzopoulos University of Toronto

# A Hierarchical Approach to Interactive Motion Editing for Human-Like Figures CAL

Jehee Lee Sung Yong Shin Korea Advanced Institute of Science and Technology

Panel West Hall B

# Hot Topics in Graphics Hardware

Leading graphics hardware designers discuss hot topics and the state of the art. Panelists include participants in the Graphics Hardware Workshop held earlier in the week and influential players in the graphics hardware industry.

#### Organizer

Nick England University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

# Panelist Selection Committee

Steve Molnar Bengt-Olaf Schneider Graphics Hardware Workshop Chairs

Gunter Knittel and Hanspeter Pfister Graphics Hardware Workshop Papers Chairs

Petree Hall C Panel

# How to Cheat and Get Away With It: What Computer Graphics Can Learn from Perceptual Psychology



II Interactive Techniques

Visual perception and visual representation are intricately related, with research in each of these areas benefiting from and potentially facilitating research in the other. This panel provides a forum for wider exchange of information and ideas between researchers in psychology, who are using computer graphics to facilitate their investigations into the fundamental processes of visual perception, and researchers in computer graphics, who are using insights from psychology to guide the development of algorithms and approaches for more effective visual representation.

#### **Organizers**

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#### **Panelists**

David Brainard University of California, Santa Barbara Heinrich Buelthoff Max Planck Institute for Biological Cybernetics James A. Ferwerda Cornell University Pawan Sinha University of Wisconsin

# Wednesday 11 August

2:15 - 4 pm

**Papers** West Hall A

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Michael Lounsbery Alias|Wavefront

# **Robust Mesh Watermarking**

Emil Praun Adam Finkelstein Princeton University Hugues Hoppe Microsoft Research

# Interpolating Nets of Curves by Smooth **Subdivision Surfaces**

Adi Levin Tel Aviv University

# ArtDefo Accurate Real Time Deformable Objects CALD

Doug James Dinesh K. Pai University of British Columbia Panel West Hall B

# CG Crowds: The Emergence of the Digital Extra FX Animation & Special Effects

From stampeding dinosaurs to crawling ants, crowds have been used more and more in film production in recent years. Beyond behavioral simulation, what are the challenges of creating a crowd system for use in a feature film? How usable is a pure behavioral system, and how much "manual" control must be provided when the goal is to create crowds that help tell a story? How do you simulate and render the behavior of thousands of characters? This panel compares some of the solutions implemented for a number of different feature films.

#### Moderator

Juan Buhler Pacific Data Images

# **Panelists**

Jonathan Gibbs Pacific Data Images Christophe Hery Industrial Light & Magic Dale McBeath Pixar Animation Studios Saty Raghavachary DreamWorks SKG

Petree Hall C **Papers** 

# Perception & Lighting

Chair

Gary Meyer University of Oregon

# A Perceptually Based Physical Error Metric for Realistic Image Synthesis

Mahesh Ramasubramanian Sumanta N. Pattanaik Donald P. Greenberg Cornell University

# LCIS: A Boundary Hierarchy for Detail-**Preserving Contrast Reduction**

Jack Tumblin Greg Turk Georgia Institute of Technology

# A Practical Analytic Model for Daylight

A.J. Preetham Peter Shirley Brian E. Smits University of Utah

#### **Diffraction Shaders**

Jos Stam Alias|Wavefront

# Wednesday 11 August

4:15 - 6 pm

Papers West Hall A

Fluids & Fracture

Chair

Chuck Hansen University of Utah

# Subdivision Schemes for Fluid Flow

Henrik Weimer Joe Warren Rice University

Stable Fluids

Jos Stam Alias|Wavefront

Computational Fluid Dynamics in a **Traditional Animation Environment** 

FX Animation & Special Effects

Patrick Witting DreamWorks SKG

# **Graphical Modeling and Animation of Brittle** Fracture

Animation & Special Effects

James F. O'Brien Jessica K. Hodgins Georgia Institute of Technology

Panel Petree Hall C

# Natural and Invisible Human Interfaces



Huge advances in interface modalities are evident and imminent. This panel demonstrates and explores the most interesting, promising, and clever of these new developments, and their integration into exciting multimodel systems. Panelists take positions ranging from incremental to radical, and emphasize demonstrable and practical techniques.

#### Organizer

Michael Harris Bear Systems, Inc.

#### **Panelists**

Bill Buxton Alias|Wavefront Caleb Chung Giving Toys, Inc. Clark Dodsworth Osage Associates Hiroshi Ishii Massachusetts Institute of Technology

#### Panel West Hall B

# 3D Tracking in FX Production: Blurring the Line Between the Virtual and the

Real FX Animation & Special Effects

We are about to see an explosion of 3D tracking applications and related technologies. This panel reveals how the technology is being used today in film production and looks into the future to predict how its use will increase and expand.

Though its roots go back at least 20 years in image processing techniques, 3D tracking is exerting a very direct impact on today's visual effects industry. The Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences presented two Technical Achievement Awards this year to developers (both are on the panel) of 3D tracking technology.

#### Moderator

Richard Hollander Rhythm & Hues Studios

# Organizer

Jacquelyn Ford Morie Rhythm & Hues Studios

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# Thursday 12 August

8:30 - 10:15 am

#### Papers West Hall A

Efficient Lighting R

Rendering

Chair

Tomoyuki Nishita University of Tokyo

# **Direct Illumination With Lazy Visibility Evaluation**

David Hart Philip Dutré Donald P. Greenberg Cornell University

#### **Computing Exact Shadow Irradiance Using** Splines

Michael M. Stark Elaine Cohen Richard F. Riesenfeld University of Utah Tom Lyche University of Oslo

# Reflection-Space Image Based Rendering

Brian Cabral Marc Olano Phil Nemec SGI

# Realistic, Hardware-Accelerated Shading and Lighting CAL

Wolfgang Heidrich Hans-Peter Seidel Universität Erlangen

# Tracing Ray Differentials



Homan Igehy Stanford University

# Thursday 12 August

8:30 - 10:15 am

Panel West Hall B

# Research and Development for Film Production

What exactly does it mean to research and develop internal technologies in film production companies? Why are these companies investing in creative technical staff, and how do they manage to push the technical envelope while satisfying concrete production needs?

Beyond the creation of exciting new visuals, production companies also face the challenge of reinventing new production methodologies to better take advantage of the flexibility of digital production infrastructures. The main issue is to find a good balance in this complex alchemy of business, art, and science. Through presentations and discussions, this panel allows key technologists to share their views on the subject and survey the various philosophies and strategies that they implement to integrate digital technology as a fundamental part of the production process.

# **Organizer**

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# **Panelists**

Keith Goldfarb Rhythm & Hues Studios Ed Leonard DreamWorks SKG Darwyn Peachey Pixar Animation Studios Ken Pearce Pacific Data Images Enrique Santos Digital Domain, Inc. Paul Yanover Disney Feature Animation Panel Petree Hall C

# Visualizing Large-Scale Datasets: Challenges and Opportunities

Despite unprecedented growth in the volume of data from both computational simulations and instrument/sensor sources, our ability to manipulate, explore, and understand large datasets is lagging behind. Visualization transforms raw data into vivid 2D or 3D images that help scientists reveal important features and trends in the data, convey ideas, and communicate their findings. However, the massive data volumes create new challenges for visualization researchers and industry, and make previous visualization approaches impractical. The new generation of visualization methods must scale well with the growing data volumes and cope with other parts of the data analysis pipeline, such as storage and display devices.

To accelerate development of new data manipulation and visualization methods for massive datasets, the National Science Foundation and the US Department of Energy have sponsored a series of workshops on relevant topics. This panel discusses the data and visualization concepts that have emerged from the workshop series, including innovations in data handling, representations, telepresence, and visualization.

# Organizer

Kwan-Liu Ma University of California, Davis

#### Moderator

John Van Rosendale US Department of Energy

# Panelists

Stephen Eick

Visual Insights/Lucent Technologies
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Philip Heermann Sandia National Laboratory
Christopher Johnson University of Utah
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Computational Engineering International, Inc.

# **Thursday 12 August**

10:30 am - 12:15 pm

# Papers West Hall A

# **Data Captures Inverse Modeling**



Modeling

#### Chair

Markus Gross Swiss Federal Institute of Technology

# A Morphable Model for the Synthesis of 3D Faces

Volker Blanz Thomas Vetter Max Planck Institute for Biological Cybernetics

#### Creating Generative Models From Range Images

Ravi Ramamoorthi Stanford University James Arvo California Institute of Technology

#### **Environment Matting and Compositing**

Douglas E. Zongker Dawn M. Werner Brian Curless David H. Salesin University of Washington

# Inverse Global Illumination: Recovering Reflectance Models of Real Scenes From Photographs

Yizhou Yu Paul Debevec Jitendra Malik Tim Hawkins University of California, Berkeley

# Thursday 12 August

10:30 am - 12:15 pm

Panel West Hall B

# Scene Graph APIs: Wired or Tired?

Following widespread adoption and use, the scene graph model has proven to be a popular and powerful development tool, because it enables rapid creation of portable and efficient graphics applications. Unfortunately, not all applications fit within the boundaries imposed by a scene graph model. This panel examines issues related to scene graph technology.

#### Organizer

Wes Bethel

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#### **Panelists**

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# Papers

Petree Hall C

# **Texturing**



R Rendering

# Chair

Luiz Velho

Instituto de Matematica Pura e Aplicada

#### Modeling and Rendering of Weathered Stone



Julie Dorsey Alan Edelman Justin Legakis Henrik Wann Jensen Hans Køhling Pedersen Massachusetts Institute of Technology

# **Pattern-Based Texturing Revisited**

Fabrice Neyret Marie-Paule Cani iMAGIS/GRAVIR

# Feline: Fast Elliptical Lines for Anisotropic **Texture Mapping**

Joel McCormack Keith I. Farkas Norman P. Jouppi Compaq Computer Corporation Ronald Perry Mitsubishi Electric Research Laboratory

# Thursday 12 August

2:15 - 4 pm

# **Papers**

# Hardware

# Chair

Steve Molnar NVIDIA Corporation

# The VolumePro Real-Time Ray-Casting System CALD

Hanspeter Pfister Jan Hardenbergh Jim Knittel Hugh Lauer Larry Seiler

Mitsubishi Electric Research Laboratory

# **Deep Compression for Streaming Texture Intensive Animations**

Daniel Cohen-Or Yair Mann Shachar Fleishman Tel Aviv University

# Optimization of Mesh Locality for **Transparent Vertex Caching**

Hugues Hoppe Microsoft Research

# Fast Computation of Generalized Voronoi Diagrams Using Graphics Hardware

Kenneth Hoff Tim Culver John Keyser Ming Lin Dinesh Manocha University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

#### Panel West Hall B

# Get Real! Global Illumination for Film, **Broadcast, and Game Production**



West Hall A

R Rendering

In this new era of computer-generated virtual sets and environments, the stakes are raised if we hope to mix and match reality with synthetic imagery. This panel discusses the practical implications of using global illumination techniques to deliver realism in film, broadcast, and game production. Panelists reveal specific tricks of the trade for using global illumination programs to create highly realistic virtual environments. They review successful examples of fabricated realism in the entertainment industry from an historical standpoint and discuss case studies with industry representatives.

#### Organizer

Stuart Feldman Discreet Logic

#### **Panelists**

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#### Petree Hall C Panel

# **Experiential Computer Art**



Is interactive computer art at the forefront of contemporary art, or is this an esoteric medium that indulges only a few? Where is it going? Where has it been? This panel attempts to answer these questions and begin a dialogue with the audience on issues surrounding interactive computer installations as an artform.

#### Organizer

Lucy Petrovich University of Arizona

#### **Panelists**

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# Thursday 12 August

4:15 - 6 pm

# Papers West Hall A

# **Image-Based Rendering**

# Chair

Leonard McMillan Massachusetts Institute of Technology

#### A Real-Time Low-Latency Hardware Light-Field Renderer

Matthew Regan Gavin Miller Steven Rubin Chris Kogelnik Interval Research Corporation

# LDI Tree: A Hierarchical Representation for Image-Based Rendering

Chun-Fa Chang Gary Bishop Anselmo Lastra University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

# Rendering with Concentric Mosaics



Heung-Yeung Shum Li-Wei He Microsoft Research

#### Automatic Image Placement to Provide a Guaranteed Frame Rate

Daniel G. Aliaga Bell Labs Anselmo Lastra University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

# Panel West Hall B

# Visual Effects: Incredible Effects vs. Credible Science



Animation & Special Effects

Can visual effects balance scientific truthfulness, art, and storytelling? Scientific research, exploration, and journalism have given the public access to an extraordinary amount of information and imagery. The minute our audience says, "I don't believe it," we've lost our credibility and their attention. As a result, directors are holding visual effects supervisors to an even higher standard. The fantastic gains in software and imagery quickly become old news. Digital artists and software developers scramble to deliver a better product.

How should we educate our digital artists to meet the challenge? Should science drive the art of storytelling and film? Is it OK to break the rules of science for creative purposes? The quality of our images has also raised an ethical question in a world drenched with media. The line between journalism and entertainment is blurred. What seems real is not always truthful.

#### Organizer

George Suhayda Sony Pictures Imageworks

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# Panel Petree Hall C

# How SIGGRAPH Research is Utilized in Games

Game developers are always looking for methods to improve performance and visual appeal. To that end, research results presented at the annual SIGGRAPH conference are closely analyzed by developers of interactive games for their applicability. In this panel, leading game developers explain the advances in game graphics they have achieved by applying recent research results and discuss promising graphics technologies.

#### Moderator

Chris Hecker definition six, Inc.

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#### **Panelists**

Seamus Blackley Microsoft Corporation Peter Lincroft Ansible Software, Inc. Casey Muratori Gas Powered Games Michael 'Saxs' Persson Shiny Entertainment

# Friday 13 August

8:30 - 10:15 am

Papers West Hall A

# Meshes & Morphing



# Chair

Hugues Hoppe Microsoft Research

#### **Implicit Fairing of Irregular Meshes Using Diffusion and Curvature Flow**

Mathieu Desbrun Mark Meyer Peter Schröder Al Barr

California Institute of Technology

# **Multiresolution Signal Processing for**

Igor Guskov Princeton University Wim Sweldens Bell Labs Peter Schröder California Institute of Technology

# **Shape Transformation Using Variational Implicit Functions**

Greg Turk James O'Brien Georgia Institute of Technology

#### **Multiresolution Mesh Morphing**

Aaron Lee David Dobkin Princeton University Wim Sweldens Bell Labs Peter Schröder California Institute of Technology

# Panel

West Hall B

# Visual Storytelling



FX Animation & Special Effects

When cinematic storytelling is at its best, the visual imagery furthers the narrative by establishing the world in which the story takes place and setting the emotional tone as each sequence unfolds. While this is a well understood practice in traditional filmmaking, the language of digital filmmaking is just now being developed. Using "A Bug's Life" as a case study, panelists examine this issue by presenting the creative goals that drove the project and discussing the creative and technical directions they pursued to accomplish these goals.

# Organizer

Graham Walters Pixar Animation Studios

## **Panelists**

Sharon Calahan Bill Cone Fwan Johnson Tia Kratter Glenn McQueen **Bob Pauley** Pixar Animation Studios

# Friday 13 August

10:30 am - 12:15 pm

# Papers

Virtual Reality



IT Interactive Techniques

# Chair

Randy Pausch Carnegie Mellon University

#### Balancing Fusion, Image Depth and Distortion in Stereoscopic Head-Tracked Displays

Zachary Wartell Larry Hodges William Ribarsky Georgia Institute of Technology

# Walking > Walking-in-Place > Flying, in Virtual Environments

Martin Usoh Anthony Steed Mel Slater University College London Kevin Arthur Mary C. Whitton Rui Bastos Frederick P. Brooks, Jr. University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

# Real-Time Acoustic Modeling for Distributed Virtual Environments CALD

Thomas A. Funkhouser Patrick Min Princeton University Ingrid Carlbom Bell Labs

#### Creating a Live Broadcast from a Virtual Environment CALD

Chris Greenhalgh Steve Benford Ian Taylor University of Nottingham John Bowers Royal Institute of Technology Graham Walker BT Laboratories John Wyver Illuminations Television

#### Panel West Hall B

# Function and Form of Visual Effects in **Animated Films**



West Hall A

FX Animation & Special Effects

When considering effects in computer-animated films, people often ask: "Isn't the whole thing an effect?" This panel discusses the definition of effects and their place in production.

