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Welcome to the week we've been waiting for all year long: SIGGRAPH 94!

The SIGGRAPH conference has been special for me since I attended my first conference in 1981. It's our community's annual reunion, where we gather from all over the world after 12 action-packed months of thinking, investigating, producing, teaching, learning, creating, and exploring. The annual conference is the culmination of all these efforts. This is where we do what we do best:

- *Exchange ideas and experiences about new concepts and theories.*
- *Establish new benchmarks for technologies of the future.*
- *Form new alliances to take on new challenges of common interest.*
- *Argue about ideas, approaches, techniques, and results.*
- *Celebrate the finest work in all aspects of computer graphics and interactive techniques.*
- *Talk all night.*
- *Party.*

SIGGRAPH 94 is designed to help us do all that, and more. If you're a SIGGRAPH veteran, we have all the forums and events that have always been so important to your work in this fast-evolving field. If you're a SIGGRAPH newcomer, I hope you're prepared for an amazing interdisciplinary adventure in the latest computer graphics technologies.

As you might imagine, this year I have been looking forward to the annual SIGGRAPH conference more than ever before. Over the past 18 months, I have had a close-up view of SIGGRAPH 94's growth from a few preliminary, speculative ideas to a complex, massively parallel series of presentations, displays, performances, showings, and environments that, taken all together, comprise the state of the art of computer graphics and interactive techniques.

The credit for making SIGGRAPH 94 the exciting reality it has become goes to the SIGGRAPH 94 contributors and committee, who served with such great dedication, patience, imagination, intelligence, and good humor. When you see the committee members here in Orlando this week, I hope you'll join me in expressing the gratitude all of us feel for their many long hours and inspired ideas on the way to completing a job well done.

Now, after months of preparation, we're ready to experience SIGGRAPH 94. Thanks for joining us!



Dino Schweitzer  
SIGGRAPH 94 Chair



# The Tradition and Vision

The unique blend of inspiration and intellectual challenge, fun and fascination, excitement and exploration. The next redefinition of technologies and applications. As SIGGRAPH 94 leads the computer graphics industry toward the 21st century.

SIGGRAPH 94 focuses on the future with a special emphasis on computer graphics and interactive techniques applied to four leading-edge areas:

- **Personal technology** – HDTV; personal digital applications; the merger of computer and communications technologies.
- **Digital media** – multimedia products, technologies, and applications; advanced communications techniques.
- **Scientific computing** – scientific visualization; high-performance computing and communications.
- **Virtual reality** – experiential simulations for research and entertainment.

## HIGHLIGHTS

### Special Sessions

A behind-the-scenes look at special-venue theaters – the “rides” that create virtual adventures. And a review of the ideas and projects designed to deliver interactive in-home entertainment.

### Technical Sketches

Surprising inspirations for the next generation of computer graphics and interactive techniques.

### VROOM

Collaborative, immersive virtual worlds generated by massive scientific and engineering datasets.

### Electronic Theater

The world’s first stereoscopic, high-definition, audience-participation computer game.

### Music Gallery

In response to an experimental call for music, SIGGRAPH 94 received submissions from composers throughout the world. Excerpts from their works are playing in the atrium area near Hall E.

### Exhibition

The first sold-out exhibition floor in SIGGRAPH history.

### SIGGRAPH Bowl 2

It’s back!

### The Edge

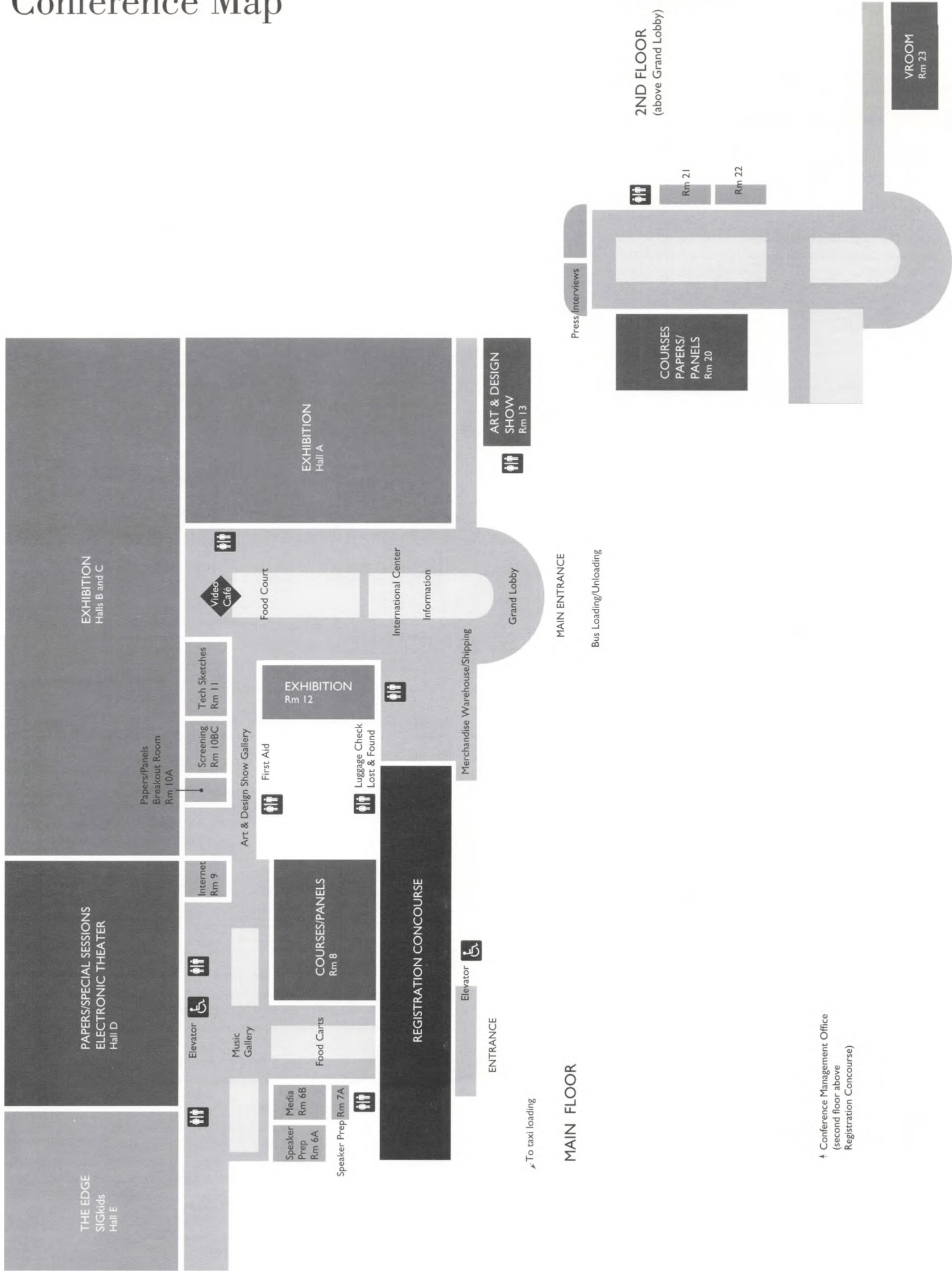
Where imaginations descend to the ocean’s depths and soar beyond the galaxy.

# Conference at a Glance

	SUN 24 JULY	MON 25 JULY	TUE 26 JULY	WED 27 JULY	THU 28 JULY	FRI 29 JULY
<b>REGISTRATION / MERCHANDISE</b> Registration Concourse Orange County Convention Center	noon to 10 pm	7:30 am to 7 pm	7:30 am to 7 pm	7:30 am to 6 pm	8 am to 6 pm	9 am to 1 pm
<b>EXHIBITION</b> Halls A, B, C and Room 12 Orange County Convention Center			10 am to 6 pm	10 am to 6 pm	10 am to 3:30 pm	
<b>COURSES</b> (full- and half-day) See Conference Locator for course locations		8:30 am to noon  1:30 pm to 5 pm	8:30 am to noon  1:30 pm to 5 pm	8:30 am to noon  1:30 pm to 5 pm		
<b>LABS</b> (half-day) See Conference Locator for course locations		8:30 am to noon  1:30 pm to 5 pm	8:30 am to noon  1:30 pm to 5 pm	8:30 am to noon  1:30 pm to 5 pm	8:30 am to noon  1:30 pm to 5 pm	
<b>PAPERS</b> Hall D and Room 20 Orange County Convention Center				10:15 am to 5:15 pm	8:15 am to 5:15 pm	8:15 am to 5:15 pm
<b>TECHNICAL SKETCHES</b> Room 11 Orange County Convention Center				1:30 pm to 2:30 pm	10:15 am to 3 pm	10:15 am to 3:15 pm
<b>PANELS</b> Rooms 8 and 20 Orange County Convention Center				10:15 am to 5:15 pm	8:15 am to 5:15 pm	8:15 am to 5:15 pm
<b>ART AND DESIGN SHOW</b> Room 13 Orange County Convention Center	5 pm to 7 pm	9 am to 7 pm	9 am to 7 pm	9 am to 7 pm	9 am to 7 pm	9 am to 1 pm
<b>THE EDGE</b> Hall E Orange County Convention Center	5 pm to 7 pm	9 am to 7 pm	9 am to 7 pm	9 am to 7 pm	9 am to 7 pm	9 am to 1 pm
<b>VROOM</b> Room 23 Orange County Convention Center		9 am to 9 pm	9 am to 9 pm	9 am to 9 pm	9 am to 3:30 pm	
<b>ELECTRONIC THEATER</b> Hall D Orange County Convention Center			7:30 pm to 9:30 pm	7:30 pm to 9:30 pm	7:30 pm to 9:30 pm	
<b>SCREENING ROOM</b> Room 10BC Orange County Convention Center	5 pm to 7 pm	9 am to 7 pm	9 am to 7 pm	9 am to 7 pm	9 am to 7 pm	9 am to 1 pm
<b>SIGKIDS</b> Hall E Orange County Convention Center	5 pm to 7 pm	9 am to 7 pm	9 am to 7 pm	9 am to 7 pm	9 am to 7 pm	9 am to 1 pm
Attendees' children are invited to register for SIGkids workshops, offered Tuesday through Thursday only. Workshop attendance is limited.						
<b>FUNDAMENTALS SEMINAR</b> Room 8CDGH Orange County Convention Center	2 pm to 5 pm					
<b>KEYNOTE SESSION</b> Hall D Orange County Convention Center				8:30 am to 10 am		
<b>SPECIAL SESSIONS</b> Hall D Orange County Convention Center			noon to 1:30 pm		noon to 1:15 pm	noon to 1:30 pm
<b>RECEPTIONS</b>	Welcome 5 pm to 7 pm Hall E	Course 7 pm to midnight Disney-MGM Studios			Papers/Panels 7 pm to 10 pm Sea World	



# Conference Map



# Special Conference Events

SUNDAY, 24 JULY

## FUNDAMENTALS SEMINAR

Open and free of charge to all SIGGRAPH 94 badged attendees and exhibitors.

Room 8CDGH, 2 pm to 5 pm

The language spoken at SIGGRAPH can seem foreign to first-time conference attendees. This seminar takes the guesswork out of computer graphics terms by explaining the concepts behind the terminology. The fundamentals of computer graphics hardware, software, and related application areas are presented in a way that is as non-technical as possible. The speakers relate the terms to examples and presentations seen at SIGGRAPH 94.

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TUESDAY, 26 JULY

## SPECIAL SESSION

Open and free of charge to all SIGGRAPH 94 badged attendees and exhibitors.

### Special Venue Theaters

Hall D, noon to 1:30 pm

In this Special Session, the creative forces behind the most innovative ride-films and attractions present their visions, ideas, and key considerations involved in developing a major attraction. The speakers and their organizations are leading the phenomenal worldwide growth in this new form of entertainment. Speakers include:

**Douglas Trumbull**, Vice Chairman of Imax Corporation, a visionary filmmaker, entrepreneur, and creator of adventure rides such as "Back to the Future – The Ride" and "Secrets of Luxor Temple."

**Bran Ferren**, Senior Vice President, Creative Technology for Disney Imagineering, is an award-winning designer, filmmaker, and technologist. He develops and applies new technology for Disney Theme Parks and other Disney venues.

**Bob Ward**, Senior Vice President, Design and Planning for MCA Recreation Services Group, is a key member of the creative team that conceptualized and designed Universal Studios Florida.

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WEDNESDAY, 27 JULY

## KEYNOTE SESSION

Open and free of charge to all SIGGRAPH 94 badged attendees and exhibitors.

Hall D, 8:30 am to 10 am

### Welcome

SIGGRAPH 94 Chair Dino Schweitzer welcomes all attendees.

### State of SIGGRAPH

Remarks by ACM SIGGRAPH Chair Mary Whitton.

### The 1994 Computer Graphics Achievement Award

Presented by Bertram Herzog, SIGGRAPH Awards Chair.

The 1994 Computer Graphics Achievement Award for significant recent contributions in computer graphics is presented to:

#### Ken Torrance

Cornell University

PREVIOUS RECIPIENTS:

1993, Pat Hanrahan	1988, Alan H. Barr
1992, Henry Fuchs	1987, Robert L. Cook
1991, James T. Kajiya	1986, Turner Whitted
1990, Richard Shoup and Alvy Ray Smith	1985, Loren Carpenter
1989, John E. Warnock	1984, James H. Clark
	1983, James F. Blinn

### Keynote Address

#### Frederick Phillips Brooks, Jr.

University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

Frederick Brooks studied physics at Duke University and received his PhD in computer science from Harvard University, where he was a thesis student of Howard Aiken, inventor of the early Harvard computers.

From 1956 to 1965, Brooks was at IBM in Poughkeepsie and Yorktown, New York. He was an architect of the Stretch and Harvest computers, project manager in charge of hardware development for the IBM System/360 family of computers and then of the OS/360 software. In 1985, he and two colleagues received the National Medal of Technology for their work at IBM.

In 1964, he moved to Chapel Hill to establish the Department of Computer Science at the University of North Carolina, which he chaired for 20 years. He is currently Kenan Professor of Computer Science. His principal research is in real-time, 3D computer graphics – "virtual reality."

He is a winner of the John von Neumann Medal of the Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers and many other high honors in computer science and engineering, including the ACM Distinguished Service Award. He has served on the National Science Board and the Defense Science Board. He is a member of the National Academy of Engineering, a foreign member of the Royal Netherlands Academy of Arts and Sciences, and a Fellow of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences.

### Award

The Allen Newell Award of the Association for Computing Machinery is presented to Frederick Phillips Brooks, Jr. for career contributions of outstanding breadth and interdisciplinary significance. The award, named in honor of one of the great computer graphics pioneers and a co-founder of the fields of artificial intelligence and cognitive science, confers a \$10,000 prize.



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THURSDAY, 28 JULY

### SPECIAL SESSION

Open and free of charge to all SIGGRAPH 94 badged attendees and exhibitors.

#### In-Home Interactive Technologies

Hall D, noon to 1:15 pm

In this session, speakers discuss the technologies and projects that will deliver new interactive services for in-home education and entertainment. Speakers review developments and projects currently underway, discuss what we've learned so far, and present their views of how these new technologies may impact all of us in the future.

### T-SHIRT CONTEST

The winners of the annual SIGGRAPH t-shirt contest are announced at the Papers/Panels reception on Thursday. Prizes will be awarded. For information, contact:

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Entry information is available in the Conference Management Office on the second floor of the Orange County Convention Center, above Registration.

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FRIDAY, 29 JULY

### SPECIAL SESSION

Open and free of charge to all SIGGRAPH 94 badged attendees and exhibitors.

#### SIGGRAPH Bowl 2

Hall D, noon to 1:30 pm

SIGGRAPH Bowl 2 builds on the tradition established by SIGGRAPH Bowl 1 at SIGGRAPH 90 to spotlight the most enthusiastic, dedicated, and determined of the SIGGRAPH graphics gurus.

In a format loosely based on College Bowl, invited teams representing leading universities, companies, and research centers test their knowledge of SIGGRAPH, computer graphics, and interactive techniques. Participants are challenged to identify quotes from important SIGGRAPH papers of the past and recognize images and animations from earlier years. Some questions will probe more trivial topics related to SIGGRAPH events, trends, personalities, and matters of historical interest within the SIGGRAPH organization and the computer graphics community.

Don't miss this entertaining and fascinating challenge. Whether you are a veteran who has been attending SIGGRAPH or reading the *Conference Proceedings* for many years, or a newcomer who wants to hear about the "good old days," this is the event for you. It's your opportunity to root for your favorite team and expand your knowledge of SIGGRAPH trivia.

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ORGANIZING COMMITTEE

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### SOCIAL FUNCTIONS

Mingle, network, and introduce yourself to the diverse SIGGRAPH crowd: industrial leaders, software pioneers, hardware visionaries, academic theorists, and inspirational artists.

#### Welcome Reception

Hall E  
Sunday, 24 July  
5 pm to 7 pm

#### Course Reception

Disney-MGM Studios  
Monday, 25 July  
7 pm to midnight

Tickets are required for the Course Reception. Course attendees receive a voucher with their registration materials, which does not allow entry to Disney-MGM Studios for the reception. The voucher must be exchanged for an official Disney ticket at the Ticket Exchange Booth in the Orange County Convention Center before 7 pm on Monday.

Course Reception tickets provide early entry to Disney-MGM Studios from 6 pm and are good through midnight Monday, 25 July 1994. At 10 pm, a park announcement will ask other visitors to leave. Course Reception attendees should feel free to remain as special guests of Disney-MGM.

Official SIGGRAPH 94 transportation from the Orange County Convention Center to Disney-MGM Studios begins at 7 pm. Buses start running from the SIGGRAPH 94 hotels at 7:30 pm. Return transportation to conference hotels is available until 12:30 am.

#### Papers/Panels Reception

Sea World  
Thursday, 28 July  
7 pm to 10 pm  
Includes a private Shamu "Night Magic" show for Papers/Panels Reception attendees only.

Tickets are required for the Papers/Panels Reception. Papers/Panels attendees receive a voucher with their registration materials, which does not allow entry to Sea World for the reception. The voucher must be exchanged for an official Sea World ticket at the Ticket Exchange Booth in the Orange County Convention Center before 6 pm on Thursday.

Papers/Panels Reception tickets provide early entry to Sea World at 5 pm and are good through 10 pm Thursday, 28 July 1994. Official SIGGRAPH 94 transportation from the Orange County Convention Center to Sea World begins at 6:30 pm. Return transportation to conference hotels is available until 10:30 pm.

# Art and Design Show

Room 13

Sunday, 5 pm to 7 pm

Monday-Thursday, 9 am to 7 pm

Friday, 9 am to 1 pm

The world's leading exhibit of creativity inspired by the interaction of technology and esthetic expression extends the boundaries of imagination in a broad range of formats: animation, interactive media, 2D and 3D display, design, and alternative media. The Art and Design Show is documented in the SIGGRAPH 94 Visual Proceedings, the Multimedia CD-ROM, and the Art and Design Show Slide Set.

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# VROOM

Room 23

Monday-Wednesday 9 am to 9 pm

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**VROOM**, the Virtual Reality Room, demonstrates the current use and future direction of scientific visualization. Become smaller than an atom or larger than the universe. Stand in the middle of a thunderstorm or travel through the human body. In **VROOM**'s collaborative virtual worlds, **SIGGRAPH 94** attendees experience full 3D immersion in massive scientific and engineering datasets and see how they can be used interactively for practical problem solving.

**VROOM** consists of three **CAVEs**, a **BOOM ROOM**, a **LEARN MORE** area that contains workstations running **NCSA/Mosaic**-based documentation of **VROOM**'s virtual reality applications, and a **MACHINE FARM** that contains the computer hardware that drives the **CAVEs**.

Each **CAVE** runs a specific application at a specific day and time. **BOOM ROOM** applications run continuously. Consult the **SIGGRAPH 94** Conference Locator for the **VROOM** schedule of events. **VROOM** is documented in the **SIGGRAPH 94 Visual Proceedings** and on the Internet using **NCSA/Mosaic**.

## CAVE Access

**SIGGRAPH 94** attendees who purchase a Conference, Courses, or Papers/Panels Passport receive a **VROOM** voucher in their registration packet. This voucher must be exchanged for a **CAVE** ticket for a specific application on a specific day at a specific time. The **VROOM** Ticket Exchange Booth, located on the second floor to the left of the escalator, distributes tickets for the following day, so attendees who exchange vouchers on Sunday receive Monday tickets, and so on.

The **VROOM** Ticket Exchange Booth is open during registration hours. Please visit it early in the day and have several alternate choices of applications you want to see in case

your first choice is sold out.

Each application runs for two hours. Your **VROOM** ticket indicates a specific time within those two hours when you are expected to appear at **VROOM**'s **CAVE** passenger area. For example, if an application is demonstrated from 9 to 11 am, your ticket may say 10:15 am. Each **CAVE** experience lasts 15 minutes: 10 minutes of preparation time and five minutes inside the actual **CAVE**.

- Tickets are available on a first-come, first-served basis. We cannot guarantee that you will get a ticket, or that your ticket will be for the application of your choice.
- Tickets will not be exchanged.
- Tickets are marked for a specific time and day; if you fail to appear at the **CAVE** passenger area during your designated time slot, your **CAVE** time will not be rescheduled.

Exhibits Plus attendees who wish to experience a **CAVE** application but do not have **VROOM** tickets may wait in one of two lines outside the **VROOM** entrance.

- The **CAVE** Standby line allows access to a **CAVE** when a ticketed attendee fails to appear for an allotted time.
- The **CAVE** Peanut Gallery line allows access to a restricted area in the back of one of the **CAVE** rooms, so observers can get a general understanding of the environment and observe attendees having a virtual experience inside the **CAVE**. This line is recommended for those who have limited free time; we assume it will move faster than the standby line.

Additional information about the **CAVEs**:

- Attendees should have their hands free while in the **CAVE** so they can easily exchange 3D glasses and move around for tracking purposes. We have a table in the back of each **CAVE** room where packages can be placed, but

we are not responsible for any lost or stolen articles. Please check valuables at the **SIGGRAPH 94** Luggage Check/Check Room in the Grand Lobby near Room 12D before your scheduled **CAVE** time.

- Because the **CAVE** is a research and development project, equipment failures may occur. The result is usually a minor, slightly inconvenient delay. In the unlikely event that there are major technical problems, we will try to honor all **CAVE** tickets and reschedule attendees. However, we reserve the right to cancel tickets for specific time slots.

## BOOM ROOM Access

The **BOOM ROOM** is open to all attendees and does not require a **VROOM** voucher or ticket. Look for the **BOOM ROOM** line outside the **VROOM** entrance.

## LEARN MORE Area

The **LEARN MORE** area is open to all attendees. It contains workstations running multimedia documentation of all **VROOM** applications. Some workstations run **CAVEviewer**, a workstation-based **CAVE** simulator, so attendees can experience some of the **CAVE** applications — real-time, interactive, 3D animation with audio — on the desktop.

## MACHINE FARM Area

The **MACHINE FARM** is located on the first floor directly beneath the **VROOM** area, across the hall from Room 13. The three **Silicon Graphic** Onyx workstations located there produce the visualizations for the **CAVEs**. Each **Onyx** is connected to a backend computer, two **Silicon Graphics** Challenge computers are connected to two of the **Onyxes**, and an **IBM SP-2** is connected to the third **Onyx**.