How do effects differ between animated and liveaction films? Computer animators and supervisors review the different levels of realism and styles for effects that animated films offer.

#### Organizer

Jennifer Yu Pacific Data Images

#### **Panelists**

Ken Bielenberg Apurva Shah Pacific Data Images Jim Hillin Walt Disney Feature Animation Eben Ostby Pixar Animation Studios Neville Spiteri Square USA

# Friday 13 August

2:15 - 4 pm

#### **Papers** West Hall A

# **Interactive Techniques**

IT Interactive Techniques

Ken Perlin New York University

# **Emancipated Pixels: Real-World Graphics in** the Luminous Room

John Underkoffler Brygg Ullmer Hiroshi Ishii Massachusetts Institute of Technology

# Skin: A Constructive Approach to Modeling Free-Form Shapes

Lee Markosian Jonathan Cohen Thomas Crulli John Hughes Brown University

# Six-Degrees-of-Freedom Haptic Rendering **Using Voxel Sampling**



William A. McNeely Kevin D. Puterbaugh James J. Troy The Boeing Company

# Teddy: A Sketching Interface for 3D Freeform Design







Takeo Igarashi Hidehiko Tanaka University of Tokyo Satoshi Matsuoka Tokyo Institute of Technology

#### Panel West Hall B

# Digital Watermarking: What Will it Do for Me? And What it Won't!

As the need increases for protection of intellectual property rights and integrity of digital information, digital watermarking has received more and more attention and concern. The first generation of watermarking systems focused on still image and video, in which high redundancy can be used to embed the watermark. But the need for protection goes beyond the image. Now, we face a new challenge, to watermark everything including 3D. holographic graphics, VRML and XML files, and stereo audio.

This panel presents world-class experts in digital watermarking as well as end-users (artists and content providers), who discuss and debate the issues, such as what can be watermarked, how useful is the watermark, and standardization activities.

# Organizer

#### Jian Zhao

Fraunhofer Center for Research in Computer Graphics, Inc. and MediaSec Technologies LLC

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# Friday 13 August

4:15 - 6 pm

# **Imaginative Rendering**



R Rendering

#### Chair

**Papers** 

Adam Finkelstein Princeton University

# **Digital Facial Engraving**

Victor Ostromoukhov Ecole Polytechnique Federale de Lausanne

# Multi-Color and Artistic Dithering A Art



West Hall A

Victor Ostromoukhov Roger D. Hersch

Ecole Polytechnique Federale de Lausanne

# Art-Based Rendering of Fur, Grass, and Trees



Michael Kowalski Lee Markosian

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Lubomir Bourdev Adobe Systems, Inc. Ronen Barzel Pixar Animation Studios

# View-Dependent Geometry A Art



Paul Rademacher University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

#### West Hall B Panel

# Mixed Reality: Where Real and Virtual Worlds Meet



IT Interactive Techniques R Rendering



Ever since Ivan Sutherland's development of the first head-tracked, see-through, head-mounted graphics display, researchers have been exploring the mixture of real and virtual objects. On one end of the spectrum is the real world itself - seen, heard, and felt without any virtual intervention. On the other end is the fully synthesized virtual world - theoretically a replacement for the real world, experienced through computer displays. This panel addresses some of the many ways in which virtual and real worlds are being combined in computer user interfaces to create "mixed reality." Topics range from augmented reality to augmented virtuality.

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Lively presentations of interesting new ideas, unique collaborations, late-breaking results, works in progress, and novel applications of computer graphics and interactive techniques. Sketches are presented in three categories: technical; art, design, and multimedia; and animation.

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# Wednesday 11 August 10:30 am - 12:15 pm

FX Animation & Special Effects M Modeling

# Commercial Successes

# Chair: Aaron Pfau, Industrial Light & Magic

# Room 151/152

# Digital Cars

#### Bob Hoffman

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The history of CG-cars development at Digital Domain, from Plymouth Neon (1996) and Chevy Blazer (1997) to Dodge and Pontiac (1998).

# Creating a Digital World from Scratch: The Launch of the First Union Bank Advertising Campaign

#### Mary Beth Haggerty

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Combining several different techniques for a desired effect is a staple of computer graphics production. For First Union Bank, Industrial Light & Magic created a new world with cutting-edge and traditional techniques.

# Designing, Directing, and Animating New Proprietary 3D Characters for Advertising Campaigns

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The constraints of producing a commercial can seem overwhelming, but many classical forms are very restrictive (sonnets and Haiku, for instance). A tremendous amount of great work has been created by treating constraints as liberating, so why not take a similarly optimistic and enabling approach to making spots?

# Wednesday 11 August 2:15 - 4 pm

FX Animation & Special Effects

# Looking Death in the Face

# Chair: Steve Goldberg, Disney Feature Animation

# Room 151/152

# A Ghostly Figure Rising Out of an Evil, Dark Bog: The Making of The Wraith from "The Mummy"

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Animation of "The Wraith" was a collaboration completed by a team of character animators and technical directors in a rather unusual way, due to ILM's structure.

# Creating Digital Corpses for "The Mummy"

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Industrial Light & Magic was given the task of bringing the title character to life in various stages of reincarnation, from walking skeleton to full human form and all the steps along the way. The key challenge required digital recreation of an actor, inside and out, that had the look and performance of real human bone, tissue, skin, and body mechanics.

# The Haunting - Select Visual Effects

# Craig Hayes

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This sketch analyzes two scenes from "The Haunting." In one scene, the heroine combs her hair in front of a mirror and watches in horror as her hair takes on a life of its own. In the second scene, the sleeping heroine drifts into sleep in a giant antique bed as a ghost child enters through the window.

# Wednesday 11 August 4:15 - 6 pm

FX Animation & Special Effects R Rendering

Dimensional Painting

Chair: Michelle Robinson, Disney Feature Animation

Room 151/152

# Deep Canvas in Disney's "Tarzan"

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What if you could paint a painting, then have the brushstrokes themselves come alive and move around? Rather than texture mapping, where the end result of the painting process is wrapped onto a surface, Deep Canvas animates the events that make up a painting: the brushstrokes themselves.

The Making of the Painted World: "What Dreams May Come"

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The painted world of "What Dreams May Come" is transformed over 8.5 minutes of live-action photography into moving painted imagery in the style of 19th century painters, such as Casper, David Friedrich, and Claude Monet.

# Thursday 12 August 10:30 am - 12:15 pm

FX Animation & Special Effects M Modeling

Star Wars Episode I Creature Development

Chair: Rex Grignon, Pacific Data Images

Room 151/152

Creature Modeling and Facial Animation on Star Wars: Episode I "The Phantom Menace"

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For "Episode I," the duties of the creature modelers at Industrial Light & Magic involved building the static models, either from scanned maquettes or by sculpting from scratch, building libraries of facial shapes and expressions for the talking creatures, and working with the envelopers responsible for the flexible skin models to sculpt corrective adjustments.

Creature Wrangling and Enveloping for Star Wars: Episode I "The Phantom Menace"

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Meeting the challenges presented by the complex digital creatures needed for Star Wars: Episode I "The Phantom Menace" required creation of organic skin movement and management of large model databases.

Viewpainting Models for Star Wars: Episode I "The Phantom Menace"

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With development of ILM's in-house paint software (Viewpaint), not only wrinkles and fur, but also feathers, rust, metal patina, decay, and corrosion have been incorporated into computergenerated models. The stage has been set for just about any look, from photorealistic to stylized, to become a possibility.

# Thursday 12 August 2:15 - 4 pm FX Animation & Special Effects R Rendering

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Star Wars Episode I Technical Animation Challenges

Chair: Zsolt Krajcsik, Disney Feature Animation

Room 151/152

Technical Animation Issues for the Battle Droids of Star Wars: Episode I "The Phantom Menace"

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Two distinct factors were evident in the decision to use motion-capture technology in the early preproduction phase for the Battle Droids: the Battle Droids are, by design, very humanoid in nature, so they required a hyper-realistic range of motions, and they appear in large numbers, which made the duplication of basic actions and motions a necessity for completing a shot.

Cloth Animation for Star Wars: Episode I "The Phantom Menace"

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There were two key challenges in designing the procedural animation software for the clothing in "Episode I:" development of appropriate representations for the physical properties of the large range of materials that were needed for the film, and development of a set of controls to define the performance aspects of the clothing.

Multiple Creature Choreography on Star Wars: Episode I "The Phantom Menace"

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Working in Softimage, a group of character animators created a series of animation cycles needed for the Naboo ground battle while a group of technical directors created and rendered particle choreographies in Alias|Wavefront's Maya. Both groups cooperated to achieve the best results.

# Wednesday 11 August 10:30 am - 12:15 pm

IT Interactive Techniques

# Interaction and Navigation

# Chair: Dena Slothower, Pratt Institute

# Room 403A

# SaltoArte: Explorations in Spatial Interactive Multimedia



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A 3D multimedia installation that allows visitors to interact with rare artist portfolio artifacts.

# Interactive Installations for the Mashantucket Pequot Museum



# Wells Packard

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Six award-winning interactive kiosks created for the new Mashantucket Pequot Museum and Research Center.

#### The Mutable Cursor

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The cursor as a mutable window through which a story environment is depicted. The mutable cursor acts as a mediator between the player and the environment, illustrating the point of view of a story character.

# MSA's Attractors: Navigational Aids for Virtual Environments

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An interesting and difficult challenge in designing virtual environments is attracting the user's attention to an object or area with rich interactivity. MSA's attractors lead users to those objects or areas.

# Wednesday 11 August 2:15 - 4 pm



# New Directions in Visual and Audio Expression Chairs: Jacquelyn Martino, Philips Research USA Maureen Nappi, New York University Room 403A

# Computational Expressionism: A Model of Drawing with Computation

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Computational expressionism is a model for drawing that combines higher-level conceptual design with real-time gestural input. It is a twofold process, at two distinct levels of interaction with the computer. The artist programs the appearance and behavior of computational lines and then draws with these by dragging a mouse or controlling another input device. The result: a different perspective on visual thinking, one that involves more active participa-

tion in the higher-level design of

drawing tools.

# Nami

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A decentralized community of identical "orbs," each of which can display a spectrum of colored light, respond to touch, and wirelessly communicate with its neighbors. When a user activates the spread of color within Nami by touching a single orb, the selected orb responds with expression of a new color. The new state is broadcast to neighboring orbs, prompting them to assume the color and forward the message. In this way, waves of colored light move throughout the distributed network and create visible patterns of behavior.

# Passion Spaces Based on the Synesthesia Phenomenon

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The results of image creation from "tanka" (a 31-syllable Japanese poem) using an algorithm based on the synesthesia phenomenon.

# Virtual Music Reproduction

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An application for interactive music experience. In contrast to the conventional way of consuming music, the user is able to change the location of sound sources and navigate through a virtual environment.

# Thursday 12 August 10:30 am - 12:15 pm IT Interactive Techniques A Art

# Community and Communications

# Chair: Madge Gleeson, Western Washington University

# Room 403A

# Setup of the Konsum Art.Server

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In the Superfem SuperUser Browser #KonsumLinuX3D.wrl#, a X3D browser concept for the dark side of the net, digital self representation by VRML Datavatar net actions and protocol-inherent datavatars express SUperfeminisme for SUperFEMperformances.

# A 3D Natural Emulation Design Approach to Virtual Communities

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The design goal for OnLive's Internet-based virtual community system was to help participants sense a tele-presence. This collective sense of "being-there" does not happen over the phone or with teleconferencing; it is a new and emerging phenomenon, unique to 3D virtual communities.

#### VisiPhone

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Visiphone is a communication object that opens a graphical as well as an audio portal through space. This experimental medium explores the social and aesthetic aspects of visualizations of sound and provides a continuous, ubiquitous connection between people in different places.

#### Phene-



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Phene- is a multimedia interactive installation that portrays a laboratory "gone amuck." The focal point is an enormous petri dish filled with fungus and illuminated by an animation. Visitors interact with the chimerical specimen via feeding, watering, magnifying, dissecting, etc.

# Thursday 12 August 2:15 - 4 pm



# Technique as Muse Chairs: Jacquelyn Martino, Philips Research, USA Maureen Nappi, New York University

Room 403A

# Hyper-3D Paintings in QuickTime VR

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A demonstration of 2D and 3D imaging techniques used to create hypermedia 3D paintings that are presented in QuickTime VR within Director movies.

# Explorations of New Visual Systems

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This sketch investigates how computers and new media may extend the designer's perception and imagination. It presents a series of experimental mathematical functions that demonstrate some of these models or mappings for a variety of values for the parameters. The functions address geometric mappings as well as numerical models of projection, and their interest lies in the dynamic nature of continuous computer processing (real-time movement).

# The Application of Non-Periodic Tiling Patterns in the Creation of Artistic Images



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Artistic combination of grids of randomly oriented tiles containing a simple pattern (based on patterns first described by Sebastien Truchet in 1704) are used to produce unique forms and details.

# Wednesday 11 August 10:30 am - 12:15 pm

IT Interactive Techniques

# Virtual Reality Chair: Ken Musgrave, MetaCreations Room 408A

# Prototype System of Mutual Tele-Existence



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A prototype system with 12 synchronized cameras that realizes real-time rendering of motion objects from arbitrary viewpoints.

# WorldBoard: Enabling a Global Augmented Reality Infrastructure



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WorldBoard is a standards-based technology that enables any Web object to be virtually attached to any object or placed anywhere on the planet. It uses XML, Web servers, and mobile computers.

# Handheld Interactions: Tailoring Interfaces for Single-Purpose Devices

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This case study of human interaction and cognitive challenges in the development of single-purpose handheld devices presents results and working prototypes.

#### Virtual Car

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The Virtual Car VR solution is an electronic sales-support system that uses an integrated, special-purpose I-O device during individual configuration sessions in the auto showroom.

# **Wednesday 11 August** 10:30 am - 12:15 pm



# Volumetric Modeling of Artistic Techniques in Colored Pencil Drawing

Imaginative Rendering

#### Saeko Takagi

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This sketch describes an improved volumetric model for colored-pencil drawing. The emphasis is on newly incorporated sub-models devoted to production of watering and eraser effects.

# Image Moment-Based Stroke Placement

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An image moment-based algorithm to determine the attributes of a brush stroke for painterly rendering.

# Real-Time Principal Direction Line Drawings of Arbitrary 3D Surfaces

## Ahna Girshick

Chair: Curtis Edwards, Disney Feature Animation

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Creating interactive line drawings of arbitrary 3D surfaces using shaded strokes that follow the principal directions.

# Room 408B

# 3D Physical-Based Brush Model for Painting

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A novel 3D, physically based brush model that allows users to paint various strokes intuitively and directly on a computer with a pen-type input device.

# Wednesday 11 August 2:15 - 4 pm IT Interactive Techniques

# Representation of the Tactile Surface Texture of an Object Using a Force-Feedback System Teruaki Iinuma

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Haptic Feedback Techniques

By alternating dynamic frictional resistance coefficients at a high frequency, "rough" or "sticky" surface textures of a 3D object can be simulated using a force-feedback system.

# Chair: Andrew Glassner, Microsoft Corporation

# Interactive Haptic Modeling of Tensegrities and Network Structures

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This integration of haptics with a reach-in environment for dextrous work with virtual objects includes approximation techniques for interactive modeling of deformable objects, specifically tensegrity structures.

# Tangible Modeling System

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In this newly developed 3D CAD system, designers can directly manipulate and paint design objects as if they were real mock-ups.

Room 408A

# Wednesday 11 August 2:15 - 4 pm



# The Morphological Cross-Dissolve

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Non-Realtime Rendering

An operator that blends two binary or greyscale images. Using operators from mathematical morphology, shapes in the source image expand or contract until the target image is obtained.

# The Holodeck Interactive Ray Cache



SGI

# Greg Larson

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A physically based rendering method for interactive walk-throughs of complicated environments with general reflectance properties. The implementation utilizes parallel processing and 3D rendering hardware to accelerate the computation.

# Interactive Rendering with Arbitrary BRDFs using Separable Approximations

Chair: Brian Wyvill, Imagis GRAVIR/IMAG

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A separable decomposition of bidirectional reflectance distributions implements arbitrary reflectances from point sources on existing graphics hardware.

# Room 408B

# Filtered Noise and the Fourth Dimension



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How can we generate filtered noise without artifacts and as quickly as possible? A surprising answer emerges from the geometry of packing spheres in four dimensions.

# Wednesday 11 August 4:15 - 6 pm



# Medical Models and Mummies

# Chair: Tom Appolloni, Harris Corporation

# Room 408A

Physically Based, Anatomic Modeling for Construction of Musculoskeletal Systems



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B-spline solids used as combined, physically based, and geometric musculo-tendon models in an interactive, musculoskeletal visualization and simulation system.

Application of Computer Graphics for Design and Delivery of Conformal Radiation Therapy

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How computer graphics and interactive techniques are used to manipulate volumetric medical image data to design and deliver conformal radiation therapy treatments to cancer patients.

Modeling HIV



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AIDS researchers worldwide have collected more data about HIV than any other organism. This sketch presents a virtual and physical, hand-held model of the virus derived from published structural data.

3D Facial Reconstruction and Visualisation of Ancient Egyptian Mummies Using Spiral CT Data



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Preliminary results of a research project aimed at reconstructing, through spiral computed tomography data and virtual modeling techniques, 3D models of the possible physiognomy of ancient Egyptian mummies.

# Wednesday 11 August 4:15 - 6 pm



# Real-Time Rendering

Real-Time Shadows, Reflections, and Transparency using a Z-Buffer/Ray Tracer Hybrid

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Merging ray tracing with real-time hidden-surface algorithms such as the z-buffer algorithm offers a smooth transition from interactive display with approximate soft shadows, reflections, and transparency to full ray tracing with all of its associated effects. This is done by using the ray tracer only for tracing shading rays at the vertices of polygons and using another hidden-surface technique for hiddensurface removal in conjunction with Gouraud interpolation.

# Phong Shading at Gouraud

# Greg Rivera

Speed

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With a few matrix rotations during polygon setup, Phong's per-pixel renormalization and exponentiation are reduced to linear interpolation and fast multiply for use with realtime software or low-end hardware.

# Quasi-Linear Z-Buffer

#### Eugene Lapidous

Chair: John Hart, Washington State University

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A new type of depth buffer with quasi-linear mapping from the eye to screen space. It significantly improves depth resolution and is easy to use with standard 3D hardware and APIs.

# Room 408B Occlusion Culling with

Optimized Hierarchical Z-Buffering

#### Ned Greene

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Z-buffer hardware can be greatly accelerated by adding a conservative culling stage that employs an optimized variation of hierarchical z-buffering to cull occluded geometry.

# Wednesday 11 August 4:15 - 6 pm

# LiveWeb: Visualizing Live User Activities on the Web

Interacting with Data

#### Rebecca Xiong

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LiveWeb uses Web-site structure and live-access data to visualize user presence and activities. It aims to foster a sense of community and enable unplanned interaction among Web users.

Stereo Analyst: Visualizing Large Stereoscopic Imagery in Real-Time

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Stereo Analyst visualizes stereopaired imagery in real time and collects 3D features. It is capable of using camera orientation to provide on-the-fly epipolar resampling, using OpenGL's coordinate transformation pipeline, and uses a multi-threaded, multi-resolution scheme for imagery and overlayed feature data for real-time navigation.

# An Interface for Transcribing American Sign Language

Chair: Richard Kidd, Cinesite Visual Effects

#### Rosalee Wolfe

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A system that facilitates fast transcription of signs that comprise the vocabulary of American Sign Language. This is part of an effort to translate English into the gestures of American Sign Language.

# Room 403A

OpenGL Texture-Mapping With Very Large Datasets and Multi-Resolution Tiles



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On OpenGL systems without the "clipmap" extension, a tiled approach can be used to provide the correct resolution image data for different parts of a 3D visualization, where very large texturemaps are desired. The application, called "EarthView" is a planetary browser, which can be used to view arbitrary amounts of geo-referenced image and terrain elevation data.

#### Room 403A Mathematical Methods Chair: Michael Gleischer, University of Wisconsin Decremental Delaunay Enhancing the Efficiency and Multi-Dimensional Quaternion Fast Polygon Mesh Querying Triangulation Versatility of Directly Interpolation by Example Manipulated Free-Form Deformation Richard Hammersley Michael Patrick Johnson James Gain Schlumberger Massachusetts Institute of University of Cambridge James Gain 8311 North RR 620 Technology Computer Laboratory University of Cambridge Austin, Texas 78726 USA 20 Ames Street, E15-320G New Museums Site Computer Laboratory hammersley@austin.apc.slb.com Cambridge, Massachusetts 02139 Pembroke Street New Museums Site USA Cambridge CB2 3QG Pembroke Street New results on removing points aries@media.mit.edu UNITED KINGDOM Cambridge CB2 3QG jeg24@cl.cam.ac.uk from a Delaunay triangulation and UNITED KINGDOM computing decremental Delaunay In this search for a multi-variate jeg24@cl.cam.ac.uk triangulation. version of Shoemake's famous An efficient method for comparing "slerp" function, two methods a low-resolution polygon mesh Exploitation of matrix sparsity and (using RBFs) have been implementquery model to a database of intuitive manipulation of firsted to continuously interpolate complex models using voxelisation derivative properties to enhance between several kinematic animaand wavelet decomposition. speed and versatility in directly tion examples that differ along manipulated FFD. emotional input axes, such as happiness and fatigue. The extrinsic version was incorporated in the Swamped! interactive exhibit at SIGGRAPH 98, and the intrinsic version is used in the Millennium

Motel (SIGGRAPH 99).

Thursday 12 August 8:30 - 10:15 am  EX Animation & Special Effects			
Special Effects	Chair: Ken Musgrave, MetaCreations		Room 408AB
3D Rendering Effects for 2D Animation	Image-Based Techniques for Object Removal	Postprocess 2D Motion Blur for Cel Animation	Wet and Messy Fur
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3D shading and rendering techniques can be applied to animated drawings, after automatically constructing surfaces from the drawings.  Modeled surfaces can also track drawings to produce shaded and textured animation.	A simple image-based rendering technique for producing a clean plate from the original background. The algorithm consists of four steps: object identification, image depth extraction, image projection, and incremental rendering. Simply put, the algorithm makes a hole	In this process, motion blur is applied to cel animation sequences through the use of optical flow estimation and line-integral convolution.	This sketch describes two effects from the hair-fur pipeline developed for the upcoming motion picture "Stuart Little": A method to produce a wet fur coat, and a method to break up combed hairs along fur tracks on the skin.

where the bad pixels are, then uses neighboring frames to incrementally fill the hole with good pixels.

# Thursday 12 August 4:15 - 6 pm Animation & Special Effects

# Animating Expressivity Through Effort Elements

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Behavior and Flight

## Diane Chi

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The EMOTE animation paradigm uses Laban's Effort to parameterize expressive arm movements. Using only four textual parameters, it adds an intuitive interface to user-specified or procedurally generated character animation systems.

# Chair: Marcus Mitchell, Digital Domain, Inc. Declarative Behaviors for Virtual A

# Creatures

# Philippe Codognet

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VRCC, a concurrent-constraint programming language based on VRML, programs behaviors of autonomous creatures in 3D worlds. This sketch also describes some simple behaviors derived from biologically inspired models of navigation.

# Animating Bird Flight Using Aerodynamics



#### Balajee Ramakrishnananda

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Room 403A

Aerodynamic principles are employed for physical animation of bird flight. Control of the flight trajectory is possible through direct or indirect control of the pitching moment.

# Thursday 12 August 4:15 - 6 pm

T Interactive Techniques

# Novel Projection Methods

# Oblique Projector Rendering onto Planar Surfaces for a Tracked User

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When projectors create keystoning, a traditional graphics pipeline with a modified projection matrix and an approximation of the z-buffer can be used to create perspectively correct images for a tracked moving user in CAVE or ImmersaDesk.

# Chair: Tom Appolloni, Harris Corporation

# Projecting Computer Graphics on Moving Surfaces: A Simple Calibration and Tracking Method

# Claudio Pinhanez

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A simple method of calibrating a camera and a projector so the projected image exactly matches the surface of a moving object. The method is used in the HyperMask system that projects faces on a mask worn by an actor during a performance.

# Head-Mounted Projector

Room 408AB

#### Masahiko Inami

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A head-mounted projector that uses X'tal Vision (Crystal Vision) technology, a projection-based augmented-reality system composed of a projector with a small iris and a retroreflective screen.

#### Room 408AB Visualization and Video Analysis Chair: John Hart, Washington State University Color Super-Histograms for Image Re-Composer Which Way Is the Flow? Video Embodiment -Video Representation: MovieSpiral: Towards Intuitive/Comprehensive Preliminary Research and David Kao Interfaces for Digital Video Findings Shoji Tanaka NASA Ames Research Center Interaction ATR Media Integration & M/S T27A-2 Jacquelyn Martino Communications Labs. Moffett Field, California 94035 Akihito Akutsu Philips Research, USA 2-2 Hikaridai Seika-cho USA NTT Cyber Space Labs 345 Scarborough Road Soraku-gun davidkao@nas.nasa.gov Briarcliff, New York 10510 USA 1-1 Hikari-no-oka Kyoto 619-0288 JAPAN Yokosuka-shi iam@philabs.research.philips.com This new method for highlighting gon@mic.atr.co.jp Kanagawa-ken 239-0847 JAPAN flow direction in LIC images gives akutsu@aether.hil.ntt.co.jp A novel method for computing an intuitive impression of flow A post-production tool for refining super-histograms to represent video images according to compositions direction in the given vector field An attempt to create a body that segments. The underlying assumpderived from well-composed pictures and reveals saddle points in the expresses video content and tion is that a TV program has a such as art masterpieces. flow. structure. consistent color palette, which can

# Friday 13 August 9 - 10:15 am Animation & Special Effects

be derived as a family of merged individual-shot histograms.

WOLIOII HACKS	chair: Andrew Glassner, Microsoft Resea	rcii Room 403A
Capturing the Motions of Actors in Movies	Speedlines - Depicting Motion in Motionless Pictures	Dynamic Texture: Physically Based 2D Animation
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An image-based method for capturing the motion of actors from movies.	Adapting traditional illustrative techniques from comics to develop an alternative method of depicting movement of objects in computergenerated images using speedlines, arrows, and contour repetitions.	Coupling physically based techniques and image morphing techniques has the potential to yield new directions in computer animation. This sketch demonstrates examples of this coupling approach: successful syntheses of the stochastic motion of plants under the influence of wind, in which 2D textures are realistically animated based on dynamic simulation.

# Friday 13 August 10:30 am - 12:15 pm



# Hard Core Modeling Shape Extraction for a

# Polygon Mesh

# Tiow Seng Tan

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A new technique (and its preliminary experimental results) to derive geometric shape: hierarchical arrangement of polygons.

# Free-Form Curve Generation By Recursive Subdivision of

# Polygonal Strip Complexes

# Ahmad Nasri

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A new method for designing freeform curves by recursive subdivision of polygonal complexes and some of its applications in computer-aided geometric design and computer graphics such as physically based animation, shape control, interpolation of meshes or curves, and trimming of surfaces.

# Interactive CSG

#### Chris Butcher

Chair: Michael Gleicher, University of Wisconsin

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A novel space subdivision allows interactive construction of CSG through direct manipulation of the component objects. Algebraic surfaces are polygonized for hardware display, preserving cut edges and surface shading.

# Room 403A

# A Level-Set Approach for the Metamorphosis of Solid Models

#### David Breen

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An active deformable surface, represented as a level set (iso-surface) of a discretely sampled scalar function of three dimensions, that smoothly changes (morphs) one solid model into another.

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# Image-Based Rendering

# 3D Imaging System for Rapid Response on Remote Sites

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A compact 3D laser imaging system for cultural-heritage applications that require rapid response on remote sites affected by natural disasters. Though portability is important, accuracy is preserved in order to obtain high-quality, realistic 3D reconstruction.

# Rendering 3D Objects into Photographs Taken by Uncalibrated Perspective

Cameras



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This technique for inserting objects into real images taken by uncalibrated cameras is based on new camera-pose estimation algorithms that use projective reconstruction.

# Shading and Shadow Casting in Image-Based Rendering Without Geometric Models

#### Akihiro Katayama

Chair: Marie-Paule Cani, Imagis GRAVIR/IMAG

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A real-time rendering method that changes the shading of image-based objects and casts appropriate shadows according to the motion of viewpoint or objects and transitions in local lighting.

# Room 408AB

Image-Based Modeling, Rendering and Lighting in "Fiat Lux"

#### Haarm-Pieter Duiker

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How image-based modeling, rendering, and lighting were used to create the animation "Fiat Lux" (SIGGRAPH 99 Electronic Theater). The geometry, appearance, and illumination of the environments were acquired through digital photography and augmented with synthetic objects to create the animation.

# Friday 13 August 2:15 - 4 pm



# Extracting and Editing Motion

# Chair: Curtis Edwards, Disney Feature Animation

# Room 403A

# Real-Time Translation of Human Motion from Video to Animation

# CAL

# Tsukasa Noma

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A robust top-down approach to translating human motion in video images to computer animation. Motion generators animate a virtual human from video-image information.

# Automatic Recognition and Mapping of Constraints for Motion Retargeting

# Rama Bindiganavale

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A new technique to automatically recognize, extract, and map spatial and visual constraints from a virtual human's interactions with other objects anthropometrically scaled agents.

# 3D Gait Reconstruction Using Two-Camera Markerless Video

# Suba Varadarajan

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Gait analysis is a valuable tool for studying walking disorders. This research focuses on simulation and visualization of gait motion using anatomical features from markerless video for follow-up analysis.

# Tracking and Modifying Human Motion Data Using Dynamic Simulation

# Victor Zordan

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Using dynamic simulation to track and modify human-motion data. Modifications include adjustments for new characters and new situations as well as re-ordering and transitioning between motion segments.

# Friday 13 August 2:15 - 4 pm



# FX Animation & Special Effects

# Asynchronous, Adaptive Rigid **Body Simulation**

Simulation for Animation

# Stephen Chenney

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A new algorithm for rigid body simulation that is both asynchronous (different objects are updated at different times) and adaptive (each object selects its optimal update frequency).

# Real-Time and Physically Realistic Simulation of Global Deformation

# Yan Zhuang

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Application of graded nonlinear FEM to simulate global deformation of 3D flexible objects in real time and a simple, efficient collisiontime-integration scheme.

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# Methods for Preventing Cloth Self-Intersection

# John McDonald

Chair: Marcus Mitchell, Digital Domain, Inc.

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Cloth-cloth interactions are highly complex. Colliding patches of cloth push on and slide against each other. This alternative approach to modeling cloth prevents self-intersections and reacts in a realistic manner as the cloth collides with itself. It does not sacrifice the visual integrity of the simulation and yields realistic self-collisions in cloth.

# Multifluid Finite-Volume Navier-Stokes Solutions for Realistic Fluid Animation

Room 408AB

# John Turner

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A multifluid, incompressible, variable-density, finite volume solution of the Navier-Stokes equations for generation of realistic fluid animation. A high-resolution tracking algorithm is used to capture the complex topology of interfaces, and results are rendered using blobs.

# Electronic Schoolhouse:

# Educators Program | sigKIDS | Community Outreach

In the Electronic Schoolhouse, everyone is an educator and everyone is a student. Attend a paper or a panel in the Classroom. Participate in a hands-on class in the Workshop. Wander through a wonderland of interactive installations in the Playground. Use the Library to check out the schedule of daily Schoolhouse activities, collect resources, or gather with your colleagues for impromptu brainstorming sessions. Many Schoolhouse projects integrate education, experience, and inspiration by offering different perspectives in the Classroom, Workshop, and Playground. (You will see these noted below.) Use this schedule to navigate your week of presentations by Electronic Schoolhouse students, teachers, and professionals.

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Friday 13 August 8:30 am - 4 pm

# The Electronic Schoolhouse Annotated Film Show

Room 409

Monday-Thursday 3:45 pm

Take a look behind the pixels at the splines, NURBS, ideas, and storyboards that form the foundation of many of the incredible animations in the SIGGRAPH 99 Computer Animation Festival. This combination of presentation, film show, and handouts will give all kinds of educators and students a rare perspective on the process of creating animation.

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# Monday 9 August Classroom

8:30 - 10:15 am Room 403B

An Introduction to Digital Effects FX

Visual effects are a mystery to those who are not involved in the process. This paper summarizes the basic concepts and the pieces that make up the picture.

Steve Wright Cinesite Visual Effects 1017 North Las Palmas Avenue Los Angeles, California 90038 USA wright@cinesite.com

# **10:30 - 11:45 am** Room 403B **Creating 2D Animation** FX

Compositing and 2D animation are exciting fields for digital artists, effects editors, and designers. But they need to understand the basic software.