Applications can run in one or two modes: locally on the **Onyx/CAVE** and/or distributed between the backend computer and the **Onyx/CAVE**. In local mode, **CAVE** participants explore precomputed

datasets. In distributed computing mode, **CAVE** participants may "interactively steer" the simulation codes running on either the **IBM SP-2** or on the Challenge multi-processor computers. The two Challenges are also connected to each other, creating a Challenge array that is used by some of the applications to achieve greater processing power.

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Conference Locator indicates which applications take advantage of the interactive steering capabilities afforded by these backend machines. Attendees who want more information about **VROOM** are also welcome to talk with the system engineers maintaining the **MACHINE FARM** equipment.

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Using real-time interactive molecular modeling and molecular dynamics simulations, this project demonstrates the docking of a drug molecule to its molecular receptor. A molecular modeler guides a drug molecule into the active site of a protein, receiving real-time feedback from a molecular dynamics simulation running on an IBM SP parallel computer. The molecular system is displayed and manipulated in the CAVE virtual-reality environment.

### **Simulation of a Grinding Process in Virtual Reality**

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Simulation of a grinding process in the CAVE enables users to better understand and model a commonly used manufacturing process. Real-time interaction between an operator and a "virtual" machine provides new insight into how to interact with the real machine.

### **Interactive Adaptive Mesh Refinement**

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Adaptive mesh refinement/derefinement techniques have been shown to be very successful in reducing the computational and storage requirements for solving many partial differential equations. This project focuses on the Rivara bisection technique, which is suitable for use on unstructured triangular meshes such as those used in finite-element calculations.

### **Visualization of Casting Process in Foundries**

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This application models the pouring of a fluidity spiral used to measure the distance metal can flow in a channel before being stopped by solidification. The gray iron at 1395 degrees C is poured into the mold for two seconds and flows down the spiral arm turning to mush at 1215 degrees C and solidifying at 1150 degrees C. The casting then continues to lose heat to the mold until solidification is complete.

### **RealEyes: A System for Visualizing Very Large Physical Structures**

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Boeing demonstrates some very large, complex CAD models of a Boeing 747 interior and Space Station Freedom. Virtual reality allows engineers to discover and analyze problems using larger CAD models than ever before. The navigation interface is easily learned by novices, and it is much more powerful in the hands of expert users than any screen-based interface known to the Boeing engineers who designed it.

### **Phase and Amplitude Maps of the Electric Organ Discharge of the Weakly Electric Fish, Apteronotus Leptorhynchus (Brown Ghost)**

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The purpose of this fish simulation is to establish an understanding of how emissions are generated by the real fish. Since humans do not have an electric sense, it is difficult to comprehend how fish electric fields "feel." Alternative techniques, such as virtual reality, must be used to acquire some of that sensation. The results will help us understand how this fish uses phase and amplitude information from the electric organ discharge for electrolocation and communication.

### **Using Virtual Reality for Machine Design**

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Caterpillar, Inc. uses virtual reality as a tool for interactively evaluating new machine designs. Using virtual reality, the operator of a virtual machine can test alternative machine designs while driving through a virtual proving ground, or can perform a loading cycle to fill a truck with soil.

### **Acetylcholinesterase: Nature's Vacuum Cleaner**

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This research focuses on the electrostatic forces generated by Acetylcholinesterase, an enzyme that plays a key role in the human nervous system. Neurotransmitter molecules (acetylcholine) are drawn down a long tunnel and into a "reactive-site" cavern deep within the enzyme where they are cleaved into component parts for reuse. By literally voyaging into the enzyme along a route similar to that taken by neurotransmitter molecules, researchers gain a unique vantage point from which to examine the electrostatic field and other computed probes of enzyme activity.



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## Visualization of Climate Data Over the Western United States

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Many climatologists are interested in understanding energy transport in the atmosphere due to wind and precipitation. A thesis currently being investigated is that immersion in a virtual world that models the one in which we live may enable scientists to better understand Earth's dynamic climatic processes. This demonstration represents output from a regional climate model for the western United States. Data from the model are compared with actual measurements to help gauge the validity of the model.

## Simulation of Light and Sound Distribution in an Environment

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One application of virtual reality is imitation of the real world. Using virtual reality, the optic and acoustic behaviors of an environment can be experienced directly, and modifications can be evaluated immediately. In this demonstration, light and sound distributions in different room types are simulated. Simulation parameters and room properties can be modified interactively, and the resulting optic and acoustic energy distributions can be visualized.

## Virtual Environments for Automotive Design

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Evaluation of early automotive design concepts is usually done by building full-size physical mock-ups, which require time and expense. The virtual mock-up has the potential to replace many early physical prototypes and provide flexibility in altering and viewing the concept, which is not possible with a physical part. This demonstration enables viewers to walk around and sit inside a car made only of light. The viewer is able to change color schemes and move illumination sources around by hand.

## Knotted Spheres in the Fourth Dimension

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This project exhibits real-time interaction with knotted spheres (knotted two-manifolds embedded in 4D space). A typical approach to visualizing such a surface is to project it into 3D and view it with 3D lighting, but this omits nearly all of the interesting 4D information about the structure. Instead, this system uses a fast approximation to volume-rendering volume images of projected 4D objects with true 4D lighting and occlusion.

## The Onset of Turbulence in a Shear Flow Over a Flat Plate

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Smooth, laminar flow over a flat plate eventually becomes turbulent. The transition to turbulence generally occurs on a scale that is too small and too fast for an observer to appreciate in an empirical experiment. This application lets the user track the development of a turbulent spot (from a numerical simulation) at a size and speed that are comprehensible.

## CitySpace

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CitySpace is an educational networking project that invites students to build a virtual city model made up of 3D objects and images from sites around the world. The project is intended for integration into project-based curricula and is designed for self-managing groups of students, mentors, teachers, and resource administrators.

## The Virtual Windtunnel

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The Virtual Windtunnel is an application of virtual reality to the visualization of pre-computed simulations of air flow around aircraft. Through a natural 3D display and control interface, the Virtual Windtunnel provides a platform for intuitive and rapid investigation of complex airflows.

## Three-Dimensional Terminal Viewer (3DTV)

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3DTV was developed to study the value of real-time 3D visualization of derived weather hazards, such as microbursts, wind gust fronts, and heavy precipitation regions, to the aviation community. It provides a virtual environment that allows users to have a more intuitive understanding of the aviation weather hazard situation within the terminal area, and to promote effective communication between users through a shared and heightened situational awareness.

## Scientific Visualization of Gyrofluid Tokamak Turbulence Simulation

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High-performance algorithms for simulating and visualizing 3D plasma turbulence in magnetic fusion experiments have been developed as an aid in the development of more accurate predictive models of plasma transport and the design of future experiments. Virtual reality represents a "next step" in the development of a visualization system already in use by collaborators in the Numerical Tokamak Project.

## Sounds from Chaos in Chua's Circuit

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Chua's circuit produces many types of signals, from sine-like periodic patterns to unpredictable noise-like patterns. The unique aspect of the display of this study in virtual space is the simultaneous presentation of control space (manifold) and output phase space of the circuit. As users navigate the manifold surface, they receive immediate feedback by observing the phase display of the signal as well as changing acoustic responses.

## The Fluid Universe: Rayleigh-Taylor Instability in Fluid Flow

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This interactive simulation of Rayleigh-Taylor instability shows what happens when a heavier fluid lies on top of a lighter fluid. The gravitational force causes the heavier liquid to form "fluid fingers" that flow down into the lighter liquid, causing mixing and turbulence. There are many astrophysical objects that show this kind of behavior, such as the remnants of giant explosions called supernova and the atmospheres of some stars.

## Post-Euclidean Walkabout

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This real-time interactive CAVE application takes you on a visit to the post-Euclidean geometry of Gauss, Riemann, Klein, Poincare, and Thurston. The CAVE becomes a spaceship you can navigate with the wand, as it glides through the phantasmic shapes that populate the 3-sphere.



### Stepping Into Alpha Shapes

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Alpha-shape software applied to a finite set of points in 3D space constructs a geometric object with detailed and possibly quite complicated features on the outside and inside. Several graphical interaction techniques, as well as the use of sound synthesis, enable users to explore the elements of the alpha shape with meaningful visual and auditory cues. Alpha shapes have application in geometric modeling, grid generation, protein structure analysis, and medical image analysis.

### Virtual Breadcrumbs: A Tracking Tool for Biological Imaging

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Virtual Breadcrumbs is an immersive virtual environment tool for tracking complex biological structures in a volumetric dataset. For example, it tracks chromatin fibers through the nucleus, cytoskeleton fibers through the cytoplasm, and neurons within brain slices from microscopic datasets.

### Spacetime Splashes: Catching the Wave of Einstein's Equations

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Einstein's theory of gravity, known as general relativity, is a complex set of nonlinear partial differential equations. In this project, full 3D codes have been developed to solve these equations for the gravitational field. The demonstration shows gravitational waves propagating through spacetime according to Einstein's equations for the gravitational field.

### Molecular Recognition in Protein-Protein Association

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The phenomenon of macromolecular recognition is of immense interest in medicine and biotechnology. In this demonstration, the steered encounter of an antibody is simulated using Brownian dynamics, and the trajectories are visualized in a virtual-reality environment to provide an intimate picture of interactions between the antibody and the protein.

### The Development of Tornadoes with Storms and Along Gust Fronts

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This demonstration is derived from current investigations of the processes involved in tornado genesis along thunderstorm outflow boundaries. The massively parallel CM-5 and CM-2 supercomputers were used to numerically simulate the local environments that support these tornadoes.

### A Walk Through Chesapeake Bay

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This study combines bottom bathymetry, river discharge, hydrographic (temperature and salinity) datasets, and tidal datasets for the Chesapeake Bay, as well as circulation distributions from a numerical circulation model constructed for the Bay. This demonstration enables viewers to "see" and experience the interaction of complex oceanic systems such as circulation and ecosystem dynamics.

### 3D Hydrodynamic Model of the Heart

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This computational model of the heart treats the heart wall as a set of fibers immersed in fluid and responding to both fluid forces and tension forces. The fluid, in turn, experiences a force field in the neighborhood of the fibers that prevents flow through the gaps in the fiber network, allowing the heart to pump the fluid.

### MUSE: Multi-Dimensional, User-Oriented, Synthetic Environment

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MUSE is an open-software environment that provides a new approach to the human-computer interface. Using functional models of human interaction and physical device classes, it permits real-time mapping of user control onto application/system functions (input), and mapping of computer information onto different types of output devices. For VROOM, MUSE is demonstrated in a number of scientific and engineering applications.

### Real-Time Graphics Techniques Using IRIS Performer

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These virtual environments demonstrate various techniques in real-time computer graphics using IRIS Performer, a performance-oriented, multiprocessing 3D graphics toolkit. The scenarios include a drive through a town, a walk through a radiosity-solved architectural model, and a demonstration of real-time shadow generation using projected texturing.

### Virtual Exploration of a Florida Thunderstorm Using the SciAn Visualization Package

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Raw and analyzed data from a variety of sources, as well as simulation, are used to explore a storm system in central Florida. The purpose of this research is to better understand the relationships among the co-evolving wind, water, and electric fields, with the goal of improving numeric models of storm systems and improving forecasts of precipitation, lightning, tornadoes, and downbursts.

### Stepping Into Reality

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This team's current work is focused on embedding real (stair stepper) and computer-generated forces (mechanized and infantry) into a distributed interactive simulation. A virtual environment version of this work produced through stealth imaging is portrayed using the CAVE environment. An individual on the stair stepper can view the virtual environment, move around in it, and interact with other simulation entities by firing a weapon.

### Parallel Real-Time Radiosity

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This application demonstrates how parallel architectures are being used to render scenes in real time or close-to-real-time using physically based lighting models (in particular, radiosity). For VROOM, the application visualizes Argonne West's Breeder Reactor model database and other interior room scenes.



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## JASON Interactive Mapper

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The JASON is an underwater remotely operated vehicle operated by the Woods Hole Oceanographic Institute. This virtual-reality demonstration re-enacts the exploration of hydrothermal vents in the Guaymas Basin near Baja California. CAVE participants watch the JASON as it collects bathymetry data, temperature data, and high-resolution still images, and transmits a "live feed" from its video cameras (pre-recorded, in this case, for presentation purposes).

## Evolution of Behavior in a Simulated Environment

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This application enables CAVE users to view and interact with the behavior of various animats, virtual animals that exhibit behaviors similar to those of natural animals, such as predators, scavengers, or gatherers. The user interacts with the animats by giving distinct behaviors rewards or penalties that affect the life of the animat and its future generations.

## Getting Physical in Four Dimensions

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Virtual Director provides a user-friendly, virtual-reality method to control camera motion for instant playback or animation recording. The Virtual Director shown in VROOM is a camera motion-control application using the CAVE to control and play back users' input in real time.

## Topological Surface Deformation

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This program uses free-form deformations to study the topology of mathematical surfaces. Several deformations are demonstrated, including the claim of topologists that a donut (torus) and a coffee cup are topologically equivalent. Virtual reality encourages users to see shapes from a new perspective – from the inside, looking out – and to explore and manipulate complex surfaces in order to better understand them.

## Virtual Reality for Parallel Computer System Performance Analysis

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Because massively parallel systems contain hundreds or thousands of processors, each potentially with 5-10 dynamic performance metrics drawn from multiple system levels, the performance data occupy a very sparsely populated, high-dimensional space. Not only does virtual reality allow one to quickly grasp the relationships among large numbers of performance metrics, but by enabling a participant to interact with a performance data source in the system or application code, it also allows one to intuitively understand system or application performance.

## Computational Modeling for Crash-Worthiness of Electric Vehicles Using Nonlinear Finite Element Methods

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## The SIGGRAPH 94 Daily Weather Forecast

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This project demonstrates the current two-day forecast of Florida weather, made with the UW-NMS modeling system and visualized using the VIS-5D software. Virtual reality is used to present the high spatial and temporal resolution of numerical weather forecasts.

## The SANDBOX: Scientists Accessing Necessary Data Based On eXperimentation

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This prototype of the SANDBOX allows an investigator to access parts of NASA's FIFE scientific database, which contains data from ground experiments, airborne instruments, and satellite photographs for developing ways to measure surface climatology from satellite information. Using the SANDBOX, an investigator places virtual instruments into a virtual re-enactment of the original experiment and collects data from the scientific database in much the same way that the original data were collected.

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Construction of reality as a route to higher abstraction. SIGkids build future cities on Sim City 2000; animations on Macromedia Director, MacroModel, Swivel 3D, and Man Pro; and construct working models with Lego Dacta Control Lab.

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Autodesk software is really all about designing – about the imagination, skills, and technology it takes to turn your ideas into reality. When kids join the Autodesk/SIGkids "PROJECT 94" team, they explore where they can go with drawing, modeling, animation, and visualization. They use the same computer graphics software that Autodesk supplies to architects, engineers, and other design professionals around the world.

**Technology & Communication:  
A Time-Travel Experiment**

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With Kid's Studio, SIGkids use illustration, writing, sound recording, and existing images (both stock and photo CD) to convey their ideas about a time-travel experiment. The pages can be printed or viewed as slide shows or QuickTime movies with an assortment of transitions and effects.

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**Nick Days**

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SIGkids learn how "Nick Days" are created. With the help of Nickelodeon animators, they also learn to scan existing artwork, work from a storyboard, and create a 14-second animation with audio in Macromedia Director on a Macintosh Quadra.

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The TeleCommunity Project fosters creative relationships, dialogue, and collaboration among young people around the world through a virtual studio experience. SIGkids in Jerusalem, several cities in the U.S. and abroad, and Orlando share art, ideas, and impressions through telecommunications and collaborative network art processes.

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Kids use the computer to record their voices, create animations, paint pictures, and create their own personalized storybooks, which they take with them to show friends and family what they did at SIGGRAPH 94.

## The Circus Project

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In this on-going project, French SIGkids have begun a storyboard, script, and animation on a circus theme. At SIGGRAPH 94, new SIGkids add fresh ideas, animations, and music to create a worldwide circus masterpiece.

## Modeling Natural Shapes with Fractal Geometry

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SIGkids learn how fractal and finite automatic methods can be used to model natural shapes. They write graphics programs on PCs and use existing software on high-speed workstations to create 3D plant and flower models. Participants should have advanced programming experience.

## 3D Rotoscope: Interactive Live Action 3D Animation

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SIGkids discover how high school students working with a multimedia professional have created 3D animations using Light Wave on the Video Toaster. Then they use the same technologies to create their own 3D animations.

## Designing Downtown Dataville

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SIGkids use hypermedia software to design the main street of an imaginary interactive town called Dataville and bring it to life with computer drawings, digitized speech and sound, and written words to create one continuous electronic street for wandering and exploring.

## Visual Programming with MIDI

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SIGkids experience music, sound, and visual programming with MIDI synthesizers and other MIDI control devices that may extend the definition of multimedia beyond the computer screen.

## Fractal Design Dabbler

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Fractal Design, always on the cutting edge, has top-secret plans for SIGkids. Don't miss this, if you want to paint, draw, or manipulate images with Fractal Design Dabbler. Caution: this is probably too cool for adults.

## CALIGARI true Space

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SIGkids can design and build virtual environments with true Space. One idea is to build the world as they would like it to be 100 years from now. They will be able to create the world, draw, paint, and animate in 3D wireframe or render a 3D world scene.

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## CYBER PARK

## Interactive Language Training

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SIGkids field test a new interactive computer-assisted language training software package called "Padro and Friends" ("Padro y sus amigos"). It was developed to assist second-language learning at the elementary level. The courseware consists of "talking" cartoon characters, who take students through various comic-book-style adventures.

## Hypertouch

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SIGkids experience a highly interactive game involving touch, sound, and images. Connecting the slight flow of current in human bodies creates images and sounds. The system functions as long as the current flows, no matter how many people are using it. It enables users to dance in unison as they produce music.

## Virtual Worlds

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SIGkids join young virtual-world creators and their instructors, enter and alter their virtual worlds, and learn to create an original world. Older students (14-18) manipulate objects in an x-y-z world using glasses, gloves, and joysticks. Younger SIGkids enjoy the ease of designing and walking through virtual worlds on the Macintosh.

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Train to Travel combines multimedia and virtual environment technologies in a simulated travel experience. At landmarks along the path, visual and auditory cues prompt the traveler to make appropriate decisions about how to reach the trip's destination. This system was originally developed as a safe way to teach persons with disabilities how to use public transit.



### **Technology Training for the Future**

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SIGkids sculpt in clay, then digitize their 3D model data into a computer at one of several modeling stations. The models are printed, displayed, and made available for import into other systems that are assembling computer animations.

### **The Music Machine**

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Big Top Productions invites SIGkids to join their fun-loving troupe in a dynamic, interactive music experience. Operating on a network of multiple computers, participants use mice to simultaneously create and revise rhythms, melodies, and lyrics and sync them with an array of scintillating visual effects. After a brief explanation, SIGkids are given uninhibited freedom to write their own original music. No prior musical education is required.

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English Discoveries is multimedia magic. Participants discover a new language as they travel around the world speaking, listening, reading, and writing English. They can choose what to learn and how to learn it, watch animations, or video clips, and even record and listen to their own voices.

### **Cyberlab 7**

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Cyberlab 7 demystifies a key problem for today's young people: how to create an exciting career in computer media. Through teleconferencing, SIGkids converse with leading-edge graphic artists, game creators, and VR designers in San Francisco and create a unique video database of new media careers. This work-in-progress will be expanded after SIGGRAPH 94 and shared with other young people to help them discover paths to creative new media work in the global village.

### **Labyrinth: Library of Congress Visualization Project**

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Labyrinth is a revolutionary networking technology that enables Internet users to visualize its huge collections of data as three-dimensional spaces. This demonstration invites SIGkids to explore the network using these specially developed, and soon to be commercially available, tools.

### **SIGkids Art Show**

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# The Bridge

Hall E

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**The Bridge is a unique section shared by SIGkids and The Edge at SIGGRAPH 94. It comprises two types of exhibits: those designed for kids and those designed by kids.**

## **Cybersurf – VR Game Creation**

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Cybersurf is a virtual reality interactive game developed by high school students working with undergraduate student mentors (Toy Scouts) from the University of Central Florida's Institute for Simulation and Training. After sharing the Cybersurf experience, mentors will work with students to create and produce VR game ideas.

## **Triangle Tiling**

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Triangle Tiling is a collaboration between the University of Minnesota Geometry Center and the Science Museum of Minnesota. Through interactive graphics, it allows visitors to explore the connections between symmetry groups, tiling, the Platonic and Archimedean solids, and non-Euclidean geometry.

## **The "Toy Scout" Arcade**

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A series of interactive games, developed by the "Toy Scouts," explores the use of full-body motion in virtual environments instead of more passive 2D game interfaces.

## **The Personal Communicator**

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Funded by the U. S. Department of Education, the Personal Communicator is designed to expand the opportunities for deaf children to become active participants in classroom discussions and casual conversation.

## **Virtual Cell Biology**

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This experimental virtual world for teaching cell biology at The Computer Museum in Boston is part of a project to test whether immersion in a virtual world makes a measurable difference in how well people learn scientific information. The user brings a child to life by building a neuron, a muscle cell, and an intestinal cell.



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**Explore The Edge, SIGGRAPH 94's virtual playground, where technology meets the human spirit. On The Edge, minds soar, visions are created, new interactions emerge, and collaborations are born. The Edge challenges established modes of thinking, applies significant new tools to a wide range of activities and disciplines, and inspires the next generation of ideas. Through hands-on exhibits, full-body immersive experiences, multi-sensory simulations, and interactive journeys. The Edge dares you to think without limits. The Edge is documented in the SIGGRAPH 94 Visual Proceedings.**

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## A-Volve

**A real-time interactive environment**

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A-Volve is an interactive environment where visitors interact with virtual organisms in the real space of a water-filled glass pool. Using a sensor pencil, they draw the profile and shape of any possible form onto a monitor screen and create three-dimensional organisms. The organisms are simultaneously transferred and displayed as three-dimensional creatures in the water of the pool, where they are immediately "alive." They move and swim, and they can be modified in real time.

## ARCHiTEXTURE by SUPREME PARTICLES 1994

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ARCHiTEXTURE is an interactive image/sound/room installation using real-time image and sound processing. Through the architectural and technological setup, the viewer is confronted with a computer-generated "plasmatic being." Both visual and acoustic perception are stimulated.

## SMDK: Simulation-Space Mosaic of Mobile Data Sounds

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This interactive environment consists of a database containing sounds from all over the world. Based on their characteristics and simple artificial-life rules, the sounds become mobile elements (agents) and form a self-organizing system comparable to a simple cultural community.

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CyberFin transports the user's point of perception into an underwater location populated with friendly and inquisitive dolphins. State-of-the-art virtual reality and neurotechnology are employed to create an engaging location-based-entertainment attraction.

## MindSet: Neurological Man/Machine Interfacing, An Emergent Technology From Human-Dolphin Interaction Research

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MindSet is a low-cost neuro-mapping electroencephalograph that makes advanced EEG research accessible. Designed for research and clinical use, it incorporates the latest EEG signal analysis processes and a complete suite of standard neurological protocols. It accommodates the novice user as well, with an easy-to-use interface and a hyperlinked neurological anatomy database.

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This project is a vision of a world where humans can experience a visual and auditory perceptive space with a dolphin. An extension of this research is the design of environmental systems that support experiential interaction with information systems to monitor and promote good health.

# The Edge

## Waxweb

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Waxweb, based on David Blair's electronic feature "Wax or the discovery of television among the bees" (85:00, 1991), is a large constructive hypertext that has been converted to MOO-space (Object-Oriented MUDs): a suitable environment for full, simple hypertext reading and writing plus the ability to view and add stills, audio, and video by a connection to NCSA/Mosaic.