Marco Paolini Digital FilmWorks 3330 Cahuenga Boulevard West, Suite 300 Los Angeles, California 91351 USA marco@dfw-la.com

# 11:45 am - 1 pm Room 403B Creating 3D Animation FX

3D computer animation is everywhere, from Saturday morning cartoons to highend feature film creatures and effects. What may not be obvious, though, is how these effects were created. This presentation covers the basics of the production tasks of the 3D artist.

Eric Hanson Dream Quest Images 3509 Purdue Avenue Los Angeles, California 90066 USA ehanson@loop.com

# Monday 9 August Workshop

2 - 6 pm Room 403B
Art Before Technology or Technology
Before Art? That is the Question! FX A

AnimAction instructors introduce attendees to the classical animation process, stressing the importance of the basics and illustrating how a solid foundation in the art of animation supports creation and teaching.

Clifford Cohen AnimAction, Inc. 415 South Topanga Canyon Boulevard Suite 193 Topanga, California 90290 USA cliffo@animaction.com

# Tuesday 10 August Classroom

9 - 9:30 am Room 403B Computer Camp: For Girls Only! IT

A Web-based computer camp for girls only helps thwart the image of computer and math-related activities as male dominions. Graphic design, interactivity, and human-interface concepts are emphasized.

Rebecca Mercuri University of Pennsylvania P.O. Box 1166 Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19105 USA mercuri@acm.org

# 9:30 - 10 am Room 403B Organizing Summer Computer Graphics Camps

How the annual Computer Graphics Summer Camp at Purdue University is organized and operated for students from all states and territories in the United States.

Mark W. McK. Bannatyne Purdue University Department of Computer Graphics 1419 Knoy Hall, Room 363 West Lafayette, Indiana 47907-1419 USA mwbannatyne@tech.purdue.edu 10:30 - 11 am Room 403B
The Atmosphere: Incorporating
Interactive Multimedia into the
Classroom

This multimedia alternative was inspired by an introductory atmospheric science class in which the instructor described precipitation processes by drawing pictures and waving his hands.

MaryEllen Coleman IBM Corporation 70 Rossway Road Pleasant Valley, New York 12569 USA mea@us.ibm.com

# 11 - 11:30 am Room 403B The Round Earth Project: Collaborative VR for Elementary School Kids

An ImmersaDesk, a stereo-capable monitor, and a collaboration among researchers in computer science, education, and psychology investigating two alternative pedagogical strategies help teach children that the Earth is spherical.

Andrew Johnson Electronic Visualization Laboratory, EECS Department (M/C 154) University of Illinois at Chicago Chicago, Illinois 60607-7053 USA aej@evl.uic.edu

# 11:30 am - noon Room 403B Exploratories: An Educational Strategy for the 21st Century

What computer-based learning environment will students of all ages be immersed in five, 10, or 20 years from now? And, how can we best prepare for learning and teaching in that environment? The Exploratories project uses the introductory undergraduate computer graphics course as a testbed to address these questions.

Rosemary Michelle Simpson Brown University Computer Science Department Box 1910 Waterman Street - 4th Floor Providence, Rhode Island 02912 USA rms@cs.brown.edu

Room 403B 1 - 2 pm

# ThinkQuest: Students & Teachers Exploring a Global Web-Based **Education Project**

(See also Playground)

ThinkQuest challenges teachers and students of all ages to use the Internet in innovative and exciting ways as a collaborative, interactive teaching and learning tool. In this panel, students and teachers discuss the process of creating a Web-based educational resource.

Robert Sibley Advanced Network & Services Educational Project Manager 200 Business Park Drive Armonk, New York 10504 USA sibley@advanced.org

#### 2 - 2:30 pm Room 403B SP3D and The Lighthouse: Explorations in 3D Internet Learning

(See also Playground) IT

2:30 - 3 pm

"Shakey's Place 3D" and "The Lighthouse" Web sites, designed to breathe life into Shakespeare, philosophy, and the students who study them, use 3D graphics to create striking environments that increase the educational value of interactive devices. (A ThinkQuest project.)

Clint Andrew Hall Rockhurst College 1240 SW Crossing Drive Lee's Summit, Missouri 64081 USA st076437@vax1.rockhurst.edu

# Why is the Mona Lisa Smiling?

(See also Playground; Workshop, Tuesday 3 - 4:30 pm)

Room 403B

How US high school computer graphics students collaborated with partners in Sweden, to investigate the centuries-old enigma: Why is the Mona Lisa Smiling? (A ThinkQuest project.)

Steve Feld John F. Kennedy High School 99 Terrace View Avenue Bronx, New York 10463 USA sjfeld@erols.com

# Room 403B Web Pages, Interactive Interfaces, and Worm Holes: The Next Generation of User Interface Designers III

In the spring of 1998, a group of fifth- and sixth-grade students worked with a team of information development professionals from IBM while learning computer technology and teamwork. This panel includes a 20-minute videotape documenting the experience and exploring the students' Web sites.

Carol Bahruth MaryEllen Coleman IBM Corporation 70 Rossway Road Pleasant Valley, New York 12569 USA mea@us.ibm.com

#### Room 403B 4:15 - 4:45 pm Proposal Writing 101: Ensuring Your Submission is Understood

Contributing submissions to the annual SIGGRAPH conference can be frustrating when you don't know the submission, review and jury process. This presentation gives the hopeful presenter some inside information and discusses some basic rhetorical considerations to ensure that the proposal is considered on the merit of its content.

Tom Burkhart University of Iowa 308 East Burlington #107 Iowa City, Iowa 52240-1602 USA thomas-burkhart@uiowa.edu

#### 4:45 - 6 pm Room 403B Get a Job! A Recruiter Tells You What You Need to Know

What does it take to get a job at a visual effects, traditional animation, or interactive company? This session summarizes how to put your life and your talent - or your students' life and talent - on a onepage résumé and a three-minute-or-less demo reel.

Pamela Thompson Independent Recruiter 10173 Sully Drive Sun Valley, California 91352 USA pamrecruit@aol.com

#### Tuesday 10 August Workshop

Room 402B 8:30 am - noon Teaching & Creating Animatics EX

This hands-on workshop guides educators and students through the process of making an animatic, a standard tool for checking visual continuity and timing.

Jim Keeshen Animatics, Inc. 1950 Sawtelle Boulevard, #220 Los Angeles, California 90025 USA animatics@aol.com

1:30 - 3 pm Room 402B Hands-On Universe: Teaching Astronomy With Java-Based **Image Processing Tools** 

(See also Playground) IT

Observational astronomy introduces the concepts of image processing, visualization, and computer graphics to high school students. This workshop focuses on the Web-based tools that students use to manipulate and analyze astronomical images.

Carl Pennypacker John Refling

Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory 2150 Oxford Street, Suite #21 Berkeley, California 94704 USA refling@comet.lbl.gov

3 - 4:30 pm Room 402B Why is the Mona Lisa Smiling?

(See also Playground; Classroom, Tuesday 2:30 - 3 pm)

How a multidisciplinary, inquiry-driven international collaborative Internet project developed by US high school seniors and their partners in Sweden uses the unique research, multimedia, and interactive capacities of the Internet to shape specific constructivist learning experiences. (A ThinkQuest project.)

Steve Feld John F. Kennedy High School 99 Terrace View Avenue Bronx, New York 10463 USA sjfeld@erols.com









#### 4:30 - 6 pm Room 402B Visual Effects Through Adaptive Technologies IT FX

Wheelchair-bound animators are logical candidates for animation studios looking for employees with aptitude and drive. This workshop introduces the input devices and software that can make a career in computer animation possible for differently abled computer users.

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# Wednesday 11 August Classroom

# 9:45 - 10:15 am Virtual Harlem

Room 403B

(See also Playground)

Students visualize the setting and context of fictional texts in a computergenerated environment that reconstructs approximately 10 square blocks of Harlem in the 1920s (the Harlem Renaissance period).

Bryan Carter Advanced Technology Center University of Missouri-Columbia 100 Locust Street Building Columbia, Missouri 65211 USA ccbryanc@atc.missouri.edu

#### 10:15 - 10:45 am Room 403B When Children Draw in 3D

(See also Playground; Workshop, Wednesday 11 am - noon)

A student animation project in which children tell stories, draw, and work with modeling compound to create characters and scenery, and then produce their stories on computers.

Katiuska Varela Independent Artist Calle Semprun Qta OLIM Sta Monica Caracas VENEZUELA kvbmaz@hotmail.com

10:45 - 11:45 am Room 403B

# Museums and Computer Games III

(See also Playground)

How curators, writers, interactive designers, producers, and educators, each with different agendas, work together to create an entertaining learning environment for young museum visitors.

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Bill Zullo Z-Digital

#### 11:45 am - 12:15 pm Room 403B The Teacher's Mid-Life Crisis: Moore's Stairmaster of the Fittest

Teachers face a serious challenge: the ongoing obsolescence of knowledge and skills, and the imperative to continually upgrade those facets to keep pace with technology and culture.

Gregory P. Garvey 72 Ralston Avenue Hamden, Connecticut 06517 USA

# 2 - 3 pm

# A Creative Journey



Room 403B

(See also Playground)

This panel explores a virtual exhibition of the "Space Field" series, which can be viewed anywhere on a personal computer and shows how art can be the conduit to teaching young children about the worlds of computers and science.

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#### Room 403B 3 - 3:30 pm **Developing Creativity: A Curriculum** Based on the Use of Computer Graphics Technology

(See also Playground; Workshop, Wednesday 4:15 - 5:15 pm)

A practical curriculum that unleashes students' creative potential using stateof-the-art computer graphics technology and provides a pathway for students to explore, develop, and realize their individual creative potential.

Jeremy Sutton Portrayals 245 Everett Avenue Palo Alto, California 94301 USA

# 3:30 - 4 pm Drawing & Learning



London-based art and design institutions are developing a family of products to address the important subject of drawing. The focus is on developing a student's visual literacy.

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4:15 - 6 pm Room 403B

Art and Technology: Electronic Resources From the Getty A

# ArtsEdNet: A Web Site in Progress

ArtsEdNet consists of over 2,000 pages of curriculum resources, including lesson plans and online images from around the world. In this paper, the ArtsEdNet team details how the site became an expansive and extensive Web resource.

# Exploring the Artworlds of Los Angeles: Worlds of Art

This innovative Web curriculum resource provides lessons that tap Los Angeles' many artists, museums, community art programs, and public art.

# Presenting and Managing Electronic Visual Resources: The Getty Experience

How the Getty Education Institute and the J. Paul Getty Museum collaborated to produce online exhibitions focusing on two of the Museum's opening exhibitions.

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# Wednesday 11 August Workshop

11 am - noon Room 402B When Children Draw in 3D

(See also Playground;

Classroom, Wednesday 10:15 - 10:45 am)

Computers illustrate a student animation project that used drawings to create models and textures of characters and scenery in children's stories.

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#### Room 402B 2 - 4 pm The Interactive Learning Environment

(See also Playground) IT

How the Interactive Learning Environment can be integrated into classrooms. Attendees use ILE as a fourth grader would to study California life in the late 1800s, then apply their learning to classroom-like discussions with each other and the workshop instructor.

# Stephen Detwiler

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# Thursday 12 August Classroom

9 - 10:15 am Room 403B Integrating Art and Technology in a State-Wide Curriculum A

This panel discusses issues related to how and why arts instruction in California public schools can be supported with contemporary technologies to enhance student learning and their preparation for life after graduation.

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#### 10:30 - 11:30 am Room 403B Digital Design Education at UCLA

(See also Playground)

Panelists discuss the digitally oriented curriculum of the design department at the University of California, Los Angeles and present examples of student work. The department completely revised its program three years ago to incorporate digital technologies.

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# 11:30 am - 12:30 pm Room 403B The Integration of Graphics, Video, Science, and Communication Technologies

As part of a Sister City project, students developed a Web site that allows science students, teachers, government officials, university personnel, and environmental scientists and engineers to share data, graphics, video, and artwork about the South Florida Everglades and the Hula Valley in Israel.

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# 2:15 - 4 pm Room 403B The 4D Virtual Museum of the City of Bologna, Italy

(See also Playground; Workshop, Thursday 4:15 - 5 pm)

The process of integrating historical and graphic resources with current computer graphics technology to create a virtual time machine that plunges the participant into 12th century Bologna, Italy.

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# 4:15 - 5:15 pm Room 403B Walking the Tightrope: Balancing Digital and Traditional Skills in Undergraduate Education

A no-holds-barred debate on the challenges of balancing digital techniques in a fine art curriculum. Illustrations from faculty and students demonstrate the creative advantages of applying traditional skills in developing the most elaborate computer animations.

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# 5:15 - 5:45 pm Room 403B High-End Interactive Media in the Museum IT A

How high-end interactive media, computer graphics applications, and virtual reality technology are used in museums.

Particular focus is given to projects created by the Foundation of the Hellenic World, which uses immersive virtual reality, VRML, and 3D graphics to reconstruct archeological sites, historical interpretation, and education.

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# Thursday 12 August Workshop

8:30 am - noon Room 402B Educators Workshop in 3D Computer Graphics FX

This session introduces students and educators to the world of high-end 3D computer graphics. Using laymen's terms and professional software, you'll work through a real-life modeling project.

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# 2:15 - 4 pm Room 402B Supporting Online Collaborative Communities

(See also Playground)

Demonstration of the Collaboratory Project's MediaSpace and other collaborative environments that establish an easy-to-use, network-based collaborative environment to help organizations share information, resources, and expertise.

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# 4:15 - 5 pm Room 402B The Creation of the Nu.M.E. Project

(See also Playground; Classroom, Thursday 2:15 - 4 pm)

How to implement a virtual environment for an electronic museum designed as a four-dimensional city. This workshop presents the 4D navigation and graphic processing phase of the project.

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#### Friday 13 August Classroom

8:30 - 9:30 am Room 403B Going Farther in Less Time: Responding to Change in **Introductory Graphics Courses** 

The field of computer graphics has matured greatly since the formal statement of the introductory undergraduate course was created for ACM/IEEE Curriculum 91. This panel describes a philosophical basis for change and gives examples of courses that are responding to the change.

Steve Cunningham California State University, Stanislaus Scott Grissom University of Illinois at Springfield Lewis E. Hitchner California Polytechnic State University Rosalee Wolfe DePaul University School of CTI 243 South Wabash Avenue Chicago, Illinois 60604 USA wolfe@cs.depaul.edu

#### 9:30 - 10 am Room 403B **Incorporating Principles and Examples** from Art/Design and Film/Video into a CS Computer Graphics Course

How principles and examples from art and design, film, and video can be incorporated into a computer science computer graphics course.

Scott Owen Georgia State University Department of Mathematics & Computer Science 30 Pryor Street, Suite 750 Atlanta, Georgia 30303 USA owen@siggraph.org

#### 10:30 - 11:30 am Room 403B Math: What's the Use?

Behind all great (and not so great) computer graphics images stands a great lady: Mathematics. This presentation reviews the mathematics used in generating graphics images, from Euclidean geometry to the basics of spline interpolation.

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#### 11:30 am - 12:30 pm Room 403B Math and Computer-Generated Effects: Tools of the Trade

Mathematical principles as they appear as visual effects in major feature films. Marcus Mitchell, a software designer at Digital Domain, shows examples of work, including "Titanic," "The Fifth Element," "Supernova," and "The Fight Club."

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#### 2:15 - 3:15 pm Room 403B The Future in Computer Graphics Education

Recommendations for the future of computer graphics education from the Computer Graphics and Visualization Education Workshop (GVE 99), co-sponsored by Eurographics and SIGGRAPH, 3-5 July in Coimbra, Portugal.

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#### 3:15 - 3:45 pm Room 403B **Creative Programming: Merging the Artist** With the Computer Programmer A

(See also Playground)

The Creative Programming Program at the University of Gävle is unique in its approach to education and selection of students. It allows highly creative and intelligent people to enhance their abilities in the world of digital media by combining their skills from other areas, such as art or programming.

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#### Friday 13 August Workshop

Room 402B 9 am - noon Introduction to 3D Concepts for Teachers

A workshop for teachers who find that they want to (or must) include 3D computer graphics in their curriculum and don't know where to start. In a combination of lecture, demonstration, and hands-on work, the workshop covers the basic concepts of 3D on the computer, with pointers on how to teach them.