## Turbulence: An Interactive Installation Exploring Artificial Life

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Cyberspace is often mentioned in terms of the gradual loss of our senses of time and distance. It may cause a loss of identity, but it could also serve as an opportunity to encounter our more natural and familiar self-image. RENGA (Linked Images), is an experiment in the acceleration of these possibilities within digital technology.

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Idea-ON>! is an electronic database of ideas and experiences, each one contained in a "place" in one of four "new realities," which the user discovers through exploration. Many visual languages are combined, as the database borrows aspects of video games, landscape painting, interactive multimedia, and motion pictures to form a "new language."

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The premise of this exhibit is that wireless operation and freedom of movement are more than technical issues. They will change the character and quality of possible interactions in virtual worlds.

## She Loves It, She Loves It Not: Women and Technology

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This interactive CD-ROM contains text, sound, movie clips, and images about women's use of technology in the past, present, and future. Both the form and the content of the work attempt to demonstrate how women might use and have used technology differently and how technology might adapt to female learning proclivities and female culture.

## Softworld 2.1: The Imperial Message

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Softworld 2.1 is an "anti-war game" inspired by the Kafka parable, "An Imperial Message," which deals with the vast distance between the Emperor and the Individual. The program attempts to extend this sense of scale to present inherent conflicts between the individual and the state and between the unspoken, secret "Law" and its corrupted representation.

## Proyecto Xochicalco: A Networked Virtual Environments System Featuring an Ancient Aztec/Mayan Ball Game Played on the Replicated Virtual Site of Xochicalco, Mexico

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Proyecto Xochicalco enables multiple, simultaneous, networked users to inhabit the accurately reconstructed environment of Xochicalco, the Aztec/Mayan archeological site, play an ancient Aztec/Mayan ball game, and interact with a human guide in the virtual environment.

## uniVRsum VRASP: The Virtual Reality Alliance of Students and Professionals

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This project is a prototype buffer application program interface that provides smooth transitions between worlds created with different virtual reality toolkits. By resolving such obstacles as communications protocols, VRASP hopes to facilitate human interaction in VR and encourage world builders to allocate more resources and energy to improved design and content.

## A Virtual Shopping Mall: Coming soon to the crossroads of the Infobahn

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Shopping is a provocative vehicle. It allows exploration of how middle-class shoppers might interact with virtual reality technology from an architect's viewpoint. The combination of an important cultural pastime with advanced technology reveals how the technology might change our ideas of shopping and spatial perception.

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NorthWater World is a visual and aural triptych of interactive experience, of worlds within worlds, and life within lives. The user's sight, sound, movement, and environment are changed to that of a different being. The intended result is an understanding of the other being that cannot be gained from an outsider's viewpoint.

## ROVER - Remote audio/Video Explorer.Robot

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ROVER is mobile video conferencing using a radio-controlled robot in the guise of a well-known piece of hardware. Full video and audio duplexing allow a live conversation to take place between people located at the base site and at the robotic unit.



### **The Responsive Workbench: A Virtual Working Environment for Architects, Designers, Physicians, and Scientists**

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The future computer system should use and adapt to the rich human living and working environments. It should be designed to work as a part of a responsive environment. The Responsive Workbench has been designed by an interdisciplinary group as an alternative model to the multimedia and virtual reality systems of the past decade.

### **PolyShop**

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PolyShop combines cutting-edge VR technology with the inspiration of the human spirit and provides a responsive and highly intuitive virtual creation space. Several different demos are shown, including a virtual jigsaw puzzle and the 3D modeling environment, where users are able to create their own worlds.

### **A Virtual World for an Autonomous Underwater Vehicle**

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A networked robot and virtual world makes robotics research and collaboration accessible worldwide. This project presents the frontier of 3D real-time graphics for underwater robotics, ocean exploration, sonar visualization, and worldwide scientific collaboration.

### **The Edge Observatory: An Airborne Telepresence System**

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The Edge Observatory Telepresence System offers its operators the unique ability to visually "teleport" themselves to a remote location in the airspace above The Edge. Suspended by a helium balloon, a small motion-controlled video camera acts as the eye of the operator below, matching angular orientation with the user's head position and feeding the video signal from above back to the operator's head-mounted display.

### **The Personal Flogistarium release 1.0 Name of Experience: Waving**

Brian V. Park  
Flogiston Corporation  
16701 Westview Trail  
Austin, TX 78737  
USA  
+1.512.894.0562 phone/fax  
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The purpose of this project is to introduce the concepts of threespace, the integration of cyberspace with realspace and mindspace. This shift from a bipolar reality to a tripolar reality is a significant development in the evolution of man.

### **Inside/Out Figurative Sculpture**

Dan Collins  
Arizona State University  
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These "digital sculptures" draw upon recent advances in 3D laser digitizing and rapid prototyping technology. They utilize the unique space of the computer to pre-visualize problems of viewer position, time, and three-dimensional montage.

### **Virtual Photography/ PHSColograms**

Ellen Sandor  
(Art)<sup>n</sup> Laboratory  
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PHSColograms are full-color, 3D hard copy images created directly from digital 3D imagery. They can be created using nearly any software capable of creating 3D images, such as Alias, Wavefront, or AVS, or from digitized real-world photography.

### **Guerrilla Gallery**

Pat Johnson  
401 69th Street  
Miami Beach, FL 33141  
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Guerrilla Gallery is a working atelier that provides a rich interactive experience for works-on-paper artists and the entire SIGGRAPH community. The gallery features a fully equipped imaging studio, in which artists can produce digital prints from their own files.

### **Desktop Force Display**

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Institute of Engineering Mechanics  
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In this display, users can feel the rigidity or weight of virtual objects with a compact force-feedback device for desktop use. A six-degree-of-freedom manipulator employs a parallel mechanism to apply reaction forces to the fingers of the operator. The manipulator's handle is supported by three sets of pantographs. With this compact hardware, the operator can feel the physical characteristics of three types of virtual objects: hard surface, elastic surface, and flow.

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Diane Stapleton

# Special Interest Groups

**Special Interest Groups** are organized around particular products, topics, or problems. They are excellent forums for **SIGGRAPH 94** attendees who share common interests and concerns to get to know each other and exchange ideas.

**Special Interest Group meetings** are open to all attendees. They are usually informal. At some, general subjects are discussed; others convene around topics related to specific product vendors.

**Birds of a Feather** meetings are called during the conference. 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 **Registration Concourse**, where late additions and revisions to the **Special Interest Groups** and **Birds of a Feather** schedules are posted.

**Birds of a Feather** meeting rooms: **Conway and Bayhill Suite IV, Peabody Orlando.**

These **Special Interest Groups** have been scheduled for **SIGGRAPH 94**:

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SATURDAY, 23 JULY

**SIGGRAPH Professional Chapters (formerly Local Groups) Annual Meeting**  
4:30 pm to 6:30 pm  
Salon 11, Clarion Plaza Hotel  
Edward Council  
+1.508.872.5522

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SUNDAY, 24 JULY

**IEEE Computer Graphics and Applications (CG&A) Editorial Board**  
8 am to 5 pm  
Windermere, Peabody Orlando  
Mary Johnson  
+1.518.276.6754

**Wave 94 – Wavefront Users Group**  
9 am to midnight  
See Conference Locator for location  
Rhonda Sanders Olson  
+1.602.263.3939

**SIGGRAPH 94 Late Night Party**  
9 pm to 4 am  
Salon 3, Clarion Plaza Hotel

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MONDAY, 25 JULY

**Friends of Mi Kyung Kim**  
9 am to 7 pm  
Bayhill Suites IV, Peabody Orlando  
Juey Chong Ong  
+1.212.222.5236

**FLAME/FLINT User Group Meeting**  
10 am to 5 pm  
Yellowtail, Stouffer Orlando Resort  
Elizabeth Jones  
+1.514.272.0525

**Fractal Design – Digital Art Gallery**  
10 am to 6 pm  
Salon 11/12, Clarion Plaza Hotel  
Daryl Wise  
+1.408.688.5300

**VActor (Virtual Actor)**  
1 pm to 2:30 pm  
Fairview, Peabody Orlando  
Alan Scrivener  
+1.310.602.2860

**Massively Parallel Rendering SIG**  
5:15 pm to 6:30 pm  
Salons 13/14, Clarion Plaza Hotel  
Patricia Crossno  
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**Organizing Small Conferences and Workshops**  
5:30 pm to 6:30 pm  
Salons 3/4, Clarion Plaza Hotel  
Nick England  
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**SIGGRAPH 94 Late Night Party**  
9 pm to 4 am  
Salon 3, Clarion Plaza Hotel

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TUESDAY, 26 JULY

**Friends of Mi Kyung Kim**  
9 am to 7 pm  
Bayhill Suites IV, Peabody Orlando  
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**Fractal Design – Digital Art Gallery**  
10 am to 6 pm  
Salon 11/12, Clarion Plaza Hotel  
Daryl Wise  
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**Temporary Art Zone**  
noon to 1 pm  
Salon 13, Clarion Plaza Hotel  
Beverly Reiser  
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**How to Become a SIGGRAPH Volunteer**  
3 pm to 5 pm  
Salon 5, Clarion Plaza Hotel  
Mary Whitton  
+1.919.460.8351

**User Group Meeting – HOOPS**  
5 pm to 7 pm  
Yellowtail, Stouffer Orlando Resort  
Philip Gilbert  
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**Digital Library SIG**  
5 pm to 7 pm  
Salon 3, Clarion Plaza Hotel  
Dave Nadeau  
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**SIGGRAPH 94 Late Night Party**  
9 pm to 4 am  
Salon 3, Clarion Plaza Hotel



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WEDNESDAY, 27 JULY

**Friends of Mi Kyung Kim**

9 am to 7 pm  
Bayhill Suites IV, Peabody Orlando  
Juey Chong Ong  
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**VESA Advanced Graphics Interface SIG**

9 am to noon  
Salon 9, Clarion Plaza Hotel  
James Carrington  
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**Fractal Design – Digital Art Gallery**

10 am to 6 pm  
Salon 11/12, Clarion Plaza Hotel  
Daryl Wise  
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**Molecular Graphics**

1 pm to 2:30 pm  
Salon 4, Clarion Plaza Hotel  
Michael Pique  
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**OpenGL**

3:15 pm to 4:30 pm  
Salon 13, Clarion Plaza Hotel  
Mason Woo  
+1.415.390.4205

**3D Art Forum International & 3D Artist Magazine**

3:30 pm to 7:30 pm  
Salon 3/4, Clarion Plaza Hotel  
Victor Osaka

**ACM SIGGRAPH Online/Network Resource**

5 pm to 7 pm  
Yellowtail, Stouffer Orlando Resort  
Bonnie Mitchell  
+1.315.443.1267

**Structure of SIGGRAPH Task Force**

5:30 pm to 6:30 pm  
Windermere, Peabody Orlando  
Mary Whitton  
+1.919.460.8351

**University of North Carolina-Chapel Hill Graphics Reunion**

5:30 pm to 7:30 pm  
Baltic A/B, Sheraton World Resort  
Sherry Palmer  
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**Silicon Graphics, Inc. International Reception**

6 pm to 8 pm  
Coconut Room, Peabody Orlando  
Deanna Doyon  
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**Pioneers Reception**

6 pm to 9 pm  
Salon 13/14, Clarion Plaza Hotel  
Sherry Keowen  
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**SIG WWW (World Wide Web)**

7:30 pm to 9:30 pm  
Cypress, Peabody Orlando  
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**SIGGRAPH 94 Late Night Party**

9 pm to 4 am  
Salon 3, Clarion Plaza Hotel

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THURSDAY, 28 JULY

**Fractal Design – Digital Art Gallery**

10 am to 6 pm  
Salon 11/12, Clarion Plaza Hotel  
Daryl Wise  
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**Premo-Presentation Environment for Multimedia Objects**

10:15 am to 11:30 am  
Cypress, Peabody Orlando  
Richard Puk  
+1.619.753.9027

**Heightfield/Terrain Rendering**

10:15 am to noon  
Salon 9, Clarion Plaza Hotel  
Matt Pharr  
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**Education Committee Meeting**

10:30 am to 11:30 am  
Bayhill Suites III-IV,  
Peabody Orlando  
Scott Owen  
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**Arts Curriculum Meeting**

11:30 am to 12:30 pm  
Bayhill Suites III - IV, Peabody  
Orlando  
Barbara Mones-Hattal  
+1.703.993.1020

**Computer Science Curriculum Meeting**

11:30 am to 12:30 pm  
Windermere, Peabody Orlando  
Cary Laxer  
+1.812.877.8429

**K-12 Curriculum**

11:30 am to 12:30 pm  
Sweetwater, Peabody Orlando  
Judy Sachter  
+1.512.838.3035

**SIGGRAPH T-Shirt Contest**

noon to 1 pm  
Room 11C, OCCC  
Jock Mackinley  
+1.415.812.4335

**VRASP**

12:45 pm to 2 pm  
Fairview, Peabody Orlando  
Karin August  
+1.908.463.8787

**Genesis' Image Resizing Technology**

1 pm to 2 pm  
Salon 16, Clarion Plaza Hotel  
Robert Hunter  
+1.905.470.2742

**Explorer User's Group**

2 pm to 4 pm  
Salon 5, Clarion Plaza Hotel  
Carol Curry  
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**Ray Tracing Roundtable**

5:15 pm to 6:45 pm  
Salon 14, Clarion Plaza Hotel  
Eric Haines  
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**SIGGRAPH 94 Late Night Party**

9 pm to 4 am  
Salon 3, Clarion Plaza Hotel

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FRIDAY, 29 JULY

**AIAA Interactive Computer Graphics T.C.**

2 pm to 5 pm  
Windermere, Peabody Orlando  
David Edwards  
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# Technical Program at a Glance

SUNDAY, 24 JULY

12 noon

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10 pm

**REGISTRATION/MERCHANDISE**

noon to 10 pm  
Registration Concourse

**FUNDAMENTALS SEMINAR**

2 pm to 5 pm  
Room 8CDGH

**ART AND DESIGN SHOW**

5 pm to 7 pm  
Room 13

**THE EDGE**

5 pm to 7 pm  
Hall E

**SCREENING ROOM**

5 pm to 7 pm  
Room 10BC

**SIGKIDS**

5 pm to 7 pm  
Hall E

**WELCOME RECEPTION**

5 pm to 7 pm  
Hall E



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**REGISTRATION/MERCHANDISE**

7:30 am to 7 pm  
Registration Concourse

**COURSES – FULL DAY**

8:30 am to 5 pm  
**5** How to Produce Your Own CD-ROM  
**8** Procedural Modeling, Texturing, and Rendering Techniques  
**10** Introduction to Volume Visualization – Imaging Multi-Dimensional Scientific Data  
**13** New Directions for Fractal Modeling in Computer Graphics  
**17** Programming Virtual Worlds  
**18** Fundamentals and Overview of Computer Graphics  
**19** Introduction to Perception-Based Visualization  
**23** Computational Representations of Geometry  
**30** The OpenGL Graphics Interface  
 See Conference Locator for course locations

**COURSES – HALF DAY**

8:30 am to noon  
**15A** LAB: Programming PEX with PEXlib – Basic  
**16** Visualizing Multi-Dimensional Geometry and Applications to Multi-Variate Problems  
 See Conference Locator for course locations

**COURSES – HALF DAY**

1:30 pm to 5 pm  
**7** Digital Illusion: Distributed Interactive Entertainment  
**15B** LAB: Programming PEX with PEXlib – Intermediate  
 See Conference Locator for course locations

**ART AND DESIGN SHOW**

9 am to 7 pm  
Room 13

**THE EDGE**

9 am to 7 pm  
Hall E

**VROOM**

9 am to 9 pm  
Room 23

**SCREENING ROOM**

9 am to 7 pm  
Room 10BC

**SIGKIDS**

9 am to 7 pm  
Hall E

**COURSE RECEPTION**

7 pm to midnight  
Disney-MGM Studios

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<b>REGISTRATION/MERCHANDISE</b> 7:30 am to 7 pm Registration Concourse											
<b>EXHIBITION</b> 10 am to 6 pm Halls A, B, C, and Room 12											
<b>COURSES – FULL DAY</b> 8:30 am to 5 pm 1 Animation Tricks 2 Developing Advanced Virtual Reality Applications 3 Computer Vision for Computer Graphics 4 Advanced Techniques for Scientific Visualization 6 Introduction to Video and Audio Compression Techniques 11 Wavelets and Their Applications in Computer Graphics 21 Programming Open Inventor, an Object-Oriented OpenGL Toolkit 22 Modeling Natural Phenomena 28 Advanced Topics in Radiosity 32 An Introduction to Physically Based Modeling See Conference Locator for course locations											
<b>COURSES – HALF DAY</b> 8:30 am to noon 15C LAB: Programming PEX with PHIGS See Conference Locator for course locations						<b>COURSES – HALF DAY</b> 1:30 pm to 5 pm 15B LAB: Programming PEX with PEXlib – Intermediate See Conference Locator for course locations					
<b>SPECIAL SESSION:</b> <b>SPECIAL VENUE THEATERS</b> Noon to 1:30 pm Hall D											
<b>ART AND DESIGN SHOW</b> 9 am to 7 pm Room 13								<b>ELECTRONIC THEATER</b> 7:30 pm to 9:30 pm Hall D			
<b>THE EDGE</b> 9 am to 7 pm Hall E											
<b>VROOM</b> 9 am to 9 pm Room 23											
<b>SCREENING ROOM</b> 9 am to 7 pm Room 10BC											
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<b>REGISTRATION/MERCHANDISE</b> 7:30 am to 6 pm Registration Concourse											
<b>EXHIBITION</b> 10 am to 6 pm Halls A, B, C, and Room 12											
<b>KEYNOTE SESSION</b> 8:30 am to 10 am Hall D											
<b>COURSES – FULL DAY</b> 8:30 am to 5 pm <b>9</b> Character Animation Systems <b>12</b> Sound Synchronization and Synthesis for Computer Animation and Virtual Reality <b>14</b> Designing Real-Time Graphics for Entertainment <b>20</b> Graphic Design for Usable User Interfaces <b>24</b> Three-Dimensional Visualization of Medical Data <b>27</b> Visualizing and Examining Large Scientific Datasets: A Focus on the Physical and Natural Sciences See Conference Locator for course locations											
<b>COURSES – HALF DAY</b> 8:30 am to noon <b>26</b> The Science of Digital Color <b>31</b> Taking the Leap: The Profits and Pitfalls of Entrepreneurial Venturing <b>15D</b> LAB: Programming PEX with PEXlib – Advanced See Conference Locator for course locations						<b>COURSES – HALF DAY</b> 1:30 pm to 5 pm <b>25</b> High-Technology Marketing: Key Concepts for Bringing New Technology to Market <b>29</b> Copyright Protection for Software, Graphics and Multimedia <b>15E</b> LAB: Object-Oriented Graphics Programming in a PEX Environment See Conference Locator for course locations					
<b>TECHNICAL SKETCHES</b> 1:30 pm to 2:30 pm Applications Room 11											
<b>PAPERS</b> 10:15 am – noon Dynamics Hall D			1:30 pm – 3:15 pm Error Estimation in Image Synthesis Hall D			3:30 pm – 5:15 pm Drawing and Painting Hall D					
<b>PANELS</b> 10:15 am – noon Programmers – Mechanics of the Information Highway Room 8			1:30 pm – 3:15 pm Research Frontiers in Virtual Reality Room 8			3:30 pm – 5:15 pm Computer Graphics and Economic Transformations Room 8					
<b>ART AND DESIGN SHOW</b> 9 am to 7 pm Room 13							<b>ELECTRONIC THEATER</b> 7:30 pm to 9:30 pm Hall D				
<b>THE EDGE</b> 9 am to 7 pm Hall E											
<b>VROOM</b> 9 am to 9 pm Room 23											
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**REGISTRATION/MERCHANDISE**

8 am to 6 pm  
Registration Concourse

**EXHIBITION**  
10 am to 3:30 pm  
Halls A, B, C, and Room 12

**SPECIAL SESSION: IN-HOME INTERACTIVE TECHNOLOGIES**  
noon to 1:15 pm  
Hall D

**COURSES – HALF DAY**  
8:30 am to noon  
**15D** LAB: Programming PEX with PEXlib – Advanced  
See Conference Locator for course locations

**COURSES – HALF DAY**  
1:30 pm to 5 pm  
**15E** LAB: Object-Oriented Graphics Programming in a PEX Environment  
See Conference Locator for course locations

**TECHNICAL SKETCHES**  
10:15 am to 11:45 am  
The 2D World  
Room 11

**TECHNICAL SKETCHES**  
1:30 pm to 3 pm  
Rendering and Systems  
Room 11

**PAPERS**

8:15 am to 10 am  
2D Imaging  
Hall D

10:15 am to noon  
Hardware  
Hall D

1:30 pm to 3 pm  
Images and Interaction  
Hall D

3:15 pm to 5:15 pm  
Shadows and Shading  
Hall D  
Curves and Surfaces  
Room 20

**PANELS**

8:15 am to 10 am  
Production for the Long Haul  
Room 8  
Approaches to Teaching Introductory Computer Graphics  
Room 20

10:15 am to noon  
Exploiting Networks for Visualization and Collaboration – No Network Roadblocks?  
Room 8  
Optimization – An Emerging Tool in Computer Graphics  
Room 20

1:30 pm to 3 pm  
Information Visualization – The Next Frontier  
Room 8  
Art and Technology – Very Large Scale Integration  
Room 20

3:15 pm to 5:15 pm  
Computer Graphics – Are We Forcing People to Evolve?  
Room 8

**ART AND DESIGN SHOW**

9 am to 7 pm  
Room 13

**ELECTRONIC THEATER**

7:30 pm to 9:30 pm  
Hall D

**THE EDGE**

9 am to 7 pm  
Hall E

**VROOM**

9 am to 3:30 pm  
Room 23

**SCREENING ROOM**

9 am to 7 pm  
Room 10BC

**SIGKIDS**

9 am to 7 pm  
Hall E

**PAPERS/PANELS RECEPTION**

7 pm to 10 pm  
Sea World



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	<p><b>REGISTRATION/MERCHANDISE</b> 9 am to 1 pm Registration Concourse</p>										
						<p><b>SPECIAL SESSION: SIGGRAPH BOWL 2</b> Noon to 1:30 pm Hall D</p>					
			<p><b>TECHNICAL SKETCHES</b> 10:15 am to 11:45 am Shape-making Room 11</p>					<p><b>TECHNICAL SKETCHES</b> 1:45 pm to 3:15 pm Systems and Interaction Room 11</p>			
<p><b>PAPERS</b> 8:15 am to 10 am Surface Fitting and Numerical Control Hall D</p>			<p>10:15 am to 11:45 am Illumination and Shading Hall D</p>					<p>1:45 pm to 3:15 pm Natural Phenomena Hall D</p>		<p>3:30 pm to 5:15 pm Animation Systems Hall D</p> <p>Rendering Algorithms and Systems Room 20</p>	
<p><b>PANELS</b> 8:15 am to 10 am Computer Graphics for Architecture and Design Presentations – Current Work and Trends Outside the U.S. Room 8</p>			<p>10:15 am to 11:45 am Why is 3D Interaction So Hard, and What Can We Really Do About It? Room 8</p> <p>Computer Technology and the Artistic Process – How the Computer Industry Changes the Form and Function of Art Room 20</p>					<p>1:45 pm to 3:15 pm Determinants of Immersivity in Virtual Reality – Graphics vs. Action Room 8</p> <p>Reading the Fine Print – What Benchmarks Don't Tell You Room 20</p>		<p>3:30 pm to 5:15 pm Is Visualization <i>Really</i> Necessary? The Role of Visualization in Science, Engineering, and Medicine Room 8</p>	
	<p><b>ART AND DESIGN SHOW</b> 9 am to 1 pm Room 13</p>										
	<p><b>THE EDGE</b> 9 am to 1 pm Hall E</p>										
	<p><b>SCREENING ROOM</b> 9 am to 1 pm Room 10BC</p>										
	<p><b>SIGKIDS</b> 9 am to 1 pm Hall E</p>										

# Courses

Monday – Wednesday

8:30 am to noon

1:30 pm to 5 pm

PEXlib Lab Courses

Monday – Thursday

8:30 am to noon

1:30 pm to 5 pm

See Conference Locator for course locations

**Probe the breadth and depth of advanced ideas. Or learn the basics of computer graphics using creative techniques and state-of-the-art technologies. As always, course offerings at SIGGRAPH 94 enlighten, inform, and educate. Courses are documented on the CD-ROM course notes and the printed course notes.**

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## NEW IN 94

Please note these important innovations for SIGGRAPH 94 Courses:

- Two registration categories (Conference and Courses Passports) allow attendees access to all SIGGRAPH 94 Courses. Courses seating is not guaranteed, and is available on a first-come, first-served basis. Please be sure to arrive early for the course(s) that you wish to attend.
- Conference and Courses Passports registrants receive all course notes on CD-ROM. Subject to availability, printed course notes can be purchased at SIGGRAPH 94 on-site registration.
- The Orange County Convention Center and conference hotels are offering quick, convenient lunch facilities for all course attendees. SIGGRAPH 94 is not providing lunches.