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# 2:15 - 4 pm Room 402B Hands-On Animation FX

This workshop takes educators and students through the process of creating a computer-generated animated character.

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# Playground: Stand-Alone Exhibits Monday - Thursday 9 am - 6 pm & Friday 9 am - 4 pm

# The 4D Virtual Museum of the City of Bologna, Italy

(Classroom, Thursday 2:15 - 4 pm) (Workshop, Thursday 4:15 - 5 pm)

Discover the medieval streets and Renaissance palazzi of 12th Century Bologna, Italy via this city time machine.

#### Antonella Guidazzoli

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# **A Creative Journey**

(Classroom, Wednesday 2 - 3 pm)

Take a virtual tour of far away galaxies and the artistic process. This CD-ROM has been accepted into the collections of The Museum of Modern Art, New York, and many others.

#### Victor Raphael

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# ColorWeb

Two exploratory sets: the first teaches basic concepts in additive and subtractive color mixing; the second is designed to develop an intuitive feeling for the signal-processing aspects of color perception and has been used by teachers around the world in their existing curricula.

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# Creative Programming: Merging the Artist With the Computer Programmer

(Classroom, Friday 3:15 - 3:45 pm)

Students' art and interactive projects from Creative Programming, where computer scientists and professional artists learn together in a lab environment.

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# Digital Design Education at UCLA

(Classroom, Thursday 10:30 - 11:30 am)

Student works from the newly redesigned digital design curriculum.

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# Education Delivered Through Storytelling: Using Virtual Reality as an Educational Tool CALD

Education through storytelling in a collaborative virtual reality environment where students of all ages interact directly with a 28-foot curved virtual reality world.

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# FELIX 3D Display CALD

Working with scientists, students in Stade, Germany developed a 3D display that is viewable from almost any angle without special glasses.

# Knut Langhans

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# Figures of Speech

3D animation students create an eight-minute animation that humorously depicts interesting colloquialisms of various origins.

# Janice Squire

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# Hands-On Universe: Teaching Astronomy With Java-Based Image Processing Tools

(Workshop, Tuesday 1:30 - 3 pm)

How high school students use image processing, visualization, and computer graphics in observational astronomy.

# John P. Refling

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# How to Marry an Éclair: Anatomy of an Animated Tale

The Abram Friedman Occupational Center integrates traditional animation and computer animation to provide learning for students who want to concentrate solely on a career in one or the other.

#### Eric Huelsman

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# The Interactive Learning Environment

(Workshop, Wednesday 2 - 4 pm)

Six networked PCs and a server allow users to interact and explore in a hands-on, educational environment.

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#### Minotaur: A Tactile Archaeology Game for Kids

An educational museum game on Greek mythology, for children aged 6-8, designed to stimulate the senses of sight, sound, and touch.

#### Claudia Chow

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#### Museums and Computer Games

(Classroom, Wednesday 10:45 - 11:45 am)

An engaging computer game that helps children decipher meaning in objects from around the world.

#### Carla Roth

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#### People in the Past: The Ancient Puebloan Farmers of Southwest Colorado

With this CD-ROM and its companion 160-page teacher's guide (designed for grades 4-12), users explore the Pueblo, nearby canyons, and the archaeologist's tent.

#### Theresa Breznau

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#### SIGGRAFFITI Wall: Multi-Input Painting

Throw beanbags at a wall and see paintings come to life.

#### Dave Warner

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#### SP3D and The Lighthouse

(Classroom, Tuesday 2 - 2:30 pm)

Web sites that breathe life into Shakespeare, philosophy, and the students who study them. (A ThinkQuest project.)

#### Clint Andrew Hall

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#### Supporting Online Collaborative Communities

(Workshop, Thursday 2:15 - 4 pm)

A network-based collaborative environment that supports education, cultural, and nonprofit communities in the greater Chicago area.

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#### **ThinkQuest**

(Classroom, Tuesday 1 - 2 pm)

An educational initiative committed to advancing learning through computer and networking technology.

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#### Virtual Harlem

(Classroom, Wednesday 9:45 - 10:15 am)

Visualize the setting and context of fictional texts in a computer-generated environment by navigating streets, interacting with historical characters, and experiencing the sights and sounds of 1920s Harlem.

#### Bryan Carter

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#### Virtual Science Laboratory

Junior high and high school students experience how scientists in a real-world setting analyze various public health-related matters.

#### Nobuo Masuda

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#### Why is the Mona Lisa Smiling? CALP



(Classroom, Tuesday 2:30 - 3 pm) (Workshop, Tuesday 3 - 4:30 pm)

How John F. Kennedy High School computer graphics students collaborated with partners in Borlange, Sweden to investigate the centuriesold enigma: "Why is the Mona Lisa Smiling?" (A ThinkQuest project.)

#### Steve Feld

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# Art Gallery: technOasis

After several decades of using digital tools, artists are now using them to create mature yet adventurous work that is attracting serious attention. Digital capabilities are expanding. Experiments are emerging. Aesthetic boundaries are evolving. And new art forms and art media are taking shape. Artists are using off-the-shelf software, writing software for specific artworks, and applying custom software written specifically for them. Digitally influenced artwork is no longer seen as a gimmick, but as hard-hitting content.

The SIGGRAPH 99 Art Gallery: techn0asis inspires quiet reflection on these turn-of-the-century artistic developments. The 100+ techn0asis artworks include digital paintings, drawings, and photographs; sculpture; installations; Web-based projects; and site-specific works.

#### Location

Room 153AB, Concourse Office: Room 153C

#### Days

Sunday 8 August 5 - 7 pm

Monday 9 August 9 am - 6 pm

Tuesday 10 August 9 am - 6 pm

Wednesday 11 August 9 am - 6 pm

Thursday 12 August 9 am - 6 pm

Friday 13 August 9 am - 1 pm

Hours

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#### Ladder in the Trees CALP



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#### The Space Field Series: Comet Nebula

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# Computer Animation Festival

Animations, performances, and interactions that show computer graphics as product, media, and process. A broad, international selection of this year's most outstanding work is featured in the Animation Theaters as well as in matinée and evening shows of the Electronic Theater. SIGGRAPH 99 also presents the world premiere of the feature-length documentary, The Story of Computer Graphics.



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Rooms 409, 411, 501

#### The Story of Computer Graphics

World Premier - Shrine Auditorium

Sunday 8 August 8:30 - 10 pm

#### Los Angeles Convention Center Room 501

Monday-Thursday, 9-12 August 9 am, 10:45 am, 12:30 pm, 2:15 pm, 4 pm Friday 13 August 9 am, 10:45 am, 12:30 pm

#### Electronic Theater

Monday 9 August 7 - 9 pm Tuesday 10 August 7 - 9 pm Wednesday 11 August 7 - 9 pm Thursday 12 August 7 - 9 pm

#### Electronic Theater Matinée

Tuesday 10 August 2 - 4 pm Wednesday 11 August 2 - 4 pm

#### **Animation Theaters**

 Sunday 8 August
 5 - 7 pm

 Monday 9 August
 9 am - 6 pm

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 Thursday 12 August
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With "Stories-The Soul of the Performance" as the focus for this year's Computer Animation Festival, the names of the collections in the Animation Theater program have more of a literary flavor.

 $\label{lem:commercial} \mbox{ FX \& Games: the magic in feature films, advertisements, cartoons, and games.}$ 

Folklore & Love Tales: tales of the heart and lore from homelands around the world.

Humor: light and amusing (note this is split into three sections.)

In Black and White: diverse themes in shades of gray.

Muse: a state of dreamy abstraction...some might say, "psychedelic, baby."

**Visual Poetry:** literally or figuratively, the abstract language in these pieces evokes an emotional response through meaning, sound, and rhythm.

**Visual Prose:** narrative or not, the stories are told and statements are made with more everyday plots and characters.

Visualization & Technique: in architecture and several of the sciences.

PLUS! Three longer stories set apart as Interludes: *Plug, Sandland*, and *Rayman-No Parking*.

#### The Electronic Schoolhouse Annotated Film Show:

Take a look behind the pixels at the splines, NURBS, ideas, and storyboards that form the foundation of many of the incredible animations in the SIGGRAPH 99 Computer Animation Festival. This combination of presentation, film show, and handouts will give all kinds of educators and students a rare perspective on the process of creating animation.

#### Sunday 8 August

#### Room 409

5 pm In Black and White 5:35 Humor II 5:55 Visual Poetry 6:35 Humor III

#### Room 411

5 pm Commercial FX & Games
5:45 Story Interlude: Rayman
- No Parking
6 Visualization and Technique
6:40 Muse

#### Room 501

5 pm Visual Prose 6 Story Interlude: Sandland 6:15 Folklore & Love Tales 6:55 Story Interlude: Plug

#### Monday 9 August

#### Room 409

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In Black and White 9 am 9:35 Humor II 9:55 Visual Poetry 10:35 Humor III 10:55 Visual Prose 11:55 Story Interlude: Sandland 12:10 Commercial FX & Games 12:55 Story Interlude: Rayman - No Parking 1:10 Visualization and Technique Folklore & Love Tales 1:50 2:30 Story Interlude: Plug 2:45 Humor I 3:05 Muse Electronic Schoolhouse 3:45 Annotated Film Show

In Black and White

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#### Room 501

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The Story of Computer Graphics 9 am, 10:45 am, 12:30 pm, 2:15 pm, 4 pm

Story Interlude: Plug

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The Story of Computer Graphics

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Story Interlude: Rayman

- No Parking

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Visual Poetry

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#### **Building Virtual Worlds**

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"Building Virtual Worlds" is an undergraduate course at CMU; teams of undergraduates, use the Alice authoring system to build VR worlds on a two-week production schedule. Their worlds can be experienced via an HMD or a WWW browser. This area demonstrates some of the worlds built by CMU students plus the Alice 3D animation tool and Teddy 3D modeling tool (by Takeo Igarashi, University of Tokyo). More information, and a free set of 3D authoring tools (model, paint, and animate) is available at www.alice.org.

#### City of News

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An immersive, interactive, and dynamically growing 3D Web browser. This browser fetches and displays URLs, forming skyscrapers and alleys of text and images which participants can visit as if they were exploring an urban landscape of information. The system starts with a wireframe floor map of a chosen city or area and, as the participant follows paths, it dynamically builds a virtual 3D Web world of information. It creates mental associations between information and geography as if people were living in a customized memory palace.

#### Curlybot

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Recent trends of embedding digital technology in toys have led to greater possibilities for manipulation and interaction. Curlybot is a two-wheeled toy with embedded electronics that can record and play back motion. It remembers its change in position and replays its movements with all the intricacies of the original gesture.

#### Digital Cloning System

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A 3D, realistic "human" digital character that appears on screen with the look and feel of a live actor. A state-of-the-art facial tracking and animation system tracks the motion of an actor on a live set (without a cumbersome motion capture suit) and drives the movement of a 3D digital character.

#### Emergence

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A PC-based, real-time 3D software system that explores the role of human presence in a world of artificial life. A unique interface system utilizes voice input and a haptic device for tactile feedback. Novel forms of communication between human participants and artificial life forms include symbolic and expressive sounds, gestures, and movements.

#### **Ensphered Vision**

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In this image display system, a large screen is used as an alternative to HMDs. The sphere is an ideal shape for a screen that encompasses the human visual field because it maintains a constant distance between the eyes and the screen as the viewer's head rotates. Ensphered Vision uses a single projector and a convex mirror to display seamless images.

#### **HandSCAPE**

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HandSCAPE is an orientationaware digital measuring tape. While a traditional measuring tape only measures linear distance, the addition of orientation sensors allows a vector measurement of both length and direction, and the tape can serve as an input device to computer drawing and modeling applications.

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A head-mounted projector using the X'tal Vision (Crystal Vision) technology that was demonstrated in Enhanced Realities at SIGGRAPH 98 allows users to observe stereoscopic images. These include a transparent human body, a papertype display, and a visuo-haptic integrated display.

#### Hologram/Head-Mounted Display

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This experimental see-through HMD (head-mounted display) uses holographic optical elements (HOE) instead of the half mirror that is usually used in conventional HMDs. Because it is grated, the system can produce images by diffraction, and it behaves like a heads-up display. It delivers the left and right images into both eyes, so users experience binocular parallax (stereoscopic) images.

#### HyperMask: Virtual Reactive Faces for Storytelling

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HyperMask projects an animated face onto a physical mask that is worn by an actor. As the mask moves within a prescribed area (the stage), its position and orientation are detected by a camera, and the computed projected image moves accordingly. If the orientation of the mask changes, the projected image changes with respect to the viewpoint of the audience.

#### Life Spacies

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An interaction and communication environment where remotely located visitors in a global environment (the Internet) and onsite visitors (in the local environment) interact with each other through artificial creatures.

#### The Luminous Room: Some of It, Anyway

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When the CRT breaks open and the pixels inside leak out to stain everything, one of the results can be a Luminous Room. When graphical display is not only free to occur on any surface in the room but can also react to what's happening at those surfaces and within the space, certain kinds of usefulness may ensue.

#### metaField Maze

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In this familiar maze game, a marble rolls on a flat surface, its direction determined by two knobs that control the level on perpendicular axes. The surface is crisscrossed with a network of passages separated by shallow barriers and is accented here and there with the dreaded holes that swallow the marble and end the game.

#### Microworlds, Sirens, and Argonauts

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A fantastic journey through multiscale microscopic worlds that grow and transform as users interact with them, revealing new patterns, structures, and sounds. It introduces the concept of "living narrative landscapes:" virtual spaces that allow users to successfully construct their own navigational maps and build their own representational models that can coexist with the narrative of the environments.

#### musicBottles

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musicBottles introduces a tangible interface that deploys bottles as containers and controls for digital information. The system consists of a specially designed table and three corked bottles that "contain" the sounds of the violin, the cello, and the piano in Édouard Lalo's Piano Trio in C Minor, Op. 7.

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A live, interactive, MIDI-driven, 3D world outside the Motel. An ever-changing environment that can be transformed by visitors using MIDI interfaces linked to SideEffects Houdini software and driven by Intergraph workstations.

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Shared Space merges real and virtual worlds in a way that can radically enhance face-to-face and remote collaboration. By wearing a lightweight, see-through headmounted display, face-to-face and remote users create interactive art together using virtual animated characters and props in a real tabletop environment.

#### **Surface Drawing**

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In this medium, which enables creation of a wide variety of intricate, organic 3D shapes, objects are created by moving the hand through space. The path of the hand forms surface pieces that seamlessly merge when they touch. Users can also erase, add details, and manipulate objects with a simple two-handed interface.

#### Touchable 3D Display

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In this reality-enhanced 3D display, Fresnel lenses are set so that parallax adds a sense of depth to a "real" image. Three-dimensional images appear very close to viewers (an effect that is difficult to achieve with conventional 3D displays), so viewers feel that their bodies are included in the 3D space. They interact with the images as if they were a part of the virtual environment.

#### TV Guides

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Viewers confront a living room environment that contains a video display playing live-broadcast programs. When viewers move within the installation, the audio and video fade out, and the cross hairs recede into a black screen followed by text that requests viewers to remain still. The television imagery and sound resume only after all viewers within the installation have remained motionless for at least five seconds.

#### VisiPhone

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A communication object that opens a visual and auditory portal through space by visualizing the sounds flowing between two places. VisiPhone's graphical rendering of the audio brings greater continuity and expressiveness to this connection. It portrays the existence of the connection even in moments of silence, and it expresses the dynamics and inflections of conversation.

#### Visual Conductor

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A "live" conductor directs a complex electronic orchestra with natural expressions of hands and baton. No sensors or wires impede the conductor's movements, which are sensed with video cameras. The system detects beat events and gestures related to rhythm patterns and dynamics, and uses this information to control the tempo and volume.

#### (void\*): A Cast of Characters

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In this novel gathering place that unites the physical and the digital, the interactions focus on movement, groups, and body language. This allows the audience and a cast of controllable plus autonomous characters to interact with each other.

#### Water Display

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This hemispheric, see-through display reveals images, sounds, and movement in a head-mounted system. Its hemispheric virtual immersion gives users a transparent sensation of being covered with water without getting wet.

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Zowie Intertainment is a new hightech toy and entertainment company that creates innovative play experiences for both kids and adults. Smart Toys combine the best of two worlds: traditional toys plus the power of computers and electronic chips. Experts predict that almost every toy will be powered by technology in the very near future. Today's techno-savvy kids crave increasingly sophisticated play experiences.