## Courses are categorized in three levels:

- **Beginning:** no prerequisites for introductory courses, but prior experience with computing or graphics may be helpful.
- **Intermediate:** attendees should have working knowledge of the subject, based on introductory courses, reading, and practical experience. Intermediate-level courses supply substantial technical content in detail, such as algorithms, techniques, and architectures.
- **Advanced:** narrow topics covered in substantial technical depth. Presentations may include challenging mathematical concepts and programming examples.



**HOW TO PRODUCE YOUR OWN CD-ROM**

**Course 5**

**Monday • Full Day**

**Beginning Level**

*Course Description*

CD-ROM is becoming an extremely significant medium for publishing multimedia and other electronic documents. This course provides all you need to know to prepare, produce, and publish CD-ROMs. Concrete examples and technical challenges are emphasized in demonstrating production of high-end multimedia and conference proceedings.

*Who Should Attend*

Anyone interested in producing electronic documents, particularly multimedia documents or conference proceedings, on CD-ROM.

*Organizer*

**Steve Cunningham** is Professor of Computer Science at California State University Stanislaus and ACM SIGGRAPH Director for Publications. He produced the May 1993 online special issue of *Computer Graphics*, developed and produced the SIGGRAPH 93 proceedings CD-ROM, and is coordinating development of CD-ROM publications for SIGGRAPH 94.

*Lecturers*

**Steve Langer**

*Disk Manufacturing, Inc.*

**Judson Rosebush**

*Judson Rosebush Company*

**Breck Rowell**

*Disk Manufacturing, Inc.*

**PROCEDURAL MODELING, TEXTURING, AND RENDERING TECHNIQUES**

**Course 8**

**Monday • Full Day**

**Advanced Level**

*Course Description*

This course imparts a working knowledge of procedural approaches in modeling, shading, rendering, and animation. The procedural approaches include two-dimensional textures, solid textures, fractal and genetic algorithms, and implicit surfaces. Attendees learn details that are normally omitted from technical papers and get an introduction to several new, unpublished approaches to anti-aliasing and texture performance enhancement.

*Who Should Attend*

Those interested in procedural modeling, shading, and texturing techniques, the procedural design approaches of several researchers, and a toolbox of procedures for producing realistic images.

*Organizer*

**David S. Ebert** is Assistant Professor of Computer Science at the University of Maryland Baltimore County. His research interests include rendering and animating gases and fluids, combining volume- and surface-based rendering, texturing, and animation control issues.

*Lecturers*

**F. Kenton Musgrave**

*The George Washington University*

**Darwyn Peachey**

*Pixar*

**Ken Perlin**

*New York University*

**Steven Worley**

**Brian Wyvill**

*University of Calgary*

**INTRODUCTION TO VOLUME VISUALIZATION – IMAGING MULTI-DIMENSIONAL SCIENTIFIC DATA**

**Course 10**

**Monday • Full Day**

**Beginning Level**

*Course Description*

Volume visualization has a wide range of applications in micro-science, macro-science, medicine, and computer simulation. This course represents a data-driven approach to volume visualization, discussing many surface-fitting, ray-casting, and projection techniques. Participants learn to create images quickly from their data using fundamental volume visualization concepts, readily available software tools, and recent advances in the field.

*Who Should Attend*

Computer graphics programmers, scientists, physicians, researchers, engineers, and anyone who wants to learn about using volume visualization to gain insight into multi-dimensional data.

*Organizer and Lecturer*

**T. Todd Elvins** is a staff visualization programmer at the San Diego Supercomputer Center. He leads a group of software engineers, animators, and media specialists who assist scientists in gaining insight into a wide variety of intellectual problems. He has been a computer graphics enthusiast for eight years and has been doing research in distributed and parallel-volume rendering for the last four years.

**NEW DIRECTIONS FOR FRACTAL MODELING IN COMPUTER GRAPHICS**

**Course 13**

**Monday • Full Day**

**Intermediate Level**

*Course Description*

This course demystifies fractal image compression, clarifies subtle differences in fractal representations, and provides methods for synthesizing and visualizing fractal models. It treats fractal models like any other geometric model, developing a rigorous theory demonstrated by numerous applications.

*Who Should Attend*

Those who want to implement their own fractal image compression programs, explore chaotic dynamical systems beyond the Mandelbrot set, understand applications of fractals to modeling, and incorporate these tools into existing computer graphics environments.

*Organizer*

**John C. Hart** is Assistant Professor in the School of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science at Washington State University, where he researches the relationship between fractal geometry and geometric design, producing new technologies for visualizing general implicit surfaces as well as extending the geometric theory for fractal modeling. He co-organized an advanced fractals course at SIGGRAPH 91 and has since lectured in SIGGRAPH courses on fractals and implicit surfaces. His animation, "unNatural Phenomena," was modeled entirely by fractals. It has been shown in the SIGGRAPH Electronic Theater, on ABC's "Prime Time Live," and in several animation collections.

*Lecturers*

**F. Kenton Musgrave**

*The George Washington University*

**Przemyslaw Prusinkiewicz**

*University of Calgary*

**Dietmar Saupe**

*Universität Freiburg*

**Richard F. Voss**

*Yale University*

# Courses

MONDAY, 25 JULY

## PROGRAMMING VIRTUAL WORLDS

### Course 17

Monday • Full Day

#### Intermediate Level

##### Course Description

This course covers the practical issues that must be addressed to begin working in virtual environments. Topics include: system requirements, hardware, application design, and implementation of visual worlds using immersive displays.

##### Who Should Attend

Those who wish to create immersive virtual environments.

##### Organizers

**Anselmo Lastra** is Research Assistant Professor of Computer Science at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and Software Manager for the Pixel-Planes project. His research interests include interactive computer graphics and virtual environments.

**Henry Fuchs** is Frederico Gil Professor of Computer Science and Adjunct Professor of Radiation Oncology at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. He received the 1992 ACM SIGGRAPH Computer Graphics Achievement Award and the 1992 National Computer Graphics Association Academic Award.

##### Lecturers

#### Stephen Ghee

Division Limited

#### Mark Mine

University of North Carolina

#### Jon Naughton-Green

Division Limited

#### Randy Pausch

University of Virginia

## FUNDAMENTALS AND OVERVIEW OF COMPUTER GRAPHICS

### Course 18

Monday • Full Day

#### Beginning Level

##### Course Description

This course de-mystifies computer graphics with a basic introduction to concepts and buzzwords. It presents a broad, non-technical survey of topics, including a brief historical introduction and discussion of the current industry.

##### Who Should Attend

Technical professionals and managers who want a general understanding of computer graphics, *not* those who want to learn specifics like how a Bresenham vector algorithm works or how to code a 3D transform.

##### Organizer

**Olin Lathrop** is a founder and Vice President of Research of Cognivision, Inc., which specializes in data visualization software and services. His current interests are visualization algorithms and techniques, and presentation methods that optimize human understanding.

##### Lecturers

#### Richard M. Fichera

R.M. Fichera Associates

#### Andrew Glassner

Xerox PARC

#### Carl Machover

Machover Associates Corporation

## INTRODUCTION TO PERCEPTION-BASED VISUALIZATION

### Course 19

Monday • Full Day

#### Intermediate

##### Course Description

The focus of this course is the design of effective static displays of quantitative information. It introduces the foundations of human perception, relates them to visualization, and prepares researchers and practitioners to improve the effectiveness of their perception-based visualizations.

##### Who Should Attend

Visualization researchers, visualization systems developers, and users of visualization systems.

##### Organizers

**Haim Levkowitz** is Assistant Professor of Computer Science and a founder of the Institute for Visualization and Perception Research at the University of Massachusetts Lowell. His research interests include graphics, imaging, color, human-computer interaction, computers in music and sound, and evaluation techniques.

##### Penny Rheingans is a visualization specialist at the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency's Scientific Visualization Center. Her current research interests include multi-variate data visualization, dynamic manipulation, design of color mappings, perceptual issues in visualization, and experimental validation of visualization techniques.

##### Lecturers

#### Stephen G. Eick

AT&T Bell Laboratories

#### Georges Grinstein

University of Massachusetts Lowell

#### Ronald Pickett

University of Massachusetts Lowell

## COMPUTATIONAL REPRESENTATIONS OF GEOMETRY

### Course 23

Monday • Full Day

#### Advanced Level

##### Course Description

This course presents the latest research on the most important computational representations of geometry used in computer graphics. Topics include: boundary representations, spatial partitioning schemes, parametrically and implicitly defined non-linear surfaces, voxel representations, triangulations, and multi-resolution wavelet-based methods. There is a strong emphasis in this course on the similarities/differences and the strengths/weaknesses of the various representations.

##### Who Should Attend

Software engineers who implement computer graphics and/or geometric modeling systems and anyone who is conducting research in these areas.

##### Organizer

**Bruce Naylor** is a member of the Information Systems Research Laboratory at AT&T Bell Labs. His research interests include computer graphics, computational geometry, image compression, and parallel architectures. He is best known for his work on binary space partitioning trees.

##### Lecturers

#### Chanderjit Bajaj

Purdue University

#### Tony DeRose

University of Washington

#### Herbert Edelsbrunner

University of Illinois

#### Arie Kaufman

State University of New York at Stony Brook

#### Jarek Rossignac

IBM T.J. Watson Research Center



**THE OpenGL GRAPHICS  
INTERFACE****Course 30****Monday • Full Day****Intermediate Level***Course Description*

OpenGL gives application developers efficient access to the 3D graphics capabilities of workstation and PC machines, including: transformation, lighting, clipping, z-buffering, and texture mapping. This course provides an overview of the OpenGL interface, a thorough description of OpenGL's rendering model and controls, and discussions of how OpenGL fits within the X Window System and Microsoft Windows environments.

*Who Should Attend*

Programmers who are interested in writing interactive 3D applications on graphics workstations or PCs. Anyone interested in implementing OpenGL or porting it to another environment.

*Organizer*

**Randi J. Rost** is Chief Architect for Graphics Software at Kubota Pacific Computer, Inc., where he leads the design and implementation of rich and flexible software environments for high-performance graphics and imaging systems. He was one of the main architects of PEX and served as the PEX document editor for four years. He has participated in the OpenGL effort and in NCGA's Graphics Performance Characterization Committee. In 1993, he received the NCGA Award for The Advancement of Graphics Standards.

*Lecturers***Kurt Akeley***Silicon Graphics, Inc.***Bruce D'Amora***IBM Corporation***John Dennis***Digital Equipment Corporation***George Roussos***Microsoft Corporation***VISUALIZING MULTI-DIMENSIONAL  
GEOMETRY AND APPLICATIONS  
TO MULTI-VARIATE PROBLEMS****Course 16****Monday am • Half Day****Intermediate Level***Course Description*

This course explores methods of augmenting human 3D perception to improve visualization of multi-dimensional geometry and multi-variate relationships. Theoretical material is applied to a variety of areas including statistics, finance, air traffic control, computer vision, instrumentation, and process control.

*Who Should Attend*

Statisticians, engineers, commodity traders and financial analysts, physicists, chemists, control theorists, optimization specialists, decision makers, medical researchers, and anyone else who wants to visualize multi-variate problems.

*Organizer*

**Alfred Inselberg** is Senior Technical Corporate Staff Member at the IBM T.J. Watson Research Center and Adjunct Professor in the Departments of Computer Science at the University of California, Los Angeles, and the University of Southern California.

*Lecturers***Kim Esbensen***SINTEF***Avijit Chatterjee***University of Southern California***DIGITAL ILLUSION: DISTRIBUTED  
INTERACTIVE ENTERTAINMENT****Course 7****Monday pm • Half Day****Beginning Level***Course Description*

A survey of both the state of the art and future directions in networked interactive entertainment content development and systems design. A range of market assumptions is discussed, including hardware, software, and the cost/performance trade-offs of image generation in attraction design. Topics include: techniques for developing non-linear, real-time scenarios to ensure compelling stories; how to develop elaborate story lines to meet schedule and budget constraints; production techniques; hardware affordances; DIS network protocols; and groupware paradigms.

*Who Should Attend*

Anyone interested in the application of multi-modal interface design, non-linear storytelling, real-time high-bandwidth networking techniques, virtual environment design, and themed development in location-based entertainment (LBE).

*Organizer*

**Clark Dodsworth, Jr.** is an interface design consultant at Osage Associates. His clients include theme park design firms, LBE developers, advertising agencies, and advanced business communications systems developers. He specializes in low- and high-technology tools of illusion.

*Lecturers***Scott Billups***Viz-Net Productions***Michael Harris***NCR Human Interface Technology Center***Farid Mamaghani***Systems Developer***Celia Pearce***Writer/Creative Director***ANIMATION TRICKS****Course 1****Tuesday • Full Day****Intermediate Level***Course Description*

A complete mathematical model of animation would require both physically based dynamical simulation and a psychological model of the thought processes of the characters. Some researchers are attempting just that, but they are not presenting this course. The focus here is on hacks and tricks that human animators use to give the impression of weight, thought, importance, and other ideas without directly simulating them in the most general sense.

*Who Should Attend*

Anyone who needs an introduction to the real world of computer animation.

*Organizer*

**James F. Blinn** has been tricking people for many years. He specializes in producing animated videos that trick the unsuspecting into learning mathematics and physics. At the California Institute of Technology, he is Associate Director of *Project Mathematics!*, a math program for high schools.

*Lecturers***Mark Henne***Rhythm & Hues Studios***John Lasseter***Pixar***Ken Perlin***New York University***Chris Wedge***Blue Sky Productions*

# Courses

TUESDAY, 26 JULY

## DEVELOPING ADVANCED VIRTUAL REALITY APPLICATIONS

### Course 2

Tuesday • Full Day

#### Advanced Level

##### Course Description

This course addresses the issues that arise in efforts to develop virtual reality applications with non-trivial graphics, computation, or interaction. Emphasis is on the design process leading to the implementation of useful virtual environments. Topics include: human factors, optimization, augmented reality, and intuitive interface techniques.

##### Who Should Attend

Those who have taken introductory courses in virtual reality and/or have developed simple virtual reality applications.

##### Organizer

**Steve Bryson** is an investigator at Computer Sciences Corporation under contract for the Applied Research Office of the Numerical Aerodynamic Simulation Systems Division at NASA Ames Research Center. He studies the application of virtual reality techniques to scientific visualization.

##### Lecturers

#### Steven K. Feiner

Columbia University

#### Randy Pausch

University of Virginia

#### Dennis Proffitt

University of Virginia

#### Henry Sowizral

Boeing Computer Services

#### Andries van Dam

Brown University

## COMPUTER VISION FOR COMPUTER GRAPHICS

### Course 3

Tuesday • Full Day

#### Advanced Level

##### Course Description

In recent years, two traditionally separate fields – computer graphics and computer vision – have begun to merge. This course investigates the increasingly important role that computer vision plays in graphical model building, user interfaces, biomedical imaging, and animation. Topics include model building from video image sequences, face and hand gestures as new interface paradigms, extracting models from biomedical data, using live video and 3D images in the operating room, capturing motion from video sequences, and modeling perception for the animation of humans and other living creatures.

##### Who Should Attend

Graphics researchers, software developers, and practitioners who want to add computer vision methods to their skills arsenals.

##### Organizer

**Ingrid Carlborn** is Manager of Visualization Research at Digital Equipment Corporation's Cambridge Research Lab. From 1980 to 1986, she was a member of the professional staff at Schlumberger-Doll Research. Her research interests include scientific visualization, biomedical imaging, geometric modeling, and computer graphics system architecture.

##### Lecturers

#### William Freeman

Mitsubishi Electric Research Laboratories

#### Gudrun Klinker

Digital Equipment Corporation, Cambridge Research Lab

#### William E. Lorensen

GE Corporate Research and Development

#### Richard Szeliski

Digital Equipment Corporation, Cambridge Research Lab

#### Demetri Terzopoulos

University of Toronto

#### Keith Waters

Digital Equipment Corporation, Cambridge Research Lab

## ADVANCED TECHNIQUES FOR SCIENTIFIC VISUALIZATION

### Course 4

Tuesday • Full Day

#### Advanced Level

##### Course Description

This course describes the latest algorithms for understanding the complex 3D datasets typical of scientific environments. Topics include: polygon reduction techniques for 3D contour services, volume rendering techniques for non-regular grids and vector fields, modeling large multi-variate datasets (especially scattered data models), and techniques for parallelizing these and other algorithms on MPP and cluster-type computers.

##### Who Should Attend

Anyone interested in understanding effective solutions for representing 3D datasets, from the theoretical to the practical.

##### Organizers

**Roger A. Crawfis** is the Graphics Technology Group Leader in the Livermore Computing Department of the Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory. He has led several projects to develop better visualization algorithms and published a number of research papers on scientific visualization.

**Charles Hansen** is a project leader in the Advanced Computing Laboratory at Los Alamos National Laboratory. His research interests include scientific visualization, 3D shape representation and geometry, and computer vision.

##### Lecturers

#### Nelson Max

Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory

#### Gregory M. Nielson

Arizona State University

#### William Schroeder

GE Corporate Research and Development

## INTRODUCTION TO VIDEO AND AUDIO COMPRESSION TECHNIQUES

### Course 6

Tuesday • Full Day

#### Beginning Level

##### Course Description

This course investigates and compares basic compression techniques for audio, still video, motion video, and video conferencing. Emphasis is on the practical trade-offs between quality and cost for current hardware and software systems. After an introduction to the hows and whys of compression, the course explores the details of several compression algorithms, including: JPEG, MPEG-I, MPEG-II, ADPCM, and Px64.

##### Who Should Attend

Developers who would like a better understanding of compression options, designers seeking a quick introduction to compression algorithms, and content providers who want to understand the limitations of compression technology.

##### Organizer

**Andy Daniel** is Graphics Architect at Alliance Semiconductor. He specializes in developing cost-efficient graphics hardware to bring high performance to the mass market. Prior to joining Alliance, he was Engineering Manager at Western Digital, where he was responsible for the industry's first DRAM-based GUI accelerator, the WD90C31.

##### Lecturers

#### Jim Anderson

JAZZ Multimedia

#### Doug Bailey

Integrated Information Technology

#### Perry R. Cook

Media Vision  
Stanford CCRMA



**WAVELETS AND THEIR APPLICATIONS IN COMPUTER GRAPHICS****Course 11****Tuesday • Full Day****Advanced Level***Course Description*

This course provides fundamental mathematical background on wavelets and explores their main applications, both current and potential, to computer graphics. Emphasis is on the connection between wavelets and the tools and concepts of computer graphics: Fourier techniques, pyramidal schemes, spline representations, and solutions of linear systems.

*Who Should Attend*

Researchers and advanced practitioners who are currently trying to solve problems in image representation and compression, curve and surface representation, light representation and propagation, shading, and illumination models.

*Organizer*

**Alain Fournier** is Professor of Computer Science at the University of British Columbia, Co-Director of Imager, UBC's computer graphics laboratory, and Director of GraFiC, a UBC/IBM Canada partnership dedicated to computer animation. His research interests include modeling, geometric algorithms, display algorithms, and wavelets, which he uses to represent light flux and compute local illumination in a global illumination algorithm of his own design.

*Lecturers***Leena-Maija Reissell***University of British Columbia***Peter Schröder***Princeton University***Michael F. Cohen***Princeton University***PROGRAMMING OPEN INVENTOR, AN OBJECT-ORIENTED OPENGL TOOLKIT****Course 21****Tuesday • Full Day****Intermediate Level***Course Description*

This course teaches and demonstrates how to program Open Inventor, an object-oriented 3D graphics toolkit built on OpenGL. Open Inventor will be available on Silicon Graphics, Sun Microsystems, Hewlett-Packard, Digital Equipment, IBM, and NT systems. Topics include: 3D scene construction, rendering, picking, animation, 3D interaction, data monitoring, the Inventor file format, X and Windows interfaces, performance tips, and system extensibility.

*Who Should Attend*

Application programmers who want to write interactive 3D graphics programs employing direct manipulation and animation, developers familiar with other 3D libraries, and anyone interested in object-oriented, extensible graphics systems.

*Organizer*

**David Mott**, a member of the technical staff at Silicon Graphics, Inc., is one of the creators of the Open Inventor toolkit. He has also programmed graphics applications at Claris Corporation and Xerox Corporation.

*Lecturers***Eric Enderton***Industrial Light & Magic***Eric Gregory***Strata G Systems***Paolo Sabella***NeTpower***Paul S. Strauss***Silicon Graphics, Inc.***Tim Wiegand***Cambridge University***MODELING NATURAL PHENOMENA****Course 22****Tuesday • Full Day****Advanced Level***Course Description*

This course presents the state of the art in reproducing visual aspects of nature in synthetic imagery. Topics include: atmospheric scattering effects, rainbows, clouds, fires and smoke, battlefield smoke obscuration, fractal terrains, ocean waves, and structural and developmental models of plants.

*Who Should Attend*

Those interested in advanced modeling, realistic image synthesis, and reproduction of natural scenes with computer graphics.

*Organizer*

**F. Kenton Musgrave**, who teaches in the Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science at The George Washington University, is internationally known for his images of fractal landscapes and planet-scapes. He also publishes and lectures widely on computer graphics models of natural phenomena.

*Lecturers***David Ebert***University of Maryland***Alain Fournier***University of British Columbia***Geoffrey Gardner****Przemyslaw Prusinkiewicz***University of Calgary***ADVANCED TOPICS IN RADIOSITY****Course 28****Tuesday • Full Day****Advanced Level***Course Description*

This course presents an in-depth look at areas of advanced research in radiosity algorithms. Topics include: hierarchical radiosity using wavelet basis functions, visibility algorithms, discontinuity meshing, hybrid radiosity/ray-tracing methods, tone mapping, and inverse methods. Participants learn how selection of basis functions affects the quality and efficiency of a radiosity method, how concepts from computational geometry and psychology are applied to radiosity methods, how radiosity is integrated with other image synthesis techniques, and how radiosity is reformulated as a design tool.