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The Studio focuses on teaming technologists with artists to imagine, create, and collaborate on the state of the art in a computer graphics laboratory. It is a working laboratory with highend computer workstations, a multitude of software featuring 2D and 3D design and print technologies, and an array of high-end printers.

And for SIGGRAPH 99, The Studio moves into the third dimension with 3D printing. Artists, scientists, and engineers can walk in, create, and realize their creations as animations, 2D prints, and 3D objects.



Anshuman Razdan Arizona State University

#### Location

West Hall A

Days	Hours
Sunday 8 August	1-6 pm
Monday 9 August	9 am - 6 pm
Tuesday 10 August	9 am - 6 pm
Wednesday 11 August	9 am - 6 pm
Thursday 12 August	9 am - 6 pm
Friday 13 August	9 am - 5:30 pm*

\* The computer workstation part of The Studio will close at 1 pm. However, outputs may be collected until 5:30 pm.

#### 2D Large Format Printing

The Studio is hosting a wide array of computers loaded with industry-leading software programs. Using ICC workflow, these machines are color calibrated and color matched to the large format printers to ensure superior results. Color management training is provided by professional master printers.

The large-format printing section has access to printers from a variety of the top manufacturers. Take home a copy of your work up to 72 inches wide. State-of-the-art scanning capabilities is available.

#### 3D Rapid Prototyping

The Guerilla Gallery started into the 3D realm at SIGGRAPH 98, and The Studio is continuing the trek. SIGGRAPH 99 features a full complement of UNIX, Windows NT, and Macintosh computers loaded with top-of-the-line 3D and 2D software.

The 3D "printing" section features rapid prototyping machines, so attendees can take home 3D models of their creations. Three-dimensional scanning of existing models is also provided.

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#### **NEW!** Animation

Discover the wild world of 3D animation, compositing, and editing. Become the next DeMille (or, at least, the next Ed Woods). Bring a BetacamSP tape with you so you can take your masterpiece home.

#### Make Art

The ever-popular Make Art section is for just what the name suggests, to make your art from scratch. The computers in this section have the same software that is loaded on the computers in the 2D and 3D areas. While this section does not have access to the large printers or rapid prototyping machines, you can print up to tabloid (11-inch x 17-inch) size prints on color inkjet and color laser printers. Also, this is where can transfer your artwork to a t-shirt and take advantage of high-end, color-calibrated scanners.

## GraphicsNet

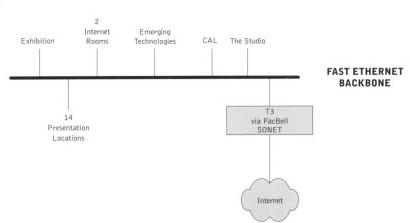
A state-of-the-art fiber backbone network linking programs and exhibitors within the conference to the global computer graphics community.

GraphicsNet is the SIGGRAPH 99 conference intranet. It serves as the link among the many conference programs and events, and as the gateway to the global graphics community. GraphicsNet is a production backbone based on Fast Ethernet (100 Mbps) links to the Exhibition; the Internet Access Centers; the 14 presentation rooms for Papers, Panels, Courses, Sketches & Applications; and the Electronic Schoolhouse: Educators Program | sigKIDS | Community Outreach; Emerging Technologies: The Millennium Motel; the Creative Applications Lab: The Digital Cafe; and The Studio. The production backbone is built with products from Cisco Systems, 3COM, Fluke, and others. It is connected to the Internet through a T3 circuit on the Pac Bell optical fiber Synchronous Optical Network (SONET) ring that serves the Los Angeles Convention Center.

The primary network management workstation and servers used in the Network Operations Center (NOC) are supplied by Sun Microsystems, Inc.

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## Career Services

Are you looking for a job in the computer graphics industry? Does your company have openings for qualified individuals in the computer graphics industry? If so, then the SIGGRAPH 99 Career Center and Job Fair are the perfect places for you!

- · Résumés and job openings are posted and distributed.
- · Interview scheduling is offered.
- · Career mentoring services are available.
- · A CD-ROM of résumés is available for purchase.

#### Career Center

All registered SIGGRAPH 99 attendees and exhibitors are invited to meet and explore mutual interests in the Career Center.

- · Post résumés and job openings.
- · Schedule job interviews.
- Distribute résumés and demo reels to employers.
- Talk with experienced professionals about your computer graphics career.

Companies that are not SIGGRAPH 99 exhibitors must pay a \$500 fee to participate in the Career Center. A discount applies to non-profit organizations.

#### Career Center Location

Room 150

Days	Hours
Saturday 7 August	6 - 8 pm
Sunday 8 August	noon - 7 pm
Monday 9 August	8 am - 6 pm
Tuesday 10 August	8 am - 6 pm
Wednesday 11 August	8 am - 6 pm
Thursday 12 August	8 am - 6 pm
Friday 13 August	8 am - 3 pm

#### Job Fair

All registered SIGGRAPH 99 attendees are welcome to attend. Exhibitors and non-exhibitors are eligible to participate for a \$750 fee.

#### Job Fair Location

Room 515

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Wednesday 11 August 8 am - 6 pm

Hours

#### Job Fair Participants (as of 7/1/99)\*

The 3DO Company Redwood City, California USA

The Aerospace Corporation El Segundo, California USA

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\* See sign in Career Center for updated list of participating companies.

## Birds of a Feather/ Special Interest Groups

Birds of a Feather meetings (Room 508A) are impromptu gatherings. They can be scheduled at any time, to discuss any subject. To organize your own impromptu meeting, simply use the sign-up board in the South Lobby, where late additions and revisions to the Special Interest Groups and Birds of a Feather schedule are posted.

#### Special Interest Groups (SIGs)

are for attendees who think and work in similar technologies and environments. Special Interest Groups are open to all attendees. They are usually informal. At some, general subjects are discussed; others convene around topics related to specific product vendors. See the SIGGRAPH 99 Conference and Exhibition Locator for room locations and times of SIGs.

For more information on these Special Interest Groups, contact:

#### 3rd Annual Ozone - Art, A-Life, Tech Innovation

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#### **AMAPI 3D Modeling SIG**

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## International Services

SIGGRAPH 99 welcomes thousands of international computer graphics scientists, developers, and practitioners to this year's annual conference. Members of the SIGGRAPH 99 International Committee and a multilingual staff of student volunteers are available to help international attendees take full advantage of all the programs, events, and the Exhibition.

#### International Center

West Lobby

All international attendees are invited to make the SIGGRAPH 99 International Center their home away from home. During the conference, student volunteers provide assistance and conference information. Look for their yellow vest with flags that indicate their language fluency.

#### **International Welcome Reception**

Wednesday 11 August, 6 - 8 pm Westin Bonaventure Pool Area, 4th Floor All registered international attendees are invited.

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Les membres polyglotes de notre Comité Internationale restent à votre disposition pour répondre à vos questions et pour vous fournir toutes informations complémentaires sur le SIGGRAPH 99.

Mitglieder des mehrsprachigen Internationalen Komitees stehen bereit, um Fragen zu beantworten und Anskunft über SIGGRAPH 99 zu erteilen.

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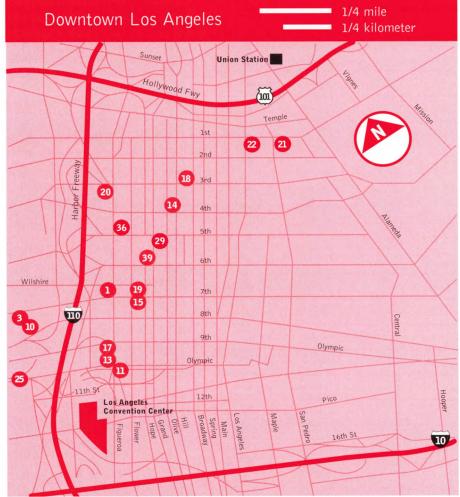
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## Registration and Media Information

#### Member Rate

If you are currently an ACM of SIGGRAPH member, you are eligible for member discounts. You must provide your current ACM or SIGGRAPH membership number in order to receive the discount, otherwise you will be charged the non-member rate. Local or regional SIGGRAPH memberships are not eligible for registration discounts.

#### Student Rate

You must be a full-time student in order to qualify. You must attach copies of the following to your registration form to qualify for student rates:

- \* Your 1999 ACM student membership card OR
- \* Your valid 1999 student identification card, AND a letter on school letterhead verifying you are a student. The letter must include your registrar's name, address, and phone number so we can verify your student status.

If you do not follow the above instructions, you will not receive the student discount and will be charged the non-member rate. In addition, you must present your ID card (not a copy) in order to pick up your credentials.

#### **Registration Hours**

If you registered by Friday 2 July, please go to Advanced Registration in Kentia Hall. Otherwise proceed to Onsite Registration, also in Kentia Hall.

Days	Hours
Saturday 7 August	6 - 8 pm
Sunday 8 August	noon - 7 pm
Monday 9 August	8 am - 6 pm
Tuesday 10 August	8 am - 6 pm
Wednesday 11 August	8 am - 6 pm
Thursday 12 August	8 am - 5 pm
Friday 13 August	8 am - 1 pm

#### Media Headquarters Hours

Days	Hours
Sunday 8 August	10 am - 6 pm
Monday 9 August	8 am - 6 pm
Tuesday 10 August	8 am - 6 pm
Wednesday 11 August	8 am - 6 pm
Thursday 12 August	8 am - 5 pm
Friday 13 August	8:30 am - 1 pm

#### Media Registration

Media representatives must register in the Media Headquarters Office, Room 301. You must submit full and proper media credentials for a media pass. No exceptions will be made.

#### **Media Briefing**

LACC Theater (Room 411)
Tuesday 10 August 8:15 - 8:45 am

The official SIGGRAPH media briefing is the place to hear what's new and what's hot at SIGGRAPH 99. Preview the Electronic Theater and receive insight into SIGGRAPH 99 programs and activities.

#### **Exhibition Floor Tour**

Immediately following the Media Briefing Tuesday 10 August

The SIGGRAPH 99 Exhibition, a benchmark for the diversity and exponential growth of digital technologies, showcases over 325 exhibitors in more than 150,000 square feet. Gain access to the exhibit floor before it opens to the public. Get a "sneak preview" of the latest products and applications. Small groups of media representatives will be escorted onto the exhibit floor.

#### **Media Tours**

Art Gallery: technOasis

Monday 9 August 9 - 10 am

#### Emerging Technologies: The Millennium Motel

Monday 9 August 9 - 10 am Thursday 12 August 9 - 10 am

#### **Exhibitor Media Events**

A schedule of various exhibitor media events will be available in the Media Headquarters Office, Room 301.

### Attendee Services

SIGGRAPH 99 and the Los Angeles Convention Center offer several services during the conference to make your week more enjoyable.

#### Airport Shuttle Desk

Kentia Hall

Wednesday 11 August	8 am - 6 pm
Thursday 12 August	8 am - 5 pm
Friday 13 August	8 am - 1 pm

A service desk is available to make airport shuttle reservations. Return reservations should be made at least one day prior to your departure.

#### Audio/Visual Services

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Monday 9 August	7 am - 7 pm
Tuesday 10 August	7 am - 7 pm
Wednesday 11 August	7 am - 7 pm
Thursday 12 August	7 am - 7 pm
Friday 13 August	7 am - 2 pm

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#### Automated Teller Machines (ATMs)

There is an ATM in the Los Angeles Convention Center located next to the Business Center on the Concourse walkway.

#### **Baggage Check**

South Lobby

SIGGRAPH 99 provides complimentary luggage check services for briefcases, backpacks, and other small items during conference hours. SIGGRAPH 99 is not responsible for items left in the Baggage Check overnight. Items left after hours will be unattended.

#### Banks/Currency Exchange

The nearest bank to the Los Angeles Convention Center is 1st Business Bank, 601 West Fifth Street, +1.213.489.1000. The nearest currency exchange is the World Banknotes Exchange, 406B West Sixth Street, +1.213.627.5404.

#### Bookstore

West Lobby

Business Outreach Books offers computergraphics related books at the Los Angeles Convention Center during SIGGRAPH 99. Titles will also be available online after SIGGRAPH 99. See the SIGGRAPH 99 Web site for further details:

www.siggraph.org/s99/

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Friday 13 August	8 am - 5 pm

Note: Bookstore returns will be accepted up to 30 days after the conference. All bookstore policies are those of Business Outreach Books and not SIGGRAPH 99.

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These desks are staffed with individuals to assist you in making reservations at local Los Angeles restaurants. These desks are open during registration hours. The Restaurant Information desks are closed on Saturday.

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Staff can assist you in shipping your merchandise, Course Notes, and other conference materials. For your convenience, the shipping desk provides next-day air, second-day air, and regular ground shipping services to destinations throughout the world. The shipping desk is open during registration hours.

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The Electronic Theater will take place at the Shrine Auditorium.

#### Matinée

Tuesday 10 August	2 - 4 pi	n
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Matinée shuttles begin transporting attendees to the Shrine one hour prior to the start time. Shuttles return to the LACC only after the performance. Electronic Theater matinée shuttles do not deliver attendees to hotels.

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All speakers must check in at the Speaker Prep Room at least 24 hours before their presentation.

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West Lobby

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#### Ticket Purchase and Exchange Counter Kentia Hall