*Who Should Attend*

Anyone who is interested in current and future developments in the radiosity method of image synthesis.

*Organizer*

**Holly E. Rushmeier** is on the staff of the Computing and Applied Mathematics Laboratory at the National Institute of Standards and Technology. Her research interests include computer graphics synthetic image generation, scientific visualization, and radiant heat transfer.

*Lecturers***Michael F. Cohen***Princeton University***Dani Lischinski***Cornell University***Peter Schröder***Princeton University***Peter Shirley***Indiana University***Seth Teller***Princeton University*

# Courses

TUESDAY, 26 JULY

WEDNESDAY, 27 JULY

## AN INTRODUCTION TO PHYSICALLY BASED MODELING

### Course 32

Tuesday • Full Day

#### Intermediate Level

##### Course Description

During the past few years, physically based modeling has emerged as an important approach to computer animation. In this course, participants will learn the skills required to actually do physically based modeling. Topics include particle dynamics, continuum methods for simulating water and non-rigid objects, constraint methods, rigid body dynamics, collision and contact, and elements of control for modeling active, purposeful creatures.

##### Who Should Attend

Computer graphics professionals and implementers who want to develop a solid understanding of physical methods as applied to animation and modeling.

##### Organizer

**Andrew Witkin** is Professor of Computer Science and Robotics at Carnegie Mellon University in Pittsburgh. Prior to joining the Carnegie Mellon faculty, he headed the perception and graphics group at Schlumberger Palo Alto Research. He has authored seven SIGGRAPH papers.

##### Lecturers

**David Baraff**  
Carnegie Mellon University

**Michael Kass**  
Apple Computer, Inc.

## CHARACTER ANIMATION SYSTEMS

### Course 9

Wednesday • Full Day

#### Intermediate Level

##### Course Description

Motion capture is a quickly evolving technique for generating long-form computer character animation. It involves capturing the performance of a (usually) live source such as an actor, rather than using the traditional key-frame approach. This course:

- Presents an in-depth review of the most prevalent of the many approaches animators are now using to capitalize on this technique.
- Provides insight into current research and production techniques that use motion capture for character animation.
- Reviews concepts and working applications of performance, optical, magnetic, prosthetic, and mechanical technologies.

##### Who Should Attend

Anyone interested in motion capture techniques for use in live performance and long- and short-form character animation in all media.

##### Organizer

**Matt Elson** is an award-winning artist who has been working with computer graphics since 1983. For several years, he was the artist-in-residence for the Symbolics graphics division, where he created two short HDTV productions: "The Little Death" and "Virtually Yours." He is currently the Creative Director for 3D Graphics at The Post Group, where he designs and directs computer animation.

##### Lecturers

**Jon Snoddy**  
Walt Disney Imagineering

**David Sturman**  
MEDIALAB

**Wes Trager**  
Acclaim Entertainment

**Michael Wahrman**  
Independent Consultant

## SOUND SYNCHRONIZATION AND SYNTHESIS FOR COMPUTER ANIMATION AND VIRTUAL REALITY

### Course 12

Wednesday • Full Day

#### Intermediate Level

##### Course Description

In this course, participants will gain a general understanding of the problems involved in synchronizing sounds to motions as an integrated process. Some of the current research topics in sound as they relate to computer animation and virtual reality are reviewed and examined in case studies from recent films and animations.

##### Who Should Attend

Scientists, animators, and anyone interested in generating more effective soundtracks for their animations.

##### Organizer

**James K. Hahn** is Assistant Professor in the Department of Electrical Engineering and Computer Science at The George Washington University, where he leads research in motion control, sound, virtual environments, and scientific visualization. His animations have been shown at SIGGRAPH film and video shows and displayed in television broadcasts and museum exhibits worldwide.

##### Lecturers

**Robin Bargar**  
University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

**Wayne Lytle**  
Cornell University

**Gary Rydstrom**  
Skywalker Sound

**Tapio Takala**  
Helsinki University of Technology

## DESIGNING REAL-TIME GRAPHICS FOR ENTERTAINMENT

### Course 14

Wednesday • Full Day

#### Intermediate Level

##### Course Description

Using examples from actual games, theme attractions, and software toolkits, this course reviews real-time graphics in the design and construction of leading-edge theme park and location-based entertainment systems. Topics include architectures, multiprocessing, performance trade-offs, visual simulation methods, modeling, motion platforms, sound generation, and game design.

##### Who Should Attend

Anyone with a technical background in computer graphics who wants to know how real-time computer imagery is generated in entertainment systems, or how to design and tune high-performance virtual environments.

##### Organizer

**James Helman**, a member of the technical staff in Silicon Graphics' Advanced Graphics Division, is one of the authors of IRIS Performer, SGI's real-time graphics toolkit. His interests include game design, virtual environments, and making things run real fast.

##### Lecturers

**Bernard Crowe**  
GreyStone Technology

**Sharon Fischler**  
Silicon Graphics, Inc.

**Eric Johnston**  
Spectrum Hologbyte

**Michael Jones**  
Silicon Graphics, Inc.

**Michael Limber**  
Angel Studios

**John Rohlf**  
Silicon Graphics, Inc.



**GRAPHIC DESIGN FOR USABLE USER INTERFACES**

**Course 20**

**Wednesday • Full Day**

**Beginning Level**

*Course Description*

This course introduces terminology, principles, guidelines, and heuristics for using information-oriented, systematic graphic design in user interfaces, especially for the design of metaphors, mental models, navigation schemes, icons, and dialogue boxes. Perceptual, conceptual, and communications topics include: typography, symbol systems, color, spatial composition, animation, and sequencing.

*Who Should Attend*

Product development engineers, software engineers, product marketers, staff scientists, applications developers, human factors specialists, graphic designers, industrial designers, and technical editors.

*Organizer*

**Aaron Marcus**, President of Aaron Marcus and Associates, Inc., is an internationally recognized authority on graphic design for computer graphics, especially chart, form, document, icon, and screen design. He has given user interface, knowledge visualization, and document design courses at SIGGRAPH, SIGCHI, Human Factors and Ergonomics, and NCGA conferences in addition to courses at companies and other conferences in the United States, Australia, Canada, Europe, Israel, Singapore, South Korea, and Japan.

*Lecturers*

**Wolfgang Heidrich**

*Aaron Marcus and Associates, Inc.*

**Grant Letz**

*Aaron Marcus and Associates, Inc.*

**Jay Melican**

*Aaron Marcus and Associates, Inc.*

**THREE-DIMENSIONAL VISUALIZATION OF MEDICAL DATA**

**Course 24**

**Wednesday • Full Day**

**Intermediate Level**

*Course Description*

This course summarizes current approaches to the fundamental problem of medical visualization: extracting information from 3D clinical data and converting it to clinically useful images. Topics include data acquisition, segmentation, rendering methods, display hardware, and actual clinical applications presented by orthopedic specialists, oncologists, surgeons, and radiation therapists.

*Who Should Attend*

Computer graphics programmers, scientists, physicians, researchers, engineers, and anyone who wants to understand the application of computer graphics to medical imaging.

*Organizer*

Until last year, **Derek Ney** was an assistant professor of radiology at the Johns Hopkins Medical Institutions, Baltimore. He is now a consultant specializing in medical imaging software.

*Lecturers*

**Elliot K. Fishman**

*The Johns Hopkins Medical Institutions*

**Henry Fuchs**

*University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill*

**Pat Hanrahan**

*Princeton University*

**Ron Kikinis**

*Harvard University*

**William E. Lorensen**

*GE Corporate Research and Development*

**Hans-Peter Meinzer**

*University of Heidelberg*

**Terry S. Yoo**

*University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill*

**VISUALIZING AND EXAMINING LARGE SCIENTIFIC DATASETS: A FOCUS ON THE PHYSICAL AND NATURAL SCIENCES**

**Course 27**

**Wednesday • Full Day**

**Intermediate Level**

*Course Description*

With highly illustrative, real-time atmospheric, oceanographic, and geographic examples, this course demonstrates the application of visualization tools and techniques to examination of large scientific datasets. Emphasis is on the process of developing effective visualization paradigms for supporting high-speed networking, database management, heterogeneous computing platforms, user interface design, collaborative computing, and animation techniques.

*Who Should Attend*

Researchers and computer graphics specialists interested in exploring the issues associated with managing large scientific datasets.

*Organizer*

**Theresa Marie Rhyne** is a Senior Visualization Researcher with Martin Marietta/U.S. EPA Scientific Visualization Center. She has been responsible for development of the center since its inception in 1990. Her research interests include visualization toolkit development and collaborative computing in a networked environment. She is also a widely respected computer graphic artist and art educator.

*Lecturers*

**Bill Hibbard**

*University of Wisconsin at Madison*

**Kevin J. Hussey**

*Jet Propulsion Laboratory*

**Lloyd Treinish**

*IBM T.J. Watson Research Center*

**THE SCIENCE OF DIGITAL COLOR**

**Course 26**

**Wednesday am • Half Day**

**Intermediate Level**

*Course Description*

This course explains the science behind color reproduction, image digitization, and image reproduction in video, film, print, and computer graphics. Participants learn how to design and program systems that transport digital images among various media while retaining maximum color accuracy and image quality.

*Who Should Attend*

Hardware and software engineers, system designers, and advanced end-users such as digital photographers and digital cinematographers.

*Organizer and Lecturer*

**Charles A. Poynton** is a staff engineer at Sun Microsystems Computer Corporation, where he is working to integrate video technology – particularly high-definition television and accurate color reproduction – into computer workstations. He was recently elected a Fellow of the Society of Motion Picture and Television Engineers and is an active participant in a number of SMPTE standards committees.

# Courses

WEDNESDAY, 27 JULY

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## **TAKING THE LEAP: THE PROFITS AND PITFALLS OF ENTREPRENEURIAL VENTURING**

**Course 31**

**Wednesday am • Half Day**

**Beginning Level**

### *Course Description*

This practical introduction to the world of high-tech entrepreneurship provides an overview of the key legal, organizational, financial, and psychological issues involved in starting a new technology venture. Case studies are used to illustrate the real-life challenges and rewards of business development.

### *Who Should Attend*

Anyone interested in learning what it takes to start and build a profitable technology company, including intrapreneurs (those who are creating new business ventures within large organizations).

### *Organizer*

**Gary Smaby** is founder and President of Smaby Group, Inc., a strategic and financial advisory firm that serves clients in the information technology industry. He has served as managing director of two leading Wall Street investment banking firms, where he built an international reputation as a leading securities analyst in the advanced computing sector. He now advises Fortune 100 executives, as well as entrepreneurs, on strategies for new business venturing.

### *Lecturers*

#### **Larry Barels**

*Wavefront Technologies*

#### **Ken Liebman**

*Faegre & Benson*

#### **Jim Treleven**

*UARCO, Inc.*

## **HIGH-TECHNOLOGY MARKETING: KEY CONCEPTS FOR BRINGING NEW TECHNOLOGY TO MARKET**

**Course 25**

**Wednesday pm • Half Day**

**Beginning Level**

### *Course Description*

This course presents key concepts, techniques, and examples of successful high-technology marketing. The focus is on marketing strategies, rather than tactics, that all technology-based companies need to understand and apply. Topics include target market identification, the technology adoption curve and its implications, whole product marketing, and competitive positioning.

### *Who Should Attend*

Product marketing or product engineering managers and executives who are interested in defining, directing, or implementing the product development or marketing strategies of their companies or organizations.

### *Organizer and Lecturer*

**Randy Nickel** applies more than 15 years of experience in technology marketing for companies, including Regis McKenna Inc., Digital Equipment Corporation, and Silicon Graphics, Inc. In 1993, he started Technology Marketing Consulting, an independent consulting practice focused on applying many of the concepts presented in this course.

## **COPYRIGHT PROTECTION FOR SOFTWARE, GRAPHICS, AND MULTIMEDIA**

**Course 29**

**Wednesday pm • Half Day**

**Beginning Level**

### *Course Description*

This course introduces participants to the basic issues of intellectual property law. Topics include: copyright, look-and-feel, reverse engineering, and the fair use doctrine. Though it concentrates primarily on settled and unsettled issues in U.S. law, the course also compares and contrasts the current state of intellectual property law in Europe and Japan.

### *Who Should Attend*

Graphic designers, software developers, and their managers, especially those who are confronting the complex challenges of intellectual property law.

### *Organizer and Lecturer*

**Pamela Samuelson** has been Professor of Law at the University of Pittsburgh since 1981. She specializes in intellectual property law, with a particular emphasis on computer software protection. She is the author of numerous articles and reports on software intellectual property and a contributing editor of *Communications of the ACM*, for which she writes a quarterly column: "Legally Speaking."



# PEXlib Lab Courses

MONDAY, 25 JULY THROUGH THURSDAY, 28 JULY

## LAB COURSES: PROGRAMMING DISTRIBUTED 3D GRAPHICS IN A PEX ENVIRONMENT

### Course 15

#### Lab Overview

This series of lab courses presents various levels of technical content in small-group lecture-style instruction intermixed with hands-on programming. Attendees learn how to use a variety of toolkits and then actually see their programs run in a distributed environment. Attendance is on a first-come, first-served basis.

#### Prerequisites

Prior C programming experience is required for all courses. An understanding of basic computer graphics is also recommended. Knowledge of an object-oriented language (C++ or SmallTalk) and an understanding of the object paradigm are recommended for the object-oriented course.

#### Organizers

**Jerry Howard** is a Senior Graphics Technical Analyst at Template Graphics Software Inc., San Diego, where he develops graphics applications and software tools using PHIGS, X, and Motif. He has taught and co-taught PEX/PEXlib courses at several conferences, including Xhibition 93 and Xhibition 94.

**Michael Neal** is a Research and Development Project Manager at CogniSeis Development in Boulder, Colorado, where he leads a team that is developing a distributed interactive graphics application in an object-oriented environment. For more than 10 years, he has developed interactive graphics for a variety of applications, including simulation, mechanical CAD, and geoscience.

## PROGRAMMING PEX WITH PEXLIB – BASIC

### Lab 15A

Monday am • Half Day

Beginning Level

#### Lab Description

Introductory instruction on the use of PEXlib 3D graphics API. Ample time is allocated to hands-on experience with simple programs that demonstrate correct usage of PEXlib. Some time is reserved for exploring more capable programs.

#### Who Should Attend

Developers of applications using 3D graphics should attend this course to learn the basics of the PEXlib 3D graphics API.

#### Prerequisites

Prior C programming experience is required. Familiarity with PEX, PHIGS or other 3D graphics interface concepts is desirable, but not required. Familiarity with X Window system interface concepts is helpful, but prior X Window programming experience is not required.

#### Lecturer

**Jane Sczechowski** is a member of the technical staff at Hewlett-Packard Company, where she has worked for six years on the PHIGS and PEX standards and related HP products. Previously, she spent three years with General Electric designing graphics accelerators. She is currently the document editor for the PEX 5.2 standard.

## PROGRAMMING PEX WITH PEXLIB – INTERMEDIATE

### Lab 15B

Monday pm • Half Day

Tuesday pm • Half Day

Intermediate Level

#### Lab Description

Introduction to the mechanisms PEX provides for modeling, lighting, and shading, and discussion of their uses and limitations. Through programming examples, attendees learn how to model, light, and shade with PEXlib and how different controls affect the quality and composition of the final image.

#### Who Should Attend

Developers of 3D graphics applications should attend this course to learn about programming distributed graphics in a PEX environment.

#### Prerequisites

A level of knowledge equivalent to that provided in the Basic PEXlib programming course is required.

#### Lecturer

**Tom Gaskins**, President of Tom Gaskins Software, Inc., is author of the *PEXlib Programming Manual*, published by O'Reilly & Associates. For 10 years, he has been implementing both graphics applications and libraries, and he has served on ANSI, ISO, and X Consortium standards committees.

## PROGRAMMING PEX WITH PHIGS

### Lab 15C

Tuesday am • Half Day

Beginning Level

#### Lab Description

This course teaches how to use the Programmer's Hierarchical Interactive Graphics System (PHIGS) API, ISO standard 9593, in a distributed environment. Topics include: what PHIGS is and how it works in a distributed environment, 3D modeling and viewing, animation of objects, lighting, and shading. Programming examples are geared toward writing and running a first-time PHIGS application.

#### Who Should Attend

Developers of 3D graphics applications should attend this course to learn about programming distributed graphics in a PEX environment using the ISO standard PHIGS API.

#### Lecturer

**Jerry Howard**

## PROGRAMMING PEX WITH PEXLIB – ADVANCED

### Lab 15D

Wednesday am • Half Day

Thursday am • Half Day

Intermediate Level

#### Lab Description

This course covers advanced, application-specific issues in programming in a distributed environment. PEXlib is used as the model to discuss various issues such as resource loading, use of display lists versus immediate mode, optimization techniques, and various implementation issues that arise when developing and tuning applications.

#### Who Should Attend

Developers of 3D graphics applications who want to learn more about the complexities of performance and optimization.

#### Prerequisites

Prior C programming experience, experience with a distributed 3D graphics toolkit, and knowledge equivalent to that provided in the PEXlib intermediate course are required.

#### Lecturer

**Karl Schultz**, a Software Engineer at Hewlett-Packard Company, is X Consortium PEXlib Chief Architect for the PEXlib 5.2 effort. He became involved with X Consortium PEX design work in 1990, when he assumed technical and product leadership for IBM's PEX products. He also participated in the design and development of IBM's *graphIGS* programming interface.

## OBJECT-ORIENTED GRAPHICS PROGRAMMING IN A PEX ENVIRONMENT

### Lab 15E

Wednesday pm • Half Day

Thursday pm • Half Day

Intermediate Level

#### Lab Description

This course examines how to develop distributed 3D applications using PEXlib within an object-oriented paradigm. Some of the basics of PEXlib and 3D graphics are covered, but the course concentrates more on how to design and implement an object-oriented graphics system in a PEX environment.

#### Who Should Attend

Developers of 3D graphics applications in an object-oriented environment should attend this course to learn about programming distributed graphics in a PEX environment.

#### Prerequisites

Programming experience with C++ or another object-oriented language is strongly recommended. Experience with a 3D toolkit is desired, but not required.

#### Lecturers

**Michael Neal**

**James Wilmsen** is a Senior Software Engineer at CogniSeis Development, where he develops object-oriented geoscience applications. He is the lead application programmer for a new interactive graphics product developed with object technology.

# Papers/Panels

## PAPERS

Wednesday  
10:15 am to 5:15 pm  
Thursday – Friday  
8:15 am to 5:15 pm

**Researchers redefine the future in the pre-eminent international forum for current inquiry in computer graphics theory and applications. Papers are documented in the SIGGRAPH 94 Conference Proceedings.**

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**Ken Torrance**  
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## PANELS

Wednesday  
10:15 am to 5:15 pm  
Thursday – Friday  
8:15 am to 5:15 pm

**Watch advanced concepts merge and clash. Listen to the experts agree and disagree on the relationship between technology and human activities. Join the interactive audience and contribute your own questions and comments on computer graphics issues, directions, and visions. Panel abstracts are published in the SIGGRAPH 94 Conference Proceedings.**

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**Pauline Tso**  
Rhythm & Hues Studios

WEDNESDAY, 27 JULY

10:15 AM - NOON

### Papers: Dynamics Hall D

CHAIR  
**Michael Kass**  
Apple Computer, Inc.

Evolving Virtual Creatures  
**Karl Sims**  
Thinking Machines Corporation

Hierarchical Spacetime Control  
**Zicheng Liu and Michael F. Cohen**  
Princeton University

Fast Contact Force Computation for  
Nonpenetrating Rigid Bodies  
**David Baraff**  
Carnegie Mellon University

Artificial Fishes: Physics, Locomotion,  
Perception, Behavior  
**Xiaoyuan Tu and Demetri  
Terzopoulos**  
University of Toronto

### Panel: Programmers – Mechanics of the Information Highway Room 8

Marketers of the digital future overlook one crucial fact: software is hard. That's why the interactive TV trials are already behind schedule. And that's why, if they ever materialize, their content is 95 percent certain to be boring and stupid. This panel is a pre-mortem for the over-hyped information infrastructure and a debate on the actual role of programmers in the digital future.

CHAIR  
**Denise Caruso**  
Technology and Media

PANELISTS  
**Peter Barrett**  
Rocket Science

**Michele di Lorenzo**  
Viacom New Media

**Vinnie Grosso**  
AT&T

**Dave Kaiser**  
Kaleida

**Patrick Naughton**  
FirstPerson

### PAPERS/PANELS BREAKOUT ROOM

**After each Paper/Panel session, speakers and attendees are welcome to continue their discussions in the Papers/Panels Breakout Room, 10A.**



WEDNESDAY, 27 JULY

1:30 PM - 3:15 PM

**Papers: Error Estimation in Image Synthesis  
Hall D**

CHAIR

**Michael F. Cohen**  
*Princeton University*

Textures and Radiosity: Controlling Emission and Reflection with Texture Maps

**Reid Gershbein, Peter Schröder, and Pat Hanrahan**  
*Princeton University*

Hierarchical Error-Bounded Rendering

**Ned Greene and Michael Kass**  
*Apple Computer, Inc.*

Bounds and Error Estimates for Radiosity

**Dani Lischinski, Brian Smits, and Donald Greenberg**  
*Cornell University*

A Framework for the Analysis of Error in Global Illumination Algorithms

**James Arvo, Kenneth Torrance, and Brian Smits**  
*Cornell University*

**Panel: Research Frontiers in Virtual Reality  
Room 8**

Virtual reality is a new paradigm of human-computer interaction that has generated a great deal of excitement but relatively few real applications. This panel attempts to identify the leading-edge research issues that must be addressed before the full promise of virtual reality can be realized. Discussion focuses on the hardware and software challenges to development of effective virtual reality systems and how those challenges can be met.

CO-CHAIRS

**Steve Bryson**  
*CSC/NASA Ames Research Center*

**Steven Feiner**  
*Columbia University*

PANELISTS

**Frederick P. Brooks, Jr.**  
*University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill*

**Philip Hubbard**  
*Brown University*

**Randy Pausch**  
*University of Virginia*

**Andries van Dam**  
*Brown University*

3:30 PM - 5:15 PM

**Papers: Drawing and Painting  
Hall D**

CHAIR

**Ken Perlin**  
*New York University*

Multiresolution Painting and Compositing  
**Deborah F. Berman, Jason T. Bartell, and David H. Salesin**  
*University of Washington*

Computer-Generated Pen-and-Ink Illustration  
**Georges Winkelbach and David H. Salesin**  
*University of Washington*

Interactive Pen-and-Ink Illustration  
**Michael P. Salisbury and Sean E. Anderson**  
*University of Washington*

**Ronen Barzel**  
*Pixar*  
**David H. Salesin**  
*University of Washington*

Efficient Techniques for Interactive Texture Placement  
**Pete Litwinowicz and Gavin Miller**  
*Apple Computer, Inc.*

Drawing and Animation Using Skeletal Strokes  
**Siu Chi Hsu**  
*Chinese University of Hong Kong*  
**Irene Hing Huen Lee**  
*Hong Kong Academy for Performing Arts/Creature House*

**Panel: Computer Graphics and Economic Transformations  
Room 8**

Four ideas are presented for viewing the impact of SIGGRAPH-inspired innovations:

- The historical role of technology in social, business, and economic transformation.
- The bionomic view that ever-improving information handling is the engine of economic progress.
- The challenge of developing, marketing, and supporting graphics-based products such as CD-ROM and interactive TV.
- The emerging role of computer graphics in creating new ways to share information, new approaches to organization, and new styles of social interaction.