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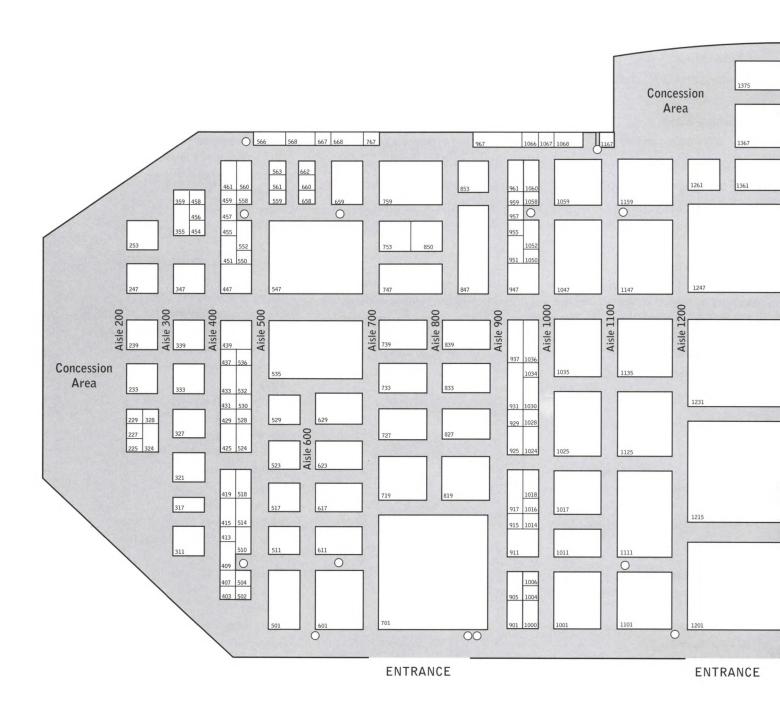
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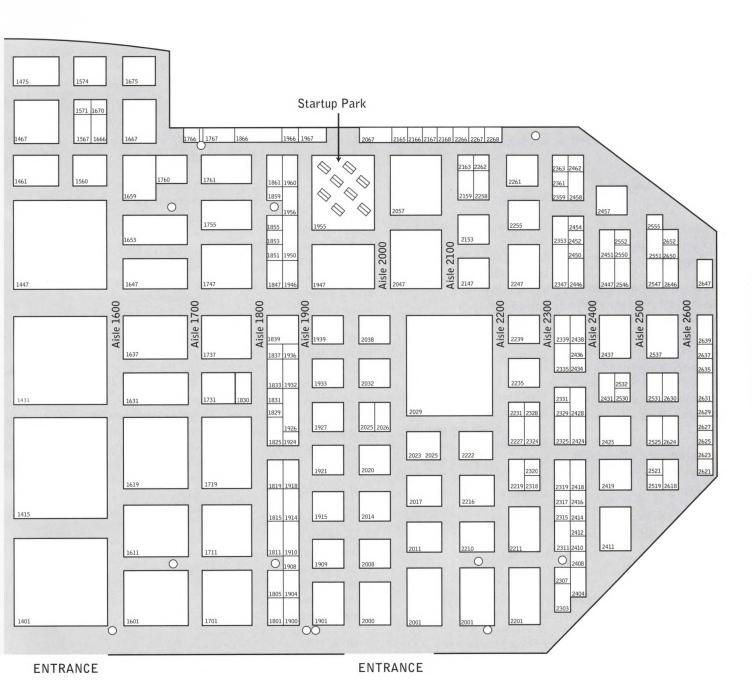
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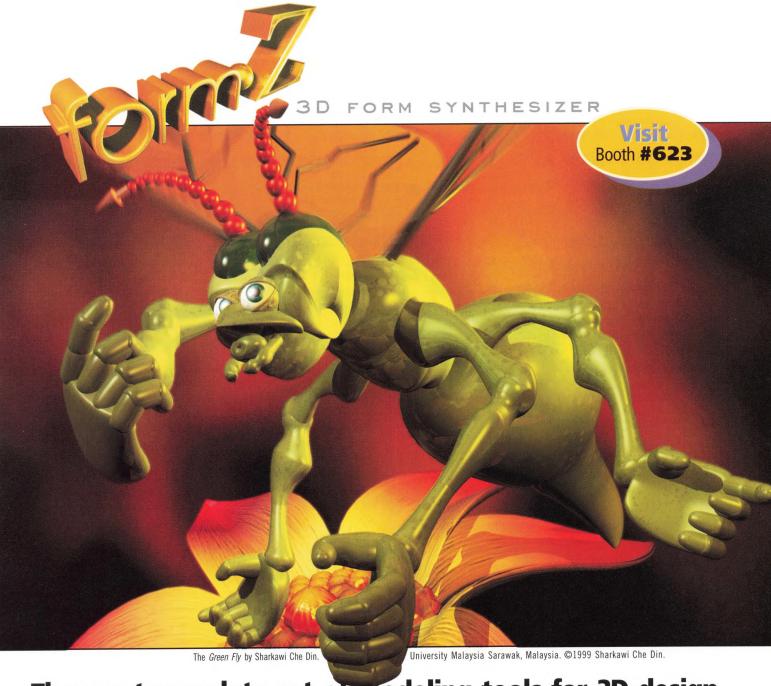
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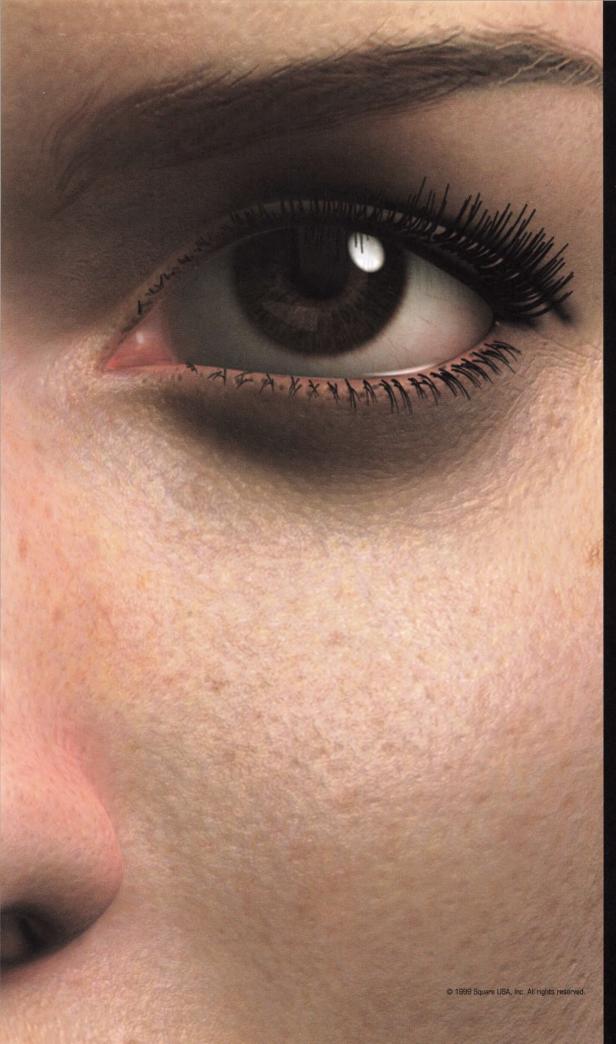
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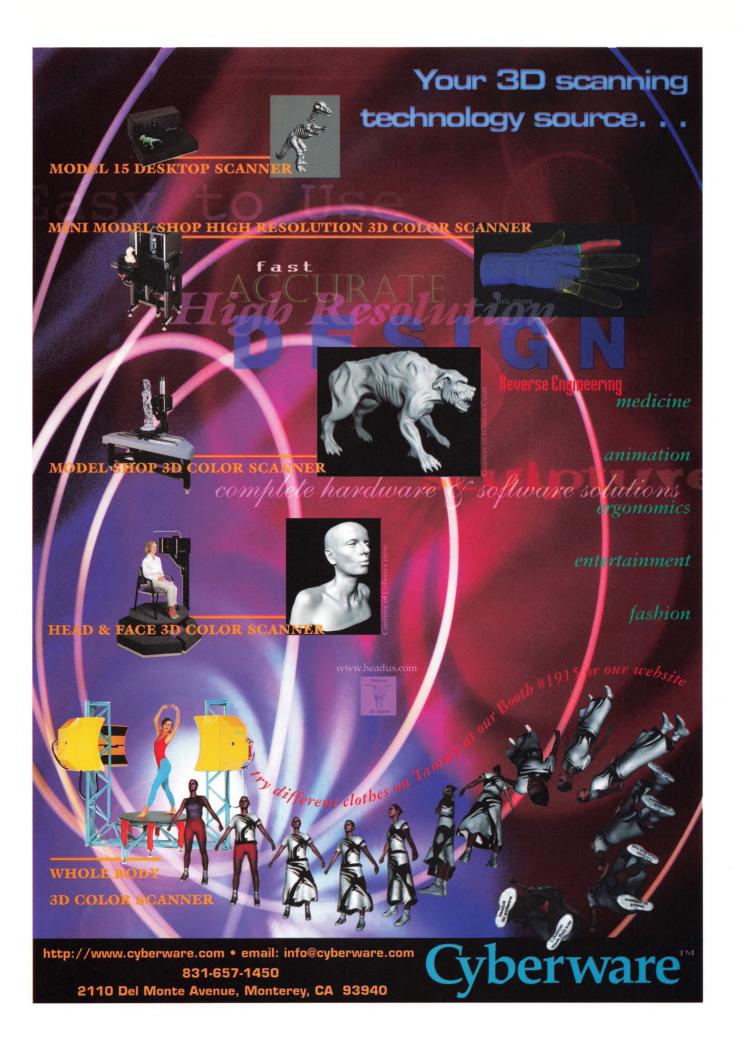
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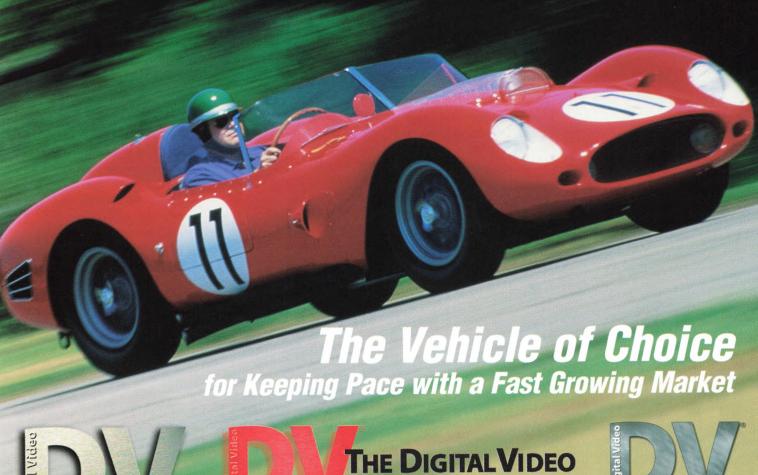
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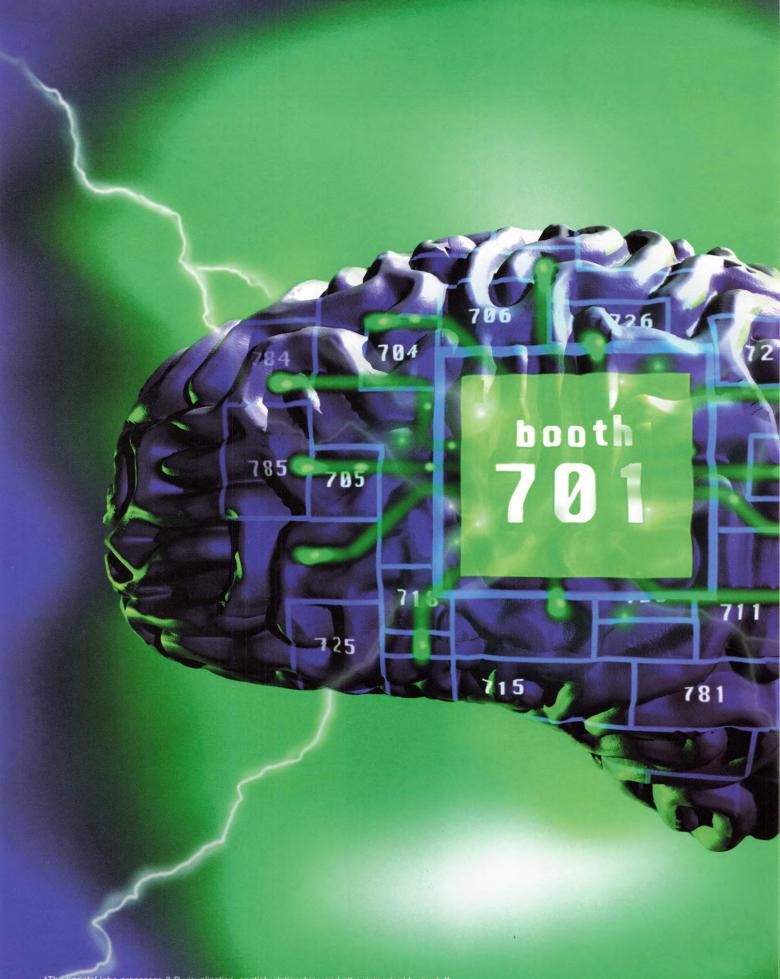
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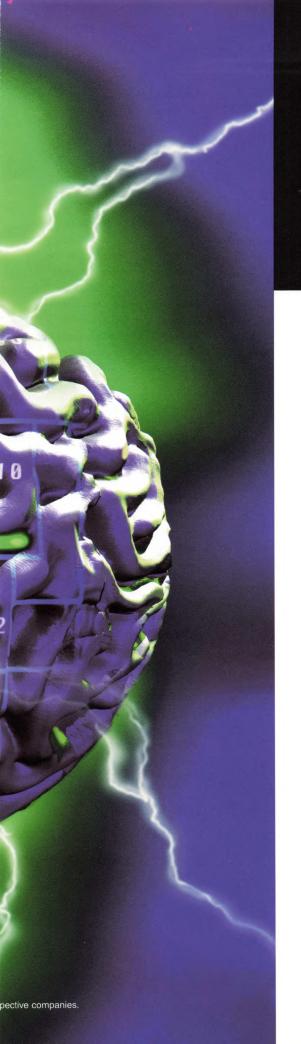
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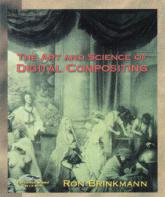
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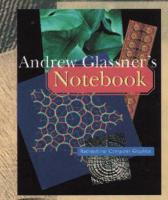


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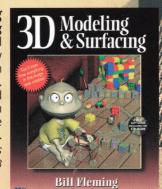
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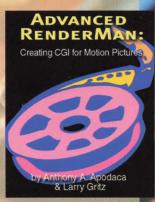
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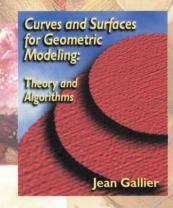
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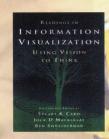
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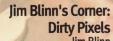


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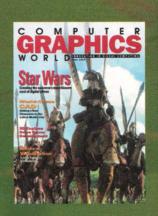