CHAIR

**Walt Bransford**  
*The Premisys Corporation*

PANELISTS

**Maury Klein**  
*University of Rhode Island*

**Craig Moody**  
*Time Warner Interactive Group*

**David Reed**  
*Interval Research Corporation*

**Michael Rothschild**  
*The Bionomics Institute*

# Papers/Panels

THURSDAY, 28 JULY

8:15 AM - 10:00 AM

## Papers: 2D Imaging Hall D

CHAIR

**Rob Cook**

*Light Source, Inc.*

Rotated Dispersed Dither: A New Technique for Digital Halftoning

**V. Ostromoukhov, I. Amidror, and R.D. Hersch**

*Swiss Federal Institute of Technology (EPFL)*

Energy Preserving Non-Linear Filters

**Holly E. Rushmeier**

*National Institute of Standards and Technology*

**Greg Ward**

*Lawrence Berkeley Laboratory*

Spreadsheets for Images

**Marc Levoy**

*Stanford University*

A Model for Efficient and Flexible Image Computing

**Michael A. Shantzis**

*Pixar*

## Panel: Production for the Long Haul Room 8

Panelists present and discuss issues related to producing 3D computer animation and digital image synthesis in the context of long-format productions. Speakers include top producers of feature films and television programs.

CHAIR

**John Donkin**

*Lamb & Company*

PANELISTS

**Charles Gibson**

*Rhythm & Hues Studios*

**Ralph Guggenheim**

*Pixar*

**Edward Kummer**

*Walt Disney Features*

**Brad Lewis**

*Pacific Data Images*

**Jeff Thingvold**

*Lamb & Company*

## Panel: Approaches to Teaching Introductory Computer Graphics Room 20

This panel reviews various approaches to teaching an introductory computer graphics course. Panelists represent a wide spectrum of the discipline; they offer courses that emphasize systems, engineering, mathematics, science, art and design, and animation. Sample course syllabi, textbook recommendations, software packages, and suggested projects are displayed for audience review.

CHAIR

**Maria Larrondo-Petrie**

*Florida Atlantic University*

PANELISTS

**Jack E. Bresenham**

*Winthrop University*

**John Lansdown**

*Middlesex University*

**Cary Laxer**

*Rose-Hulman Institute of Technology*

**G. Scott Owen**

*Georgia State University*

10:15 AM - NOON

## Papers: Hardware Hall D

CHAIR

**Kurt Akeley**

*Silicon Graphics, Inc.*

Priority Rendering With a Virtual Reality Address Recalculation Pipeline

**Matthew Regan and Ronald Pose**

*Monash University*

Reflection Map Shading Hardware

**Douglas Voorhies and Jim Foran**

*Silicon Graphics, Inc.*

FBRAM: A New Form of Memory Optimized for 3D Graphics

**Michael F. Deering, Stephen A. Schlapp,**

**and Michael Lavelle**

*Sun Microsystems Computer Corporation*

Frameless Rendering: Double-Buffering Considered Harmful

**Gary Bishop, Henry Fuchs, Leonard McMillan,**

**and Ellen J. Scher**

*University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill*

Hardware-Accelerated Rendering of CSG and Transparency

**Michael Kelley, Kirk Gould, Brent Pease,**

**Stephanie Winner, and Alex Yen**

*Apple Computer, Inc.*

## Panel: Exploiting Networks for Visualization and Collaboration – No Network Roadblocks? Room 8

This panel examines the underlying concepts that support visualization and collaboration using high-speed networking, multimedia, and interactive computer graphics techniques. Topics include: collaborative efforts among researchers, programmers, and artists (Renaissance teams) to use the new national information infrastructure; international telecommunication systems; and the challenges associated with interactive visualization across heterogeneous platforms.

CHAIR

**Teresa Marie Rhyne**

*Martin Marietta/U.S. EPA Scientific Visualization Center*

PANELISTS

**George Brett**

*Clearinghouse for Networked Information Discovery and Retrieval*

**Donna J. Cox**

*National Center for Supercomputing Applications*

**Don Brutzman**

*Naval Postgraduate School*

**Adelino Santos**

*Fraunhofer Institute for Computer Graphics*

## Panel: Optimization – An Emerging Tool in Computer Graphics Room 20

Optimization techniques are increasingly used to solve problems in image rendering, object modeling, animation, and even chart graphics. Does this presage an important new development in computer graphics? Panelists survey the impact of optimization in their areas of expertise, describe the various optimization techniques that have proven useful for graphics problems, and attempt to predict what this trend means for members of the SIGGRAPH community: researchers, engineers, and artists.

CHAIR

**Joe Marks**

*Mitsubishi Electric Research Laboratories, Incorporated*

PANELISTS

**Michael F. Cohen**

*Princeton University*

**J. Thomas Ngo**

*Interval Research Corporation*

**Stuart Shieber**

*Harvard University*

**John Snyder**

*Microsoft Corporation*



THURSDAY, 28 JULY

1:30 PM - 3:00 PM

**Papers: Images and Interaction  
Hall D**

CHAIR

**Randy Pausch**  
*University of Virginia*

3D Position, Attitude, and Shape Input Using Video  
Tracking of Hands and Lips  
**Andrew Blake and Michael Isard**  
*University of Oxford*

Accelerated MPEG Compression of Dynamic Polygonal  
Scenes  
**Dan S. Wallach, Sharma Kunapalli,  
and Michael F. Cohen**  
*Princeton University*

Improving Static and Dynamic Registration in an Optical  
See-Through HMD  
**Ronald Azuma and Gary Bishop**  
*University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill*

A Virtual Environment and Model of the Eye for Surgical  
Simulation  
**Mark A. Sagar, David Bullivant,  
Gordon D. Mallinson, and Peter J. Hunter**  
*The University of Auckland*  
**Ian W. Hunter**  
*McGill University*

**Panel: Information Visualization –  
The Next Frontier  
Room 8**

This panel and audience discuss the use of data visualization software and hardware in presenting the rather abstract information contained in databases, digital libraries, and other massive collections of information. Bringing this technology to information users and taking their needs into account may transform business, science, medicine, engineering, and education. Topics include how to create effective information visualizations and how to use them effectively in information navigation, retrieval, and access.

CHAIR

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*The MITRE Corporation*

PANELISTS

**Colleen Bushell**  
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**Jock D. Mackinlay**  
*Xerox PARC*

**William A. Ruh**  
*The MITRE Corporation*

**Anselm Spoerri**  
*Massachusetts Institute of Technology*

**Joel Tesler**  
*Silicon Graphics, Inc.*

**Panel: Art and Technology – Very Large  
Scale Integration  
Room 20**

Artists who use computer graphics to create large-scale works discuss the future of artistic techniques that incorporate technology to extend the possibilities of human interaction with the machine and other people.

CHAIR

**Tom Meyer**  
*Brown University*

PANELISTS

**Douglas Davis**  
*Author, Independent*

**Mary Lou Jepsen**  
*Brown University*

**Stephen R. Johnson**  
*Director, Independent*

**Sally N. Rosenthal**  
*big Research*

3:15 PM - 5:15 PM

**Papers: Shadows and Shading  
Hall D**

CHAIR

**Ken Torrance**  
*Cornell University*

Wavelength-Dependent Reflectance Functions  
**Jay S. Gondek, Gary W. Meyer, and  
Jonathan G. Newman**  
*University of Oregon*

Polarization and Birefringency Considerations in  
Rendering  
**David C. Tannenbaum**  
*IBM Corporation*  
**Peter Tannenbaum and Michael J. Wozny**  
*Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute*

A Fast Shadow Algorithm for Area Light Sources Using  
Back Projection  
**George Drettakis and Eugene Fiume**  
*University of Toronto*

Fast Computation of Shadow Boundaries Using Spatial  
Coherence and Backprojections  
**A. James Stewart and Sherif Ghali**  
*University of Toronto*

Diffuse Reflection Model for Rough Surfaces  
**Michael Oren and Shree K. Nayar**  
*Columbia University*

**Papers: Curves and Surfaces  
Room 20**

CHAIR

**Greg Nielson**  
*Arizona State University*

Simplicial Surface Modeling  
**Will Welch and Andrew Witkin**  
*Carnegie Mellon University*

A Generalized de Casteljau Approach to 3D Free-Form  
Deformation  
**Yu-Kuang Chang and Alyn P. Rockwood**  
*Arizona State University*

Multiresolution Curves  
**Adam Finkelstein and David H. Salesin**  
*University of Washington*

Using Particles to Sample and Control Implicit Surfaces  
**Andrew Witkin and Paul Heckbert**  
*Carnegie Mellon University*

A Non-Euclidean Displacement Mapping Technique  
**Hans K hling Pedersen**  
*Carnegie Mellon University*

**Panel: Computer Graphics – Are We  
Forcing People to Evolve?  
Room 8**

The topic of this panel is a key emerging proposition in computer graphics and interactive techniques: the computer graphics industry is changing our world in a massive and basic way, from "written-word" communication to "imagery" communication, and this is changing how and what people think.

CHAIR

**Roger E. Wilson**  
*Roger Wilson & Associates*

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**Brenda Laurel**  
*Interval Research Corporation*

**Terence McKenna**  
*Independent*

**Leonard Shlain**  
*Independent*

# Papers/Panels

FRIDAY, 29 JULY

8:15 AM - 10:00 AM

## Papers: Surface Fitting and Numerical Control Hall D

CHAIR

**Ingrid Carlbom**

*Digital Equipment Corporation, Cambridge Research Lab*

Dimensional Verification and Automated Correction of Five-Axis Numerically Controlled Milling Tool Paths

**Yunching Huang and James H. Oliver**

*Iowa State University*

Piecewise Smooth Surface Reconstruction

**Hugues Hoppe, Tony DeRose, Tom Duchamp, Hubert Jin, John McDonald, and Werner Stuetzle**

*University of Washington*

Smooth Spline Surfaces Over Irregular Meshes

**Charles Loop**

*Apple Computer, Inc.*

Zippered Polygon Meshes From Range Images

**Greg Turk and Marc Levoy**

*Stanford University*

## Panel: Computer Graphics for Architecture and Design Presentations – Current Work and Trends Outside the U.S.

Room 8

Advanced computer graphics techniques are increasingly used for design communication and visualization in the architecture/engineering/construction industry outside the United States. This panel compares current U.S. applications to those used in other countries and assesses the future role of computer graphics in the field.

CHAIR

**Alonzo C. Addison**

*University of California at Berkeley*

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*Politecnico di Milano*

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*Central University of Venezuela*

**Makoto Majima**

*Taisei Corporation*

**Ken Roger Sawai**

*Plus One Incorporated*

10:15 AM - 11:45 AM

## Papers: Illumination and Shading Hall D

CHAIR

**Wolfgang Krueger**

*German National Research Center for Computer Science*

Efficient Algorithms for Local and Global Accessibility Shading

**Gavin Miller**

*Apple Computer, Inc.*

Illumination in Diverse Codimensions

**David C. Banks**

*ICASE*

Low-Cost Illumination Computation Using an Approximation of Light Wavefronts

**Gershon Elber**

*Technion, Israel Institute of Technology*

The Irradiance Jacobian for Partially Occluded Polyhedral Sources

**James Arvo**

*Cornell University*

## Panel: Why is 3D Interaction So Hard, and What Can We Really Do About It?

Room 8

This panel reviews the difficulty of 3D interaction and explores how a modern API can facilitate user tasks. Topics include how comprehensive the API should be, how performance affects the problem, and the concept of "user experience" as opposed to "user interface."

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**Julian E. Gomez**

*Apple Computer, Inc.*

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*Silicon Graphics, Inc.*

**Tony Fields**

*IDEO Product Development*

**Andries van Dam**

*Brown University*

**Dan Venolia**

*Apple Computer, Inc.*

## Panel: Computer Technology and the Artistic Process – How the Computer Industry Changes the Form and Function of Art

Room 20

This panel is designed to augment the art show. Its purpose is to create an interchange among artists, engineers, people in the computer graphics industry, and those in academia. Panelists discuss the roles that they believe engineers, commercial artists, and art academicians play in influencing the development of the process, content, product, and context of computer art.

CHAIR

**Jane Flint DeKoven**

*Macromedia*

PANELISTS

**Tim Binkley**

*School of Visual Arts*

**Glenn Entis**

*Pacific Data Images*

**Delle Maxwell**

*Independent Designer/Consultant*

**Alvy Ray Smith**

*Altamira Software Corporation*



FRIDAY, 29 JULY

1:45 PM - 3:15 PM

**Papers: Natural Phenomena  
Hall D**

CHAIR

**Alain Fournier**  
*University of British Columbia*

Synthetic Topiary  
**Przemyslaw Prusinkiewicz, Mark James, and  
Radomir Mech**  
*University of Calgary*

Visual Simulation of Lighting  
**K. Todd Reed and Brian Wyvill**  
*University of Calgary*

Predicting the Drape of Woven Cloth Using Interacting  
Particles  
**David E. Breen**  
*European Computer-Industry Research Centre*  
**Donald H. House**  
*Texas A&M University*  
**Michael J. Wozny**  
*Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute*

Method of Displaying Optical Effects within Water using  
Accumulation Buffer  
**Tomoyuki Nishita**  
*Fukuyama University*  
**Eihachiro Nakamae**  
*Hiroshima Prefectural University*

**Panel: Determinants of Immersivity in  
Virtual Reality – Graphics vs. Action  
Room 8**

This panel compares the determinants of psychological  
immersivity in virtual reality (VR) environments,  
employing still and video illustrations presented by the  
panelists and an active interchange between the panel  
and the audience. The extent to which immersivity  
depends on realistic graphics versus realistic action is  
assessed for key VR application areas including enter-  
tainment, training, and education.

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**Alan R. Mitchell**  
*Trionix Corporation*

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**William Bricken**  
*Washington Technology Center*

**Brenda Laurel**  
*Interval Research*

**Ron Martinez**  
*Spectrum HoloByte*

**Stuart Rosen**  
*WizBang!*

**Panel: Reading the Fine Print – What  
Benchmarks Don't Tell You  
Room 20**

A great deal of energy has been invested in developing  
ways to quantify graphics performance. Have these  
efforts helped the industry or confused people even  
more? Panelists describe the caveats and limitations of  
various benchmarking systems and provide some real-  
world insight into how published graphics benchmark  
results might be applied to real-world needs. The panel  
also reviews attempts to develop useful measures of  
graphics performance and how those measurements  
may be used to compare systems from different  
vendors.

CHAIR

**Randi J. Rost**  
*Kubota Pacific Computer, Inc.*

PANELISTS

**Jim Bushnell**  
*IBM Corporation*

**David Cooper**  
*Hewlett-Packard Company*

**Jerry Schnebe**  
*Ford Motor Company*

**Lynn Thorsen-Jensen**  
*Evans & Sutherland*

3:30 PM - 5:15 PM

**Papers: Animation Systems  
Hall D**

CHAIR

**John Hughes**  
*Brown University*

IRIS Performer: A High-Performance Multiprocessing  
Toolkit for Real-Time 3D Graphics  
**John Rohlf and James Helman**  
*Silicon Graphics, Inc.*

Planning Motions With Intentions  
**Yoshihito Koga**  
*Stanford University*  
**Koichi Kondo**  
*Toshiba Corporation*  
**James Kuffner and Jean-Claude Latombe**  
*Stanford University*

Animating Images With Drawings  
**Pete Litwinowicz and Lance Williams**  
*Apple Computer, Inc.*

Animated Conversation: Rule-Based Generation of Facial  
Expression Gesture and Spoken Intonation for Multiple  
Conversational Agents  
**Justine Cassell, Catherine Pelachaud, Norman  
Badler, Mark Steedman, Brett Achorn, Tripp  
Becket, Brett Douville, Scott Prevost, Chin Seah,  
and Matthew Stone**  
*University of Pennsylvania*

TBAG: A High-Level Framework for Interactive, Animated  
3D Graphics Applications  
**Conal Elliott, Greg Schechter, Ricky Yeung, and  
Salim Abi-Ezzi**  
*SunSoft, Inc.*

**Papers: Rendering Algorithms and  
Systems  
Room 20**

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A Clustering Algorithm for Radiosity in Complex  
Environments  
**Brian Smits, James Arvo, and Donald Greenberg**  
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Partitioning and Ordering Large Radiosity  
Computations  
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Fast Volume Rendering Using a Shear-Warp  
Factorization of the Viewing Transformation  
**Philippe Lacroute and Marc Levoy**  
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The RADIANCE Lighting Simulation and Rendering  
System  
**Gregory J. Ward**  
*Lawrence Berkeley Laboratory*

**Panel: Is Visualization Really Necessary?  
The Role of Visualization in Science,  
Engineering, and Medicine  
Room 8**

This panel and audience discuss whether the use of  
visualization has changed the way scientists, engineers,  
and physicians do their work. Panelists examine their  
own fields and explore whether it is possible to achieve  
the same results and effectiveness without using these  
dazzling visualization tools. In other words: are these  
just pretty pictures?

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# Technical Sketches

Room 11

Wednesday, 1:30 pm to 2:30 pm

Thursday, 10:15 am to 11:45 am  
and 1:30 pm to 3 pm

Friday, 10:15 am to 11:45 am  
and 1:45 pm to 3:15 pm

**This new technical venue encourages informal discussion of late-breaking, creative, surprising, and controversial ideas and approaches. A committee of technical contributors reviewed proposals in May and selected sketches that have the best potential to stimulate new ideas and conversations in the computer graphics community.**

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## APPLICATIONS

Wednesday, 27 July

1:30 pm to 2:30 pm

1:30 pm

### **Flyballs – Analysis and Synthesis of Biological Spherite Packings**

Benjamin Wells  
Paul K. Chien  
*University of San Francisco*

Using computer graphics, we strive to analyze, model, and interpret fractal and nonfractal distributions of packed mineral spherites in the Malpighian organ of Mono Lake brine fly (*Ephya*) larvae.

1:45 pm

### **The Cambrian Explosion: A Computer Graphics Gallery**

Kerry B. Clark  
*Florida Institute of Technology and Brevard Zoo*

Tom Rockwell  
*Robert Leathers and Associates and Brevard Zoo*

Jeff White  
*Lockheed Corporation and Brevard Zoo*

The Cambrian Explosion presents a gallery of 30 high-resolution 3D transparencies (including reconstruction of extinct animals) in a passively-illuminated outdoor exhibit that summarizes the evolutionary history of animals.

2 pm

### **SimGraphicsRR: A Tool for Railroad Simulation Data Visualization**

Shari L. Halter  
*School of Visual Arts*

SimGraphicsRR is a Macintosh-based visualization tool for transportation planners that displays and animates numerical data generated by a rail transportation simulator, facilitating rapid understanding of complex railroad systems.

2:15 pm

### **Surgical Simulation: A Prototype Device with Stereo Imagery and Force Feedback**

Michael Sinclair  
*Georgia Institute of Technology*

A prototype ophthalmic surgical simulator employing visual and tactile feedback has been produced at Georgia Tech. This will allow surgeons to practice new procedures at no risk to the patient.

## THE 2D WORLD

Thursday, 28 July

10:15 am to 11:45 am

10:15 am

### **Automated Gap Closing for Freehand Drawing**

Michel Gangnet  
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Automated closing of the regions defined by freehand strokes is mandatory for cartoon animation. Our solution, based on connected component analysis, is currently used within TicTacToon, a paperless animation system.

10:30 am

### **Shape Blending Using the Star-Skeleton Representation**

Michal Shapira  
Ari Rappoport  
*The Hebrew University*

We present a novel approach to polygon blending, which avoids shape distortions and almost completely eliminates boundary self-intersections by parameterizing the polygons' areas. Our method introduces the star-skeleton representation, based on equivalent decompositions of the polygons into star pieces.

10:45 am

### **Breaking the Time Complexity of Fractal Image Compression**

Dietmar Saupe  
*Universität Freiburg*

The encoding of fractal image compression consists of a large number of sequential searches. We reduce its time complexity by introducing multi-dimensional nearest neighbor search techniques.

11 am

### **Wavelet Paint**

Ken Perlin  
*New York University*

Luiz Velho  
*Instituto de Matematica Pura e Aplicada*

We have implemented an unbounded resolution paint system by using biorthogonal B-spline wavelets. The wavelet framework makes it possible to implement multiscale image operations efficiently with no discontinuities or artifacts.

11:15 am

### **Interference on Technology Applied to Electronic Arts**

Charles Anthony Viviani  
Tereza Brandao Vieira  
*Faculdade da Cidade*

An experience on reverting the recommended operational process of technology and equipment applied on computer graphics and electronic art in general as a way of producing very good unexpected effects.

11:30 am

### **Color Recovery**

Anthony C. Barkans  
*Hewlett-Packard Company*

A discussion of color recovery focusing on three issues:

- What is color recovery?
- How does it work?
- What hardware and software support is needed in order to use color recovery.

## RENDERING AND SYSTEMS

Thursday, 28 July

1:30 pm to 3 pm

1:30 pm

### **Pipeline Rendering: Interactive Refractions, Reflections, and Shadows**

Paul J. Diefenbach and  
Norman I. Badler  
*University of Pennsylvania*

Use of bitplanes and rendering pipelines can create ray-trace-quality illumination effects in real time by providing recursive reflections and refractions, reflective and refractive lighting and shadows, and caustics.

1:45 pm

### **Synthesizing Flames and Their Spreading**

Christopher H. Perry  
*Rhythm & Hues Studios*

Rosalind W. Picard  
*MIT Media Laboratory*

We present a model for synthesizing fires that look real, respond properly to wind and gravity, light their environment, spread over and char 3D objects, and compute in interactive times.



2 pm

### **Architecting AVS/Express: An Object-Oriented Visual Programming Environment for Data Visualization**

Jeffrey J. Vroom  
Alan B. Scrivener  
*Advanced Visual Systems Inc.*

Results of a two-year effort devoted to re-architecting AVS, a visually programmed visualization software environment, to use data-notification instead of data flow and to allow object-oriented visual programming.

2:15 pm

### **Rendering Extremely Complex Scenes**

Kenneth Chiu  
Peter Shirley  
*Indiana University*

Extremely complex scenes and arbitrary BRDFs present difficulties for patch-based global illumination methods. With future hardware, ray tracing may produce more realistic results for such scenes.

2:30 pm

### **Handling Non-Constant Radiosity Patches Within an Adaptive Hierarchical Scheme**

Takashi Totsuka  
*SONY Corporation*

A simple but efficient method for handling non-constant radiosity, non-rectangular, and texture mapped-patches within an adaptive hierarchical scheme.

2:45 pm

### **Applying C++ to Computer Graphics**

Nicholas Wilt

C++ offers many advantages over C, the lingua franca of computer graphics implementation. These advantages are outlined with specific examples from the speaker's ray tracer implemented in C++.

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### *SHAPE-MAKING*

*Friday, 29 July  
10:15 am to 11:45 am*

10:15 am

### **Conceptual Shape Design: Sketch, Clay, or Spray?**

Casper G.C. van Dijk  
*Delft University of Technology*

An interactive surface modeler is presented based on sketched design curves. To find a better tool for conceptual shape design, we discuss electronic clay and introduce a 3D sketch metaphor.

10:30 am

### **Procedural Modeling by Paths and Repetitions**

Masa Inakage  
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The paper describes a modeling technique that combines simple primitives to generate complex shapes. Modeling is defined procedurally in two steps: "path" modeling and "repetition" modeling.

10:45 am

### **A Field-Oriented Approach for Free-Form Modeling**

Hiroshi Kaizuka  
Makoto Sagara  
Yasuhiro Matsusaka  
Kunihiko Okamura  
Kazuyoshi Tsukiyama  
*Nippon Steel Corporation*

A new implicit modeling technique has been studied with special reference to simultaneous implementation of smoothed Boolean set operations and volume deformations.

11 am

### **Volume-Preserving Free-Form Deformations**

Ari Rappoport  
Alla Sheffer  
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We show how to compute the volume inscribed by a topological cube whose sides are defined by Bezier surfaces and how to preserve this volume while the user interactively moves the surfaces' control points. The algorithm has several applications in industrial design, mechanical engineering, and computer animation.

11:15 am

### **GURBS: Introducing Geometric Uniform Representation of B-Splines**

Michel Fleury  
*Université du Québec à Montréal*

We present an alternative mathematical description of cubic non-uniform (or uniform) B-Splines based on geometric continuity. New controls for shape manipulation are gained by this approach.

11:30 am

### **Massively Parallel Hybrid Brep/CSG Processing for Geometric Modeling and Graphics**

Jai Menon  
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Hybrid Brep/CSG representations – CSRs – obtained by replacing faces of a surface with "thick" CSG subtrees, are strongly amenable to massively parallel processing for rendering, interrogation, and a host of geometric modeling applications.

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### *SYSTEMS AND INTERACTION*

*Friday, 29 July  
1:45 pm to 3:15 pm*

1:45 pm

### **The ALIVE System: Full-body Interaction with Animated Autonomous Agents**

Pattie Maes  
Trevor Darrell  
Bruce Blumberg  
Alex P. Pentland  
*MIT Media Laboratory*

This talk will discuss the design and implementation of a novel system that allows wireless full-body interaction between a human participant and a graphical world inhabited by autonomous agents.

2 pm

### **Presence as the Defining Factor in a VR Application**

Larry F. Hodges  
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We conducted a controlled study using virtual reality in the treatment of acrophobia (fear of heights). The study also served as a testbed to explore a user's sense of presence.

2:15 pm

### **Space Shuttle Database Access with Three Graphic Examples**

Mitch Harris  
*New Technology, Inc.*

This is of interest to those who require or are curious about space shuttle data. Three examples of acquiring and using the space shuttle data are given.

2:30 pm

### **Dynamic Simulation of Human Diving and Splashing Fluids**

James F. O'Brien  
Wayne L. Wooten  
Jessica K. Hodgins  
*Georgia Institute of Technology*

Physically based simulation and control systems are used to generate the motion of a human diver. Fluid dynamics and particle system dynamics are combined to produce the splash.

2:45 pm

### **Tactile Widgets at Consumer Prices**

Ronie Hecker  
Ken Perlin  
*New York University*

We introduce a new, inexpensive tactile feedback mouse together with a new paradigm for tactile widget control. We demonstrate with an example: a tactile scrolling controller.

3 pm

### **ViSurf: A Tool-Based Virtual Surface Modeler with Force Feedback**

Juli Yamashita  
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ViSurf offers direct free-form deforming interface with force feedback, which is independent of underlying B-Spline parameters, by introducing virtual "tools" such as curving tools, twisting tools, and trowels.

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# Registration Information

## NEW REGISTRATION AND FEE SYSTEM

Please register for one registration category only. Do NOT register for more than one.

## SIGKIDS REGISTRATION

For information on SIGkids (for which children must be separately registered), see page 23.

## WHAT YOU GET WITH YOUR REGISTRATION

	Exhibition	Courses	CD-ROM Course Notes	Papers/Panels	Technical Sketches	Electronic Theater Ticket	Screening Room	Art and Design Show	The Edge	VROOM Voucher	SIGkids	Conference Proceedings and CD-ROM	Visual Proceedings	Course Reception	Papers/Panels Reception	Keynote Session	Special Sessions	Fundamentals Seminar	
<b>CONFERENCE PASSPORT</b>	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
<b>COURSES PASSPORT</b>	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
<b>PAPERS/PANELS PASSPORT</b>	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
<b>EXHIBITS PLUS</b>	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•

## ATTENDEE REGISTRATION

### MEMBER DISCOUNTS

You must present your current ACM or SIGGRAPH membership number to receive member discounts. Students must present a copy of their 1994 ACM student membership card or a valid student identification card. Be prepared to show these IDs, which must have valid expiration dates. You will be charged non-refundable, non-member rates if you cannot provide this information.

### CONFERENCE PASSPORT REGISTRATION

The Conference Passport registration includes all Courses, Course Reception, CD-ROM course notes, Papers/Panels, Papers/Panels Reception, Technical Sketches, Exhibition, one Electronic Theater ticket, Screening Room, Art and Design Show, The Edge, one VROOM voucher, SIGkids, one copy each of the SIGGRAPH 94 *Conference Proceedings* and *Visual Proceedings*, Keynote Session, Special Sessions, and Fundamentals Seminar. Courses seating is not guaranteed, and is available on a first-come, first-served basis. Please be sure to arrive early for the course(s) that you wish to attend. Lunch is not provided.

### COURSES PASSPORT REGISTRATION

Courses Passport registration includes all Courses, Course Reception, CD-ROM course notes, Technical Sketches, Exhibition, one Electronic Theater ticket, Screening Room, Art and Design Show, The Edge, one VROOM voucher, SIGkids, one copy of the SIGGRAPH 94 *Visual Proceedings*, Keynote Session, Special Sessions, and Fundamentals Seminar. Courses seating is not guaranteed, and is available on a first-come, first-served basis. Please be sure to arrive early for the course(s) that you wish to attend. Lunch is not provided.

### PAPERS/PANELS PASSPORT REGISTRATION

Papers/Panels Passport registration includes Papers/Panels, Papers/Panels Reception, Technical Sketches, Exhibition, one Electronic Theater ticket, Screening Room, Art and Design Show, The Edge, one VROOM voucher, SIGkids, one copy each of the SIGGRAPH 94 *Conference Proceedings* and *Visual Proceedings*, Keynote Session, Special Sessions, and Fundamentals Seminar. Lunch is not provided.

### EXHIBITS PLUS REGISTRATION

Admission to the Exhibition is included in the Conference, Courses, and Papers/Panels Passports. Exhibits Plus registration includes admission to the Exhibition, Technical Sketches, Screening Room, Art and Design Show, The Edge, SIGkids, Keynote Session, Special Sessions, and Fundamentals Seminar. Exhibits Plus registration is non-refundable.

### ELECTRONIC THEATER ADMISSION

One ticket per person is included with registrations for Conference, Courses, and Papers/Panels Passports. Every attempt will be made to accommodate your requested Electronic Theater performance evening. All performances contain the same material. Registered attendee may purchase Electronic Theater tickets (subject to availability) at the on-site registration desk in the Orange County Convention Center beginning Sunday, 24 July.

### ON-SITE REGISTRATION HOURS

SIGGRAPH 94 registration at the Orange County Convention Center is available during the following hours:

Sunday, 24 July	noon to 10 pm
Monday, 25 July	7:30 am to 7 pm
Tuesday, 26 July	7:30 am to 7 pm
Wednesday, 27 July	7:30 am to 6 pm
Thursday, 28 July	8 am to 6 pm
Friday, 29 July	9 am to 1 pm

### MEDIA REGISTRATION

Media representatives must register at Media Headquarters, Room 6B. Media registration hours are listed on page 62.

### SPECIAL POLICIES

The Exhibition is open only to badged attendees. Children under 16 are not permitted in the Exhibition. For information on child care, see page 61. For information on SIGkids, see page 23.

No cameras or recording devices are permitted at SIGGRAPH 94.

### EXPOCARDS

All SIGGRAPH 94 attendees receive Expocards, scannable cards containing names and addresses for use in obtaining information from exhibitors. Please remember to return the card when you leave the conference. Returned cards are entered in a drawing for valuable prizes. The cards are recycled after the drawing.



# On-Site Services

**SIGGRAPH 94 and the Orange County Convention Center (OCCC) offer a number of services during the conference to make your week more enjoyable.**

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*ART AND DESIGN SHOW OFFICE*  
Room 13  
+1.407.345.9626

Contributors can gather here to exchange ideas, leave messages, or discuss questions and concerns.

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*AUDIO/VISUAL SERVICES*  
Rear of Hall E (behind The Edge and SIGkids)  
+1.407.345.9624

Sunday-Friday: 8 am to 5:30 pm

Direct all questions about audio/visual needs to this office during these hours. For more information on audio/visual services for speakers, see Speaker Prep Room, page 62.

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*BUSING*  
See Shuttle Services, page 66.

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*CHILD CARE*  
Clarion Plaza Hotel  
Salons 1, 2, 7, and 8  
+1.407.648.0454

Monday-Thursday: 8 am to 10 pm  
Friday: 8 am to 8 pm  
The child care schedule may change if participation is lower than expected.

Child care is back for SIGGRAPH 94. The services of Kids Konventions USA have been contracted for SIGGRAPH 94 attendees with infants and children up to 11 years of age. Various themed, age-appropriate activities are offered at the Clarion Plaza Hotel for your child's enjoyment.

All Kids Konventions USA staff are licensed, bonded, and certified. They are trained in CPR and emergency management techniques, and a nurse or EMT is always on duty. For maximum safety, Kids Konventions USA photographs you with your child and allows your child to be picked up only by the person(s) in the photo.

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*CONFERENCE MANAGEMENT OFFICE*  
2nd Floor above Registration  
+1.407.345.9625

If you have questions regarding SIGGRAPH 94, you'll find friendly assistance in this office. Call or stop in anytime.

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*CONFERENCE POLICIES*

Smoking is not permitted at any of the conference locations. No cameras or recording devices are allowed. Children under 16 are not permitted on the Exhibition floor. Lost badges can only be replaced for the original cost of the badge.

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*ELECTRONIC THEATER OFFICE*  
Suite A, above Hall C  
+1.407.345.9600

Contributors can gather here to exchange ideas, leave messages, or discuss questions and concerns.

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*ELECTRONIC THEATER TICKETS*  
See Tickets (Additional Purchases and Voucher Exchanges), page 63.

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*EXHIBITION MANAGEMENT OFFICE*  
Suite B, Located above Hall C  
+1.407.345.9610

If you have questions regarding the SIGGRAPH 94 Exhibition, feel free to call or visit a staff member here.

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*EXHIBITOR REGISTRATION*  
Registration Concourse

Exhibitors should pick up their badges at the exhibitor registration counter, which is open during the same hours as other registration counters (see Registration, page 62).

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*EXPOCARDS AND PRIZE DRAWING*

All SIGGRAPH 94 attendees receive Expocards – scannable cards containing your name and address – for use in obtaining information from exhibitors. Please make a note of the number on

your Expocard. Because your name is not printed on it, this is the only way to identify it if it is misplaced. Attendees are urged to return their Expocards on their final departure from the conference. All returned Expocards are automatically entered in a drawing for prizes valued at more than \$250 each. Winners will be notified by 5 August 1994. A \$5 replacement fee is charged for lost Expocards.

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*FIRST AID*

Art & Design Gallery, Opposite Room 10  
+1.407.345.9848

A registered nurse or paramedic is on duty at the first aid areas during registration hours.

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*INFORMATION BOOTH*  
Grand Lobby Entrance

The Information Booth is open during registration hours to answer questions about conference destinations and the Orlando area.

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*INTERNATIONAL CENTER*  
Grand Lobby  
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+1.407.345.9628 fax

Sunday	noon to 10 pm
Monday	7:30 am to 7 pm
Tuesday	7:30 am to 7 pm
Wednesday	7:30 am to 6 pm
Thursday	8 am to 6 pm
Friday	9 am to 1 pm

SIGGRAPH 94's International Center is the ideal gathering spot for attendees and exhibitors from around the world. The International Center provides telephones, a fax machine, and a multi-lingual staff. The staff is always available to assist attendees and to help arrange for translation services.

Several SIGGRAPH 94 Student Volunteers are fluent in languages other than English. Look for the Student Volunteers wearing yellow vests with patches that indicate their language fluency.

Questions or concerns may also be directed to the members of the multi-lingual International Committee.

# On-Site Services

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## INTERNET ACCESS CENTER

Room 9

SIGGRAPH 94's Internet Access Center provides computer terminals and Telnet access to the Internet. From the conference, you can access your home Internet sites to read email and keep in touch with your office.

Sunday	noon to 8 pm
Monday-Tuesday	8 am to 7 pm
Wednesday-Thursday	8 am to 6 pm
Friday	8 am to 1 pm

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## JOB BOARD

Grand Lobby, behind the International Center

The centrally located job board provides a place for job-seekers to post resumes and employers to post job openings.

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## LOST AND FOUND

At Luggage Check/Check Room

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## LUGGAGE CHECK/CHECK ROOM

Grand Lobby, near Room 12D

SIGGRAPH 94 provides complimentary luggage check services for briefcases, backpacks, and other small items during conference hours. Items cannot be checked overnight.

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## MEDIA ACTIVITIES

Media Headquarters

Room 6B  
+1.407.345.9629

Sunday	noon to 7 pm
Monday	7:30 am to 7 pm
Tuesday	7:30 am to 7 pm
Wednesday	7:30 am to 6 pm
Thursday	8 am to 6 pm
Friday	9 am to 1 pm

Registered media representatives are encouraged to use the media headquarters. The facility includes a registration/information area, media library, and work area.

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## Media Briefing

Tuesday, 26 July  
8 am to 8:50 am

Hall D, Orange County Convention Center

The official SIGGRAPH media briefing has become the place to

discover "what's hot" in computer graphics and interactive techniques. You'll meet industry luminaries and discover some of this year's exciting conference programs and events.

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## Media Exhibition Tour

Immediately following the media briefing:  
Tuesday, 26 July  
8:55 am to 10 am  
Meet at Media Headquarters  
Room 6B, Orange County Convention Center.

Prominent members of the SIGGRAPH community accompany small groups of media representatives on a tour of the Exhibition an hour before it officially opens.

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## Media Venue Tours

If you're a SIGGRAPH newcomer, tours of venues – such as the Art and Design Show, The Edge, and SIGkids – will give you an inside perspective and a complete overview of the conference.

Venue tours are repeated on the following schedule:

Sunday	4 pm to 5 pm
Monday	9 am to 10 am
Wednesday	9 am to 10 am

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## Exhibitor Press Events

Pick up a schedule of exhibitor press events at Media Headquarters.

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## MERCHANDISE WAREHOUSE

SIGGRAPH merchandise is available for sale at SIGGRAPH 94 in the Registration Concourse. Merchandise must be purchased and picked up by 1 pm, Friday, 29 July.

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## MESSAGE CENTER

Grand Lobby, behind International Center  
+1.407.345.9621

Messages are posted on a bulletin board in the Message Center.

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## ORANGE COUNTY CONVENTION CENTER ACCESSIBILITY

The OCC is wheel-chair accessible. It has no curbs, and there are elevators to second-floor levels. SIGGRAPH 94 provides free shut-

tle service between many of the conference hotels and the convention center. For assistance with handicap access, call:

+1.407.426.1212

The special-assistance-equipped shuttle bus operates during SIGGRAPH 94 shuttle hours. Look for the signs indicating pick-up times and locations at your hotel, and refer to Shuttle Services, page 66.

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## ORANGE COUNTY CONVENTION CENTER BUSINESS SERVICES

Kinko's offers copying, faxing, and secretarial services for a fee.

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## REGISTRATION

Registration Concourse  
+1.407.345.9630

Registration counters are open:

Sunday	noon to 10 pm
Monday	7:30 am to 7 pm
Tuesday	7:30 am to 7 pm
Wednesday	7:30 am to 6 pm
Thursday	8 am to 6 pm
Friday	9 am to 1 pm

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## RESTAURANT INFORMATION DESK

Grand Lobby

Menus from local restaurants are available here. Staff members can assist you with restaurant selection and reservations. This desk is open during registration hours.

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## SHIPPING DESK

Registration Concourse

For your convenience, a shipping desk at SIGGRAPH 94 provides next-day air, second-day air, and regular ground shipping services to destinations throughout the world.

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## SIGKIDS OFFICE

Hall E  
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Contributors can gather here to exchange ideas, leave messages, or discuss questions and concerns.

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## SPEAKER PREP ROOM

Room 6A  
+1.407.345.9632

Sunday - Thursday 7 am to 7 pm  
Friday 7 am to 2 pm

All speakers must check in at the speaker prep room at least 24 hours before their presentation.

Speakers and contributors should use the speaker registration desk in the Registration Concourse to resolve registration problems and obtain conference information.

Speakers may use the speaker prep room to prepare for their presentations, preview slides and videotapes, sort slides, and obtain slide carousels.

Changes in audio/visual equipment needs in presentation rooms should be directed to the speaker prep room.

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## SPECIAL ASSISTANCE DESK

Registration Concourse

Staff members at the special assistance desk help attendees resolve a wide range of possible problems and concerns, including:

- Credit card problems (validations, errors)
- Lost badges
- Misspelled names on conference materials
- Payments submitted without registration forms
- Refunds
- Receipts not received in the mail
- Registration forms submitted without payments
- Speaker problems (changes, missing ribbons)
- Substitute registration (only if authorized on company letterhead)

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## THE EDGE OFFICE

Hall E  
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Contributors can gather here to exchange ideas, leave messages, or discuss questions and concerns.



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## TICKETS

### (ADDITIONAL PURCHASES AND VOUCHER EXCHANGES)

#### *Electronic Theater*

One ticket per person is included with registrations for Conference, Courses, and Papers/Panels Passports. Every attempt is made to accommodate your requested Electronic Theater performance evening. All performances contain the same material. Badged attendees may purchase up to four Electronic Theater tickets (subject to availability) at on-site registration beginning at noon Sunday, 24 July.

#### *VROOM*

All attendees who purchase a Conference, Courses, or Papers/Panels Passport receive a VROOM (Virtual Reality Room) voucher that may be exchanged for a ticket to experience the CAVE installations in VROOM. The VROOM Ticket Exchange Booth on the second floor to the left of the escalator is open during registration hours.

#### *Course Reception*

Disney-MGM Studios Vouchers included with Courses Passport registrations must be exchanged for an official Disney tickets at the Ticket Exchange Booth in the Orange County Convention Center. Vouchers must be exchanged before 7 pm on Monday.

Badged attendees may purchase additional vouchers for the Course Reception at on-site registration.

#### *Papers/Panels Reception*

##### *Sea World*

Vouchers included with Conference and Papers/Panels Passport registrations must be exchanged for an official Sea World ticket at the Ticket Exchange Booth in the Orange County Convention Center. Vouchers must be exchanged before 6 pm on Thursday.

Badged attendees may purchase additional vouchers for the Papers/Panels Reception at on-site registration.

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119 (inside OCCC)

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# International Center

## Grand Lobby

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## SIGGRAPH 94's International

Center, just inside the main entrance to the Orange County Convention Center, is the ideal gathering spot for attendees and exhibitors from around the world. The International Center provides telephones, a fax machine, and a multi-lingual staff. The staff is always available to assist attendees and to help arrange for translation services.

## Several SIGGRAPH 94

Student Volunteers are fluent in languages other than English. Look for the Student Volunteers wearing yellow vests with patches that indicate their language fluency.

Questions or concerns may also be directed to the members of the multi-lingual International Committee.

The International Center is open during the following times:

Sunday	noon to 10 pm
Monday	7:30 am to 7 pm
Tuesday	7:30 am to 7 pm
Wednesday	7:30 am to 6 pm
Thursday	8 am to 6 pm
Friday	9 am to 1 pm

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# Attraction Tickets and Post-Conference Purchases

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## DISCOUNT ATTRACTION TICKETS

### WALT DISNEY WORLD THEME PARK

SIGGRAPH 94 attendees can purchase Magic Kingdom, EPCOT Center, and Disney-MGM Studios tickets at special rates not available elsewhere. Prepaid tickets can be picked up at the Orange County Convention Center in the SIGGRAPH 94 conference management office starting Friday, 22 July at 9:00 am, or beginning Sunday, 24 July, at the Walt Disney Booth in the Registration Concourse during registration hours.

#### Two-Day Ticket

Includes two days unlimited admission to the Magic Kingdom Park, EPCOT Center, and Disney-MGM Studios during regular operating hours.

Adult	\$75
Child (ages 3-9)	\$60

#### Three-Day Ticket

Includes three days unlimited admission to the Magic Kingdom Park, EPCOT Center, and Disney-MGM Studios, and one complimentary visit to Pleasure Island, during regular operating hours.

Adult	\$110
Child (ages 3-9)	\$90

#### Four-Day Ticket

Includes four days unlimited admission to the Magic Kingdom Park, EPCOT Center, and Disney-MGM Studios, and one complimentary visit to Pleasure Island, during regular operating hours.

Adult	\$140
Child (ages 3-9)	\$110

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### UNIVERSAL STUDIOS

SIGGRAPH 94 attendees can purchase Universal Studios tickets at discounted rates. Tickets can be purchased at the Attraction Ticket Booth in the Registration Concourse during registration hours.

Adult	\$34.35
Child (ages 3-9)	\$27.67

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### SEA WORLD

SIGGRAPH 94 attendees can purchase Sea World tickets at discounted rates. Tickets can be purchased at the Attraction Ticket Booth in the Registration Concourse during registration hours.

Adult	\$28
Child (ages 3-9)	\$24

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## POST-CONFERENCE PURCHASES

SIGGRAPH 94 Slide Sets, Multimedia CD-ROM, Conference Proceedings, Conference Proceedings CD-ROM, and Visual Proceedings are available for purchase after the conference. Please call or write:

#### ACM Order Department

P.O. Box 12114

Church Street Station

New York, NY 10257 USA

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+1.212.626.0500 (international and

New York metro area codes)

+1.212.944.1318 fax (single-copy orders)

acmhelp@acm.org

SIGGRAPH Video Reviews are available for purchase after the conference from:

#### VI&A/First Priority

P.O. Box 576

Itasca, IL 60143-0576 USA

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svrorders@siggraph.org

# Travel and Housing

## AIRLINE INFORMATION

### Grand Lobby

Continental Airlines (+1.407.345.9622) will be available to assist you with your travel plans at the following times:

Sunday	noon to 10 pm
Monday	7:30 am to 7 pm
Tuesday	7:30 am to 7 pm
Wednesday	7:30 am to 6 pm
Thursday	8 am to 6 pm
Friday	9 am to 1 pm

## ATI TRAVEL MANAGEMENT ASSISTANCE

### HOUSING AND CAR RENTAL

### Grand Lobby

+1.407.345.9623

A representative from ATI Travel Management is available at the housing desk at the following times:

Sunday	noon to 10 pm
Monday	7:30 am to 7 pm
Tuesday	7:30 am to 7 pm
Wednesday	7:30 am to 6 pm
Thursday	8 am to 6 pm
Friday	9 am to 1 pm

If you wish to rent a car, ATI offers special discounts or 10 percent off the retail rate with Alamo Rent A Car Company. Your ATI agent can book a car reservation for you, or you can call Alamo directly at:

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Mention SIGGRAPH ID #75148 and plan XG code for negotiated rates, or 9G for 10 percent off the retail rates.