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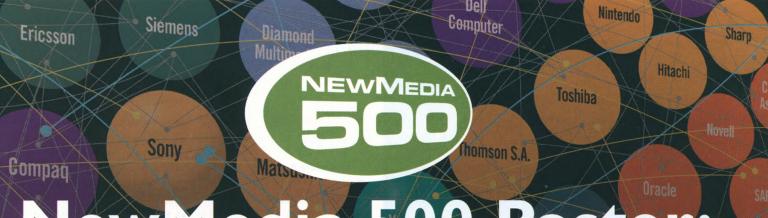
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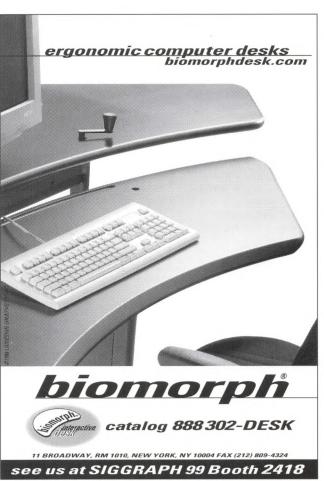
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	Systems	833	QuVIS	1936	Charles River Media	518	Linker Systems, Inc.
1947	InterSense, Incorporated	1924	RGB Spectrum	532	The Coriolis Group	1135	Matrox
2231	JLCooper Electronics	1201/	SGI	617	Digital Immersion	2008	Media 100 Inc.
1960	Journey Education	1401			Software Corporation	2317	Microboards Technology
	Marketing	1805	Sharp Electronics	2219	Grande Vitesse Systems	247	MMS Multi Media
2267	Measurand Inc.		Corporation	547	Intergraph Computer		Systems
1025	MUSE Technologies, Inc.	951	Sierra Design Labs		Systems	535	NewTek
925	n-vision, inc.	1619/	Sony Electronics Inc.	1960	Journey Education	409	Okino Computer
409	Okino Computer	947/105			Marketing		Graphics, Inc.
	Graphics, Inc.	915	TNT Technologies	1933	LEGASYS International	1711	Panasonic Broadcast &
2011	Paraform	2329	Vancouver Film School	1560	Lenticular Development,		Television Systems
1747	Polhemus, Inc.	2222	Viewgraphics Inc.		Inc.	2550	Panoram Technologies
929	Purdue University	2159	Workstation Users	2317	Microboards Technology	1000	Photron USA
514	Questar Productions		Alliance, Inc.	535	NewTek	833	QuVIS
2311	Raindrop Geomagic, Inc.			2550	Panoram Technologies	1201/	SGI
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	Associates		ences/Exhibitions	833	QuVIS	1619/	Sony Electronics Inc.
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1201/	SGI	727	NAB2000	1361	TGS	2222	Viewgraphics Inc.
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2211	Minolta Corporation	1904	Atomic Power	1909	Management Graphics,	2222	Viewgraphics Inc.
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1004	Professional Marketing		Systems	1719	MetaCreations	1761	Wicks and Wilson
	Services	2347	B&H Photo-Video-Pro		Corporation		Limited
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1619/	Sony Electronics Inc.	853	Big Idea Productions,	239	Nothing Real		
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			World		Services		
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		2353	Digibotics, Inc.	747	REALVIZ		
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536	Desktop Images	1401		1955 P	Systems in Motion	1361	TGS
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1900	Fraunhofer CRCG, Inc.	1767	AJA Video			1955 M	Abvent, Inc.
1261	GESTEL	552	Ensemble Designs			601	Advanced Rendering
2359	Gnomon, Inc. School of	1932	FORE Systems, Inc.	Gaming	Support Tools		Technology
	Visual Effects	523	Miranda Technologies	Booth		253	AIST Inc.
437	International Fine Arts		Inc.	1034	3DMetrics, Inc.	1415/	Alias Wavefront
	College	833	QuVIS		(Division of In-Harmony	1631	
2231	JLCooper Electronics	951	Sierra Design Labs		Technology)	623	auto.des.sys, Inc.
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535	NewTek	2618	<b>Xybernaut Corporation</b>	1631			World
2532	Next Limit SL			524	Arete Entertainment	2353	Digibotics, Inc.
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1215	Sun Microsystems, Inc.	1017	Cycore Computers	518	Linker Systems, Inc.	1068	PhoeniX Technologies
967	Toronto Ontario Visual	2451	Cyra Technologies	321	MathEngine Inc.		Incorporated
	Effects Industry	2353	Digibotics, Inc.	317	Maxon Computer, Inc.	839	Pixologic, Inc.
2057	Trimension Systems	339	Fakespace, Inc.	2267	Measurand Inc.	1747	Polhemus, Inc.
917	UCLA Center for Digital	1900	Fraunhofer CRCG, Inc.	535	NewTek	1701	Quantel Inc.
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2329	Vancouver Film School	321	MathEngine Inc.		Graphics, Inc.	1215	Sun Microsystems, Inc.
1731	Wacom Technology	2267	Measurand Inc.	2011	Paraform	1955 L	Synthetik Software, Inc.
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	Corporation	1025	MUSE Technologies, Inc.		Incorporated	2216	Toyobo Co. Ltd.
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		925	n-vision, inc.	1401			
		409	Okino Computer	1147	Side Effects Software		
		707	Graphics, Inc.	1955 P	Systems in Motion		
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611	GigaPixel Corporation	937	Geometrix, Inc.	1231	IBM		Systems Development
1231	IBM	2219	Grande Vitesse Systems	547	Intergraph Computer		Corporation
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	Alliance, Inc.	2324	Upgrade Technology Inc.			1747	Polhemus, Inc.
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			Limited	Booth		833	QuVIS
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629	Caligari Corporation	Booth			International, Cinema	1147	Side Effects Software
2303	Cebas Computer	1767	AJA Video		Systems	1215	Sun Microsystems, Inc.
409	Okino Computer	1659	Amazon/Interactive	233	BOXX Technologies, Inc.	727	SynaPix, Inc.
	Graphics, Inc.		Effects	1801	CELCO	429	SyncMagic
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1215	Sun Microsystems, Inc.	1447	Avid Technology	1932	FORE Systems, Inc.	2210	V-Star
1955 P	Systems in Motion	233	BOXX Technologies, Inc.	1900	Fraunhofer CRCG, Inc.		7 0 101
1361	TGS	2029	Discreet	1030	Lightwave		
	V-Star	247	DVS Digital Video, Inc.	1000	Communications	Industri	al Docina
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Booth		247	MMS Multi Media	247	MMS Multi Media		Technology)
2635	blaxxun interactive		Systems		Systems	1955 M	Abvent, Inc.
1025	MUSE Technologies, Inc.	535	NewTek	535	NewTek	601	Advanced Rendering
951	Sierra Design Labs	733	NVIDIA Corporation	733	NVIDIA Corporation		Technology
1215	Sun Microsystems, Inc.	1711	Panasonic Broadcast &	925	n-vision, inc.	1415/	Alias Wavefront
			Television Systems	1819	Oxberry	1631	
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Haptic	Input Devices		(Systems) Inc.	1068	PhoeniX Technologies	2418	Biomorph Interactive
Booth		1701	Quantel Inc.		Incorporated		Desk
501	3D Systems	833	QuVIS	1701	Quantel Inc.	2303	Cebas Computer
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1947	InterSense, Incorporated	1401		1201/	SGI	1017	Cycore Computers
2267	Measurand Inc.	2452	Sheridan College	1401		2353	Digibotics, Inc.
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1025	MUSE Technologies, Inc.	2438	Savannah College of Art	1034	3DMetrics, Inc.	2552	System Upgrade, Inc.
2532	Next Limit SL		and Design		(Division of In Harmony	915	TNT Technologies
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	Graphics, Inc.	1201/	SGI	454	Eyetronics		
2550	Panoram Technologies	1401		1900	Fraunhofer CRCG, Inc.		
2011	Paraform	951	Sierra Design Labs	457	Fujitsu Takamisawa	Motion	Capture
1747	Polhemus, Inc.	1215	Sun Microsystems, Inc.		America, Inc./ITU	Booth	
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2311	Raindrop Geomagic, Inc.	1955 0	VARTEC	1261	GESTEL	2021	(Division of In Harmony
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601	Advanced Rendering	937	Geometrix, Inc.	1231	IBM		Incorporated
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	3D-SYSTEMS GmbH	1068	PhoeniX Technologies	2347	B&H Photo-Video-Pro	2210	V-Star
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1560	Lenticular Development		of EAI	547	Intergraph Computer		
	Inc.	951	Sierra Design Labs		Systems		
439	LightWork Design	1215	Sun Microsystems, Inc.	1030	Lightwave		
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1719	MetaCreations	915	TNT Technologies	2235	nStor		
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1631	Alias Wavefront		Audio	566	Addison-Wesley Advanced Imaging	601	Abvent, Inc. Advanced Rendering
1659	Amazon/Interactive	2434	CamSys, Inc.		Magazine		Technology
	Effects	1159	Dell Computer	528/	Advanstar Digital Media	253	AIST Inc.
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SIGGRAPH is ACM's Special Interest Group on Computer Graphics and Interactive Techniques. In the span of 30 years, SIGGRAPH has grown from a handful of computer graphics enthusiasts to a diverse membership including artists, engineers, animators, filmmakers, software and hardware developers, scientists, mathematicians, and other professionals in the field of computer graphics. In addition to its own annual conference, SIGGRAPH serves the worldwide graphics community by sponsoring focused conferences, professional chapters, awards, grants, educational resources, online resources, public policy, and the SIGGRAPH Video Review. Be a part of the SIGGRAPH Organization by becoming a SIGGRAPH member. Memberships start at \$29.

#### SIGGRAPH Organization Forum

Room 306

#### Thursday 12 August 12:15 - 1:30 pm

SIGGRAPH invites you to hear about the latest developments in our year-round activities and about our plans for the future, to meet the volunteers who make these activities work, and to tell us what the SIGGRAPH organization can do to help you between our annual conferences. This year we highlight the celebration of SIGGRAPH's 30th year as well as several other projects. Everyone is welcome!

#### Benefits of SIGGRAPH Membership

SIGGRAPH members receive four issues of the quarterly newsletter Computer Graphics, which contains articles on current topics in CG and columns by CG leaders on art and computer graphics, international computer graphics, chapter activities, education, pioneers, and graphics standards. For more information, see:

#### www.siggraph.org/newsletter

SIGGRAPH members also receive discounted registrations for the annual conference as well as reduced registration fees for other events including Web 3D, Interactive 3D Graphics, Volume Visualization, Computational Geometry, Implicit Surfaces, User Interface Software and Technology, Autonomous Agents, Solid Modeling, Graphics Hardware Workshop, Implicit Surfaces Workshop, Parallel Visualization, and Graphics Symposium.

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#### Association for Computing Machinery

ACM, the world's first and largest computing society, serves as an umbrella organization for information-technology professionals. Benefits of membership include discounts on cutting-edge magazines, journals, books, and conferences. ACM members may also subscribe to the online Digital Library, which contains six years of publication archives and conference proceedings, 22 high-tech publications, and a state-ofthe-art search engine. Computer graphics professionals who join both ACM and SIGGRAPH are eligible for discounted subscriptions to ACM Transactions on Graphics and the Journal of Graphics Tools. For more information, see:

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#### **Professional Chapters**

Professional Chapters of ACM SIGGRAPH exist in 35 cities in 12 countries around the world. They form an international multicultural network of the people who develop, continue, share, and extend the work and achievements presented at the annual conference. Each chapter includes members involved in education, the arts, research, development, industry, and entertainment who are interested in the development of computer graphics and its related technologies and applications. For more information, see:

www.siggraph.org/chapters

#### **SIGGRAPH One More Time**

The SIGGRAPH One More Time booth offers attendees the opportunity to purchase publications from previous SIGGRAPH-sponsored conferences and workshops. For more information, see: www.siggraph.org/publications

#### Education

SIGGRAPH supports both computer graphics education and the use of computer graphics in education with curriculum studies, a quarterly newsletter for educators, and other educational projects. The SIGGRAPH Education booth features SPACE (a juried exhibition of student animations and posters, and a display of student slides submitted by faculty from around the world) and SPICE, a juried exhibition of student interactive projects. For more information, see:

#### **SIGGRAPH Video Review**

Since 1979, SIGGRAPH Video Review, the world's most widely circulated video-based publication, has illustrated the latest concepts in computer graphics and interactive techniques. Over 130 issues provide an unequaled opportunity to study advanced computer graphics theory and applications. SIGGRAPH Video Review tapes are available at SIGGRAPH 99 in NTSC VHS and PAL VHS. For more information, see: www.siggraph.org/svr

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Join us next summer in New Orleans, when the turn-of-the-century magic of computer graphics and interactive techniques will amaze 30,000 enthusiasts from around the world. Do you have the skill, energy, and sense of adventure it takes to help us create this major international event? Join us at Get Involved (Wednesday 11 August, 5:30 - 7 pm) or meet us at the SIGGRAPH 2000 booth. Meet the conference committee. Pick up a copy of the SIGGRAPH 2000 Call for Participation. Volunteer for the next generation of computer graphics breakthroughs and help make it a reality in New Orleans! For more information, see: www.siggraph.org/s2000

#### The Eurographics/SIGGRAPH Workshop on Graphics Hardware

A highly visible, established international forum for exchanging experience and knowledge related to computer graphics hardware. This year's workshop is 8-9 August 1999. For more information, see:

www.merl.com/hwws99/

#### Volunteers!

SIGGRAPH relies heavily on volunteer support. As a member, you are encouraged to make a difference in the computer graphics community by volunteering to work on the annual conference, other conferences, professional chapters, educational efforts, or many other activities. Stop by any of the SIGGRAPH organization booths, come to the SIGGRAPH Organization Forum, or attend the Get Involved gathering. We need you to help us make a difference! For more information, see:

www.siggraph.org/volunteering/

#### **Get Involved**

Room 306

#### Wednesday 11 August - 5:30 - 7 pm

Some common questions about SIGGRAPH: What is it? Who's in charge? Who plans and produces this complex annual event? How can I let SIGGRAPH know what I would do to make it even better?

The best source for answers: SIGGRAPH Get Involved. Here's your chance to meet the current group of SIGGRAPH volunteers – from the organization and conference committees – for informative conversations about what they do and how you can help.

All SIGGRAPH 99 attendees, exhibitors, and contributors are invited. All questions and comments are welcome. Tell us what you want to do, and we'll help you find the right opportunity!

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# SIGGRAPH 30th Year Anniversary Celebration

This year, SIGGRAPH is celebrating its 30th year. Those of you who attended the SIGGRAPH 98 conference are probably asking, "Didn't SIGGRAPH just celebrate 25 years?"

The answer is yes ... and no. SIGGRAPH 98 marked the 25th SIGGRAPH annual conference, celebrated with exhibits and activities to showcase the history of the SIGGRAPH conference and the history of computer graphics. However, ACM SIGGRAPH existed as an organization for five years before holding its first conference.

The Pathways to the Future Exhibit at SIGGRAPH 99 celebrates SIGGRAPH's 30th year by showcasing organizational activities, as it looks to the future. Here are some of the highlights of this exhibit, which is located in the concourse foyer outside Room 151/153 in the Los Angeles Convention Center.

#### Information About the Organization

Learn about SIGGRAPH's mission, purpose, values, and goals, and how to become a SIGGRAPH member.

#### Volunteer Experiences

If you have ever been a SIGGRAPH volunteer, record your experience as a SIGGRAPH volunteer and pick up a SIGGRAPH volunteer ribbon.

#### **SIGGRAPH Fortune Tellers**

See the winning fortunes from the SIGGRAPH fortune cookie contest, predicting the future for SIGGRAPH and for computer graphics. Winning fortunes will also be distributed in fortune cookies Tuesday - Thursday.

#### SIGGRAPH Public Policy Committee

See the results of a survey on unsolved problems in computer graphics.

#### **ACM SIGGRAPH Publications**

Get information on the wide variety of publications in print, video, CD-ROM, slides, and the Publications Outreach program.

#### **SIGGRAPH Small Conferences**

Get information on the small conferences, workshops, and symposia that are sponsored or co-sponsored by ACM SIGGRAPH

#### The Story of Computer Graphics

See a trailer from this feature-length movie that chronicles the history of computer graphics and animation.

#### SIGGRAPH/Smithsonian Video Project

See the video, "Visualizing Science through Computer Graphics," that was created with the Division of Information, Technology, and Society at the Smithsonian Institute.

#### **Envisioning the Future Art Show**

This small, focused art show looks towards the future.

#### SIGGRAPH Special Projects

See examples of recently-funded projects - Carto project which integrates computer graphics and spatial data; Electronic Immersions; and Computer Animation from the 1970s. And get information on how you can apply for Special Project funds.

#### ACM SIGGRAPH Professional Chapters

See a map of locations of professional chapters worldwide, and get information on joining a professional chapter near you or starting a new chapter.

#### **SIGGRAPH Educational Activities**

Browse a CD of SIGGRAPH educational materials, and see the recommendations for directions in computer education from the Eurographics/SIGGRAPH co-sponsored Computer Graphics and Visualization Education Workshop held in Portugal in July.

#### **Predictions and Suggestions**

Record your predictions for the future in computer graphics or SIGGRAPH, or give suggestions to SIGGRAPH on what you would like SIGGRAPH to be doing.

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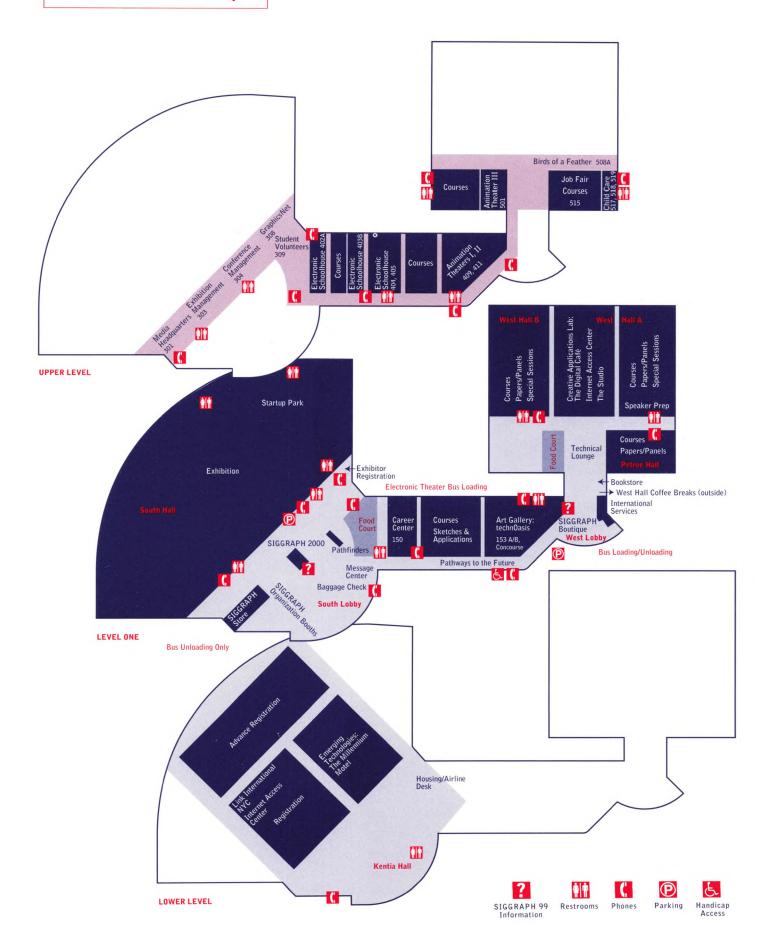
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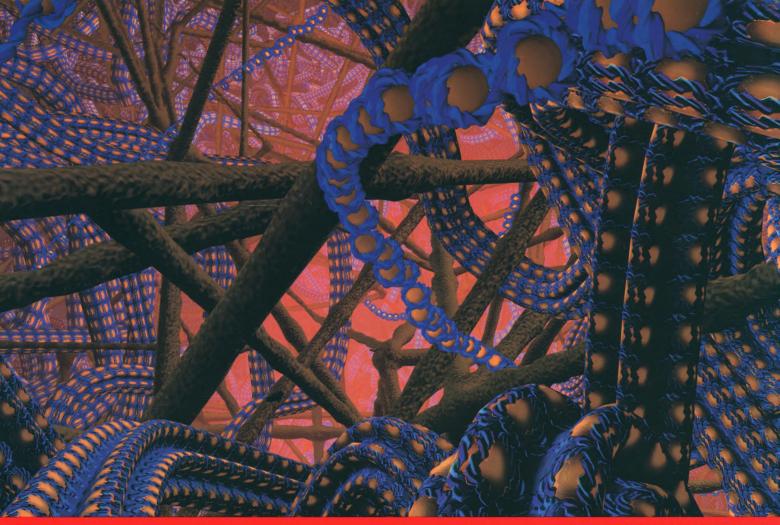
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