### Rates

Economy	\$75/week \$20/day
Compact	\$101/week \$23/day
Midsized	\$131/week \$26/day
Fullsize	\$151/week \$32/day
Luxury	\$199/week \$39/day

## BUSING

See "Shuttle Services"

## PARKING

SIGGRAPH 94 attendees may park at the Orange County Convention Center for \$4 per day. Attendees should enter the parking area from the main convention center entrance at the rear of the building.

## SHUTTLE SERVICES

### Local Shuttle Service/Buses

SIGGRAPH 94 provides free shuttle service between all conference hotels and the Orange County Convention Center (except from the Clarion Plaza Hotel and the Peabody Orlando, which are within a short walk). Look for the signs indicating pick-up times and locations at your hotel. For assistance with handicap access, call +1.407.426.1212. The handicap-equipped shuttle runs during SIGGRAPH 94 shuttle hours.

### Routes

Route #1 serves:	Orlando Marriott
Route #2 serves:	Hawaiian Super 8 Quality Inn Plaza Red Roof Inn Wynfield Inn
Route #3 serves:	Courtyard by Marriott Embassy Suites Orlando Radisson Inn Summerfield Suites
Route #4 serves:	Sheraton World Resort Sonesta Villa Resort Stouffer Orlando Resort
Route #5 serves:	Disney's Port Orleans Grosvenor Resort at Walt Disney World Hilton at Walt Disney World

### Shuttle Schedule

Limited service: approximately every 15- 20 minutes.  
Heavy service: approximately every 5-10 minutes.

Sunday, 24 July	10 am to 10 pm	Limited Service
Monday, 25 July	7 am to 8:30 am 8:30 am to 4:30 pm 4:30 pm to 7:30 pm	Heavy Service Limited Service Heavy Service
Tuesday, 26 July	7 am to 8:30 am 8:30 am to 4:30 pm 4:30 pm to 7:30 pm 7:30 pm to 9:30 pm 9:30 pm to 10:30 pm	Heavy Service Limited Service Heavy Service Limited Service Heavy Service
Wednesday, 27 July	7 am to 8:30 am 8:30 am to 4:30 pm 4:30 pm to 7:30 pm 7:30 pm to 9:30 pm 9:30 pm to 10:30 pm	Heavy Service Limited Service Heavy Service Limited Service Heavy Service
Thursday, 28 July	7:30 am to 9 am 9 am to 4:30 pm 4:30 pm to 7:30 pm 7:30 pm to 9:30 pm 9:30 pm to 10:30 pm	Heavy Service Limited Service Heavy Service Limited Service Heavy Service
Friday, 29 July	8 am to 6 pm	Limited Service

### Shuttles to Receptions

Monday - Course Reception  
Shuttles leave the Orange County Convention Center from 7 pm to 7:30 pm to take attendees to the Course Reception at Disney-MGM Studios. From 7:30 pm to 12:30 am, the shuttle will travel from Disney-MGM Studios to all SIGGRAPH 94 hotels.

### Thursday - Papers/Panels Reception

Shuttles transport attendees between the Orange County Convention Center and the Papers/Panels Reception at Sea World from 6:30 pm to 10:30 pm.

### Mears Shuttle

One-way	Zone 3	International Drive Area \$11 adult \$8 child (4-11)
One-way	Zone 4	Disney Area \$13 adult \$10 child (4-11)

A return reservation must be scheduled at least one day prior to your departure by calling the Mears reservation office at:

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Mears staff are available in the Grand Lobby at the following times to confirm return transportation to the airport:

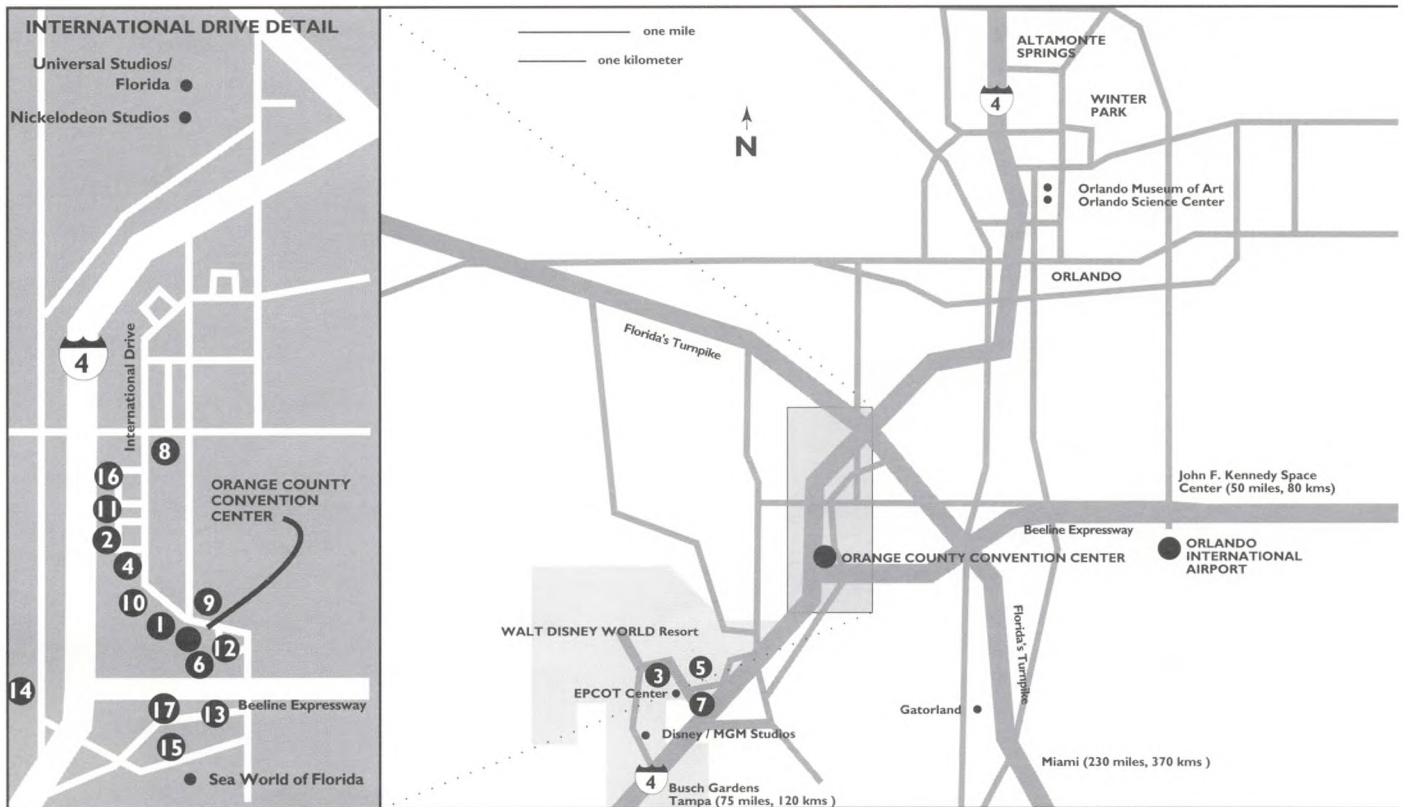
Wednesday	7:30 am to 6 pm
Thursday	8 am to 6 pm
Friday	9 am to 1 pm



# Hotel Map

## ORLANDO HOTELS

- |   |  |   |   |
|---|--|---|---|
| 1 Clarion Plaza Hotel<br>9700 International Drive<br>Orlando, FL 32819-8114<br>800.366.9700<br>+1.407.352.9700      | 5 Grosvenor Resort at Walt<br>Disney World Village<br>Walt Disney World Village<br>Lake Buena Vista, FL 32830<br>+1.407.828.4444 | 9 Peabody Orlando<br>9801 International Drive<br>Orlando, FL 32819<br>+1.407.352.4000<br><b>(Co-headquarters)</b> | 13 Sheraton World Resort<br>10100 International Drive<br>Orlando, FL 32821<br>+1.407.352.1100                           |
| 2 Courtyard by Marriott on<br>International Drive<br>8600 Austrian Court<br>Orlando, FL 32819<br>+1.407.351.2244    | 6 Hawaiian Super 8<br>1956 Hawaiian Court<br>Orlando, FL 32819<br>+1.407.351.5100  | 10 Quality Inn Plaza<br>9000 International Drive<br>Orlando, FL 32819<br>+1.407.345.8585                          | 14 Sonesta Villa Resort Orlando<br>10,000 Turkey Lake Road<br>Orlando, FL 32819<br>+1.407.352.8051                      |
| 3 Disney's Port Orleans<br>2201 Orleans Drive<br>Lake Buena Vista, FL 32830<br>+1.407.934.5000                      | 7 Hilton at Walt Disney World<br>Village<br>1751 Hotel Plaza Boulevard<br>Lake Buena Vista, FL 32820<br>+1.407.827.4000          | 11 Radisson Inn on International<br>Drive<br>8444 International Drive<br>Orlando, FL 32819<br>+1.407.345.0505     | 15 Stouffer Orlando Resort<br>6677 Sea Harbor Drive<br>Orlando, FL 32819<br>+1.407.351.5555<br><b>(Co-headquarters)</b> |
| 4 Embassy Suites Orlando<br>International Drive<br>8978 International Drive<br>Orlando, FL 32819<br>+1.407.352.1400 | 8 Orlando Marriott<br>8001 International Drive<br>Orlando, FL 32819<br>+1.407.351.2420   | 12 Red Roof Inn<br>9922 Hawaiian Court<br>Orlando, FL 32819<br>+1.407.352.1507                                    | 16 Summerfield Suites<br>8480 International Drive<br>Orlando, FL 32819<br>+1.407.352.2400                               |
|   |  |   | 17 Wynfield Inn<br>6263 Westwood Boulevard<br>Orlando, FL 32821<br>+1.407.345.8000                                      |



# Exhibition

Halls A, B, C, and Room 12  
Tuesday-Wednesday  
10 am to 6 pm  
Thursday  
10 am to 3:30 pm

**Experience all the latest computer graphics hardware, software, and services. SIGGRAPH 94 is the year's best opportunity to see and experience the latest computer graphics technologies in a focused, interactive, high-energy environment.**

**Over 250 exhibitors have overbooked four exhibit halls at the Orange County Convention Center. On Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday, their displays of the latest computer graphics technologies are a main attraction for the 25,000-30,000 executives, artists, scientists, designers, engineers, enthusiasts, and researchers from all parts of the world who have gathered in Orlando for SIGGRAPH 94.**

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## PRODUCTS & SERVICES ON DISPLAY

*Animation*  
*Artificial Intelligence*  
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*Electronic Publishing*  
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*High-Performance Graphics Processors*  
*High-Resolution Graphics Display Systems*  
*Image Processing*  
*Input Devices: Digitizers, Light Pens, Mice*  
*Low-Cost Graphics Systems*  
*Mapping and Cartography*  
*Medical Imaging Software*  
*Multimedia/Hypermedia*  
*Networking: Hardware, Software, Services*  
*OEM Components*  
*Paint Systems*  
*PC Add-On Products*  
*PC-Based Systems*  
*PDA's (Personal Digital Applications)*  
*Printers, Plotters, and Other Hardcopy Devices*  
*Projectors*  
*Publications*  
*Rendering and Image Synthesis Software*  
*Scientific Visualization Software*  
*Storage Devices: Tape/Disk*  
*Terminals, Monitors, and Displays*  
*Video Technology*  
*Virtual Reality*  
*Visual Arts*  
*Windowing Systems*  
*Workstations*

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## EXHIBITS PLUS REGISTRATION

Admission to the Exhibition is included in Conference, Courses, and Papers/Panels Passport registrations. Exhibits Plus registration, \$50 at SIGGRAPH 94, includes admission to the Exhibition, Technical Sketches, Screening Room, Art and Design Show, The Edge, SIGkids, Keynote Session, Special Sessions, and Fundamentals Seminar.

Children under 16 are not permitted to attend the Exhibition. For information on child care, see page 61.

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## SPACE RESERVATION

For information on how to participate in the SIGGRAPH 95 space selection meeting, inquire at the Exhibition Management Office, Suite B, above Hall C before 5 pm Tuesday, 26 July.

For complete information on exhibiting at SIGGRAPH 95, call or write:

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**Exhibition Management**  
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# Exhibitors

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Stuart Hamilton  
Commercial Manager

3D Scanners launches the replica 3D Scanner and demonstrate just how you can get almost any sort of physical model into your CG package quickly and accurately. For a complete body scanner, the persona 3D Scanner turns superstars into models in just 15 seconds.

## **5D**

BOOTH 1634

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Steve Hayes  
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Just when you thought morphing was all done, 5D have gone and done it again. TMorph3 for movies and Hyperwarp3 for pre-press are the new generation of accurate, high-end, image-warping tools. Point-and-drag warping, perspective, and 3D lighting are just three of the many new features.

## **Abekas Video Systems**

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Pete Challenger  
Director of Marketing

Abekas shows its full range of CCIR-601 Digital Disk Recorders. Features include high-speed Ethernet & SCSI-2 interfaces for image transfer and control. Also nonlinear random access segment playback and disk partitioning for multi-user access. Abekas DDRs are ideal for 3D animation, compositing, and paint applications. Also exhibited is the ASWR8100, a low-cost, very high quality, real-time compositing system.

## **Accom**

BOOTH 1538

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Menlo Park, CA 94025 USA  
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Barbara Cassidy  
Marketing Communication Manager

Accom exhibits its WSD Work Station Disk, a digital disk recorder with interfaces to Macintosh and Silicon Graphics workstations. Also, the Brontostore Video Server, the most advanced storage system for both stills and real-time video clips, and the non-linear RTD Real Time Disk Recorder, shown in a dual-channel configuration with new audio option.

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Derek Evans  
Sales and Marketing Manager

The Acuris 3D ClipModel libraries are filled with useful 3D meshes in many different formats. Materials and textures have already been assigned for most formats supported. Grouped into six themed libraries. ClipModels cover Interior Furniture and Multimedia, Exteriors, Geography, Human Forms - Male, Human Forms - Faces, and Human Forms - Female.

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Bob Donegan  
Marketing Manager

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BOOTH 20

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Shawn Peterson  
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## **Advanced Imaging**

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Charles Grecky  
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*Advanced Imaging* is the only international magazine specifically designed to meet the needs of professionals using all forms of electronic imaging technologies. Offering monthly coverage of video, photographic, and document-based imaging technologies used to capture, manipulate, display, store, output, transmit, and communicate images, text, graphics, sound, and video. Editorial features report on the use of these technologies in the real world.

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Advanced Visual Systems Inc. (AVS Inc.) is the worldwide leader in 3D visual application development tools and visual data analysis products for scientific, engineering, and technical business professionals. AVS Inc. provides users with highly flexible, interactive, platform-independent software products (AVS/Express, AVS and Toolmaster).

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# Exhibitors

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A K Peters, Ltd., presents a program of books as well as innovative publications (videos and software). View the new feature-length animation, *Outside In*, and the award-winning video, *Not Knot*. Explore properties of the Wavelet Packet in an interactive software tool. Inspect new titles for computer graphics professionals: *NURBS for Rational Curve and Surface Design*, *Geometric Concepts for Geometric Design*, *Fundamentals of CAGD*, *Computer Facial Animation*, and many more.

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Alias demonstrates its latest release of Alias PowerAnimator and other software products for digital media content creation. Booth demonstrations focus on the latest developments in character modeling and animation, digital optical effects, performance animation, and 2D paint tools for digital storyboarding and concept sketching.

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Altamira Composer is an image composition application where image elements float as independent objects in a stack. The automatic anti-aliasing and Dynamic Alpha technology allows the images in your composition to appear seamlessly integrated even though they are always individually independent and editable. Change your image as quickly as you change your mind.

## **American Showcase, Inc.**

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For 18 years, American Showcase has set the industry standard for illustration, photography, and digital media sourcebooks. The company is launching an assignment CD-ROM for photographers and illustrators called THE SHOWCASE CD, for release this fall. Version 1.2 of THE VIRTUAL PORTFOLIO, the interactive multimedia CD-ROM, has been released. And NEW MEDIA SHOWCASE 4: THE DIGITAL SOURCEBOOK, the only annual sourcebook devoted to digital imagery, has undergone a redesign.

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*Animation Magazine* is the international trade publication for the animation industry, covering such areas as television, feature films, videos, commercials, post-production, multimedia, historical perspectives, and collecting animation art. Each issue also includes a column on CGI, and certain issues throughout the year are devoted to computer technologies and companies that are influencing the world of animation.

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AP PROFESSIONAL publishes books and non-print media for the graphics professional. Please stop by our booth and see our latest releases including *Graphics Gems IV*, and The AP PROFESSIONAL Graphics CD-ROM Library. Numerous other books and journals are featured from Academic Press.

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Apple Computer is showing its latest Power Macintosh desktop systems featuring the PowerPC processor. With a RISC processor, Power Macintosh is now capable of real production work in fields that include: digital video, computer animation, visualization, special effects/post production, new media authoring, and interactive media.

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DesignWorkshop by Artifice provides "the most direct 3D interface short of a dataglove" (*MacWEEK*, 4-94). For the first time, buildings can really be designed in live 3D with feature-based solid modeling. The native version for Power Macintosh provides radical 6-10X acceleration for real-time speed and true modeling creativity.

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AT&T Multimedia Software Solutions has entered the Windows marketplace for multimedia presentation tools. AT&T Multimedia Designer, the first of three fully integrated products for design, animation, and authoring, is demonstrated. Also featured: live 3D video seen through the eyes of a robot touring the University of Central Florida Digital Image Processing Lab.

**Aurora Systems**

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At SIGGRAPH 94, Aurora is introducing the Liberty 3.5 software release, which incorporates major developments, features, and user interface options and operates on the full SGI platform line: INDY, Indigo II, and ONYX. The new 3.5 features include easy creation and editing of shapes for multiple instances of render or outline. 3D paste tools now include corner pinning, full resolution preview, and emboss. All paint and image processing tools can be keyframe animated over time. Text can be animated on curve paths.

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3D Studio, the worldwide market leader for PC animation, is showcased with an arsenal of exciting new special effects plug-ins from leading CGI developers. See the latest in advanced animation, modeling, and effects technology for the PC at the Autodesk Multimedia booth.

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For the first time publicly, Sculpt 4.0 for Macintosh/PowerMacintosh and Envisage 3D for Windows are demonstrated. Sculpt 4.0 sports a fluid new interface with interactive NURBS modeling. Sculpt and Envisage 3D deliver workstation-level 3D modeling, animation, and photorealistic rendering on inexpensive, easy-to-use personal computers.

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CAD Institute is a bachelor-degree-granting college specializing in computer-aided design and virtual reality education. It offers accredited education programs, professional development seminars and workshops, videotape programs, and services to industry such as placement, on-site training, and joint venture research projects through the Computer Reality Center.

**CADalyst Magazine**

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*Cadence Magazine*, the leading AutoCad magazine, covers AutoCad and related products. *Cadence* provides tutorials and feature articles with hands-on information targeted to all user levels that makes using AutoCad more useful to professionals. Comparative product reviews are also included. *Cadence* is published by Miller Freeman, Inc., specialists in publishing technical computer magazines.

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Cirrus Logic, the leader in VGA graphics controllers, is addressing high-performance 3D graphics acceleration on PCs. A newly introduced chipset solution offers compatibility with OpenGL and other APIs enabling a broad range of 3D applications to emerge on the PC. Key markets for Cirrus Logic products include desktop and portable computing, workstations, and consumer electronics.

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*Computer Graphics World*, a monthly magazine, is devoted to covering modeling, animation, and multimedia technologies. Readers turn to *Computer Artist* to become more proficient and successful in their computer-based illustration, design, image-editing, and animation work. *Color Publishing* is the preeminent source of information for all professionals who produce color pages. *Electronic Publishing* is the first new-product newspaper for digital publishing professionals.



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*Computer Video* is the industry's hottest new tabloid publication, reaching 50,000+ buyers and users of desktop video products. Subscriptions are free to qualified industry professionals. *Computer Video* covers all platforms and is designed to bridge the gap between the converging worlds of professional video and computer systems.

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DeskStation Technology introduces Raptor II, a MIPS R4600 RISC-based video, graphics, and animation workstation. DeskStation also shows Raptor, a multiprocessor rendering engine for Lightwave 3D.

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Diaquest, the leader in video machine control for animation, desktop video production, image processing, and scientific visualization, showcases new PC, Macintosh, and UNIX products including: ANIMAQU/UX software control for the SGI Silicon Studio, ImageNode, and VideoServer networked animation and digitizing solutions, and Diaquest's revolutionary QuickPass recording and capture technology.

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Digital Connectivity Inc. (DCI), is a systems integrator specializing in digital imaging, electronic prepress, presentation graphics, and 3D design and animation markets. DCI exhibits the Silicon Studio for Publishing, which includes Silicon Graphics, Macintosh, and Intel workstations collaborating in a workgroup publishing environment. Special focus is on 3D design for print and demonstrations of Adobe PhotoShop for SGI.

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Digital Processing Systems is demonstrating its critically acclaimed DPS Personal Animation Recorder for the PC. The PC PAR is an affordable hard-drive-based video animation recording system. A number of new software enhancements are shown at SIGGRAPH 94, including Windows integration with synchronized sound.

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*Digital Video* (formerly titled *Desktop Video World*) is a monthly publication specifically targeted at creative professionals seeking desktop solutions for video and multimedia production: corporate communication specialists, cable and broadcast TV station managers, business presentation and training specialists, multimedia developers, animators, and independent producers. The mandate of *Digital Video* – unique among other publications – is to provide definitive insight on the latest technological breakthroughs.

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DVS is a manufacturer of computer-video interfaces for workstations: SCSI/Video Motion-JPEG board set with SCSI interface for realtime I/O of compressed video in D1/4:2:2 studio format. For SCSI/Video, RAM and disc options are available. Movie Studio Multi-channel HD RAM-recorder for film preview, HD post production, and visualization.

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Featuring ElectricImage 2.0: 3D graphics system for computer graphics/animation professionals using higher end Apple Macintosh series/Silicon Graphics Inc. computers. ElectricImage imports/renderers/animates objects from modeling programs used on multiple platforms. New features: deformations, motion blur enhancements, 3D plug-ins, sync sound animation. "Native" Power Macintosh version, 3rd Quarter '94.

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Eurographics (EG) is the European Association for Computer Graphics. It has a worldwide membership. Eurographics publications include the *Computer Graphics Forum* journal, *EG News*, conference proceedings, workshop reports on animation, rendering, visualization. In 1994, the annual conference is in Oslo, 12-16 September. In 1995, it is in Maastricht, 28 August - 1 September.

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Extron Electronics is a manufacturer of computer-video interfaces, switchers, distribution amplifiers, scan converters, and high-resolution cable. EXTRON announces new products, including: the RGB 300, a high performance, digitally controlled universal interface, and INERTIA scan-converter, which converts high-resolution workstation computer graphics (32-68 kHz) to standard VGA or Mac (640 x 480).

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Featuring the exclusive FalconFLYTE mounting sled, Falcon Systems, Inc. is currently shipping the only third-party internal storage solutions available in both 8-bit and 16-bit versions, supporting fast wide-differential disk drives of up to 9GB, as well as tape and optical devices. Falcon is also providing the Indy Vault S expansion enclosure, which is nearly the same size and color as the Indy, and can hold a CD-ROM, DAT, and up to 8GB of disk.

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FARO previews its new SpaceArm 3D/6D digitizing/modeling product at SIGGRAPH 94. The first turnkey system designed exclusively for design, digital effects, and animation users, the SpaceArm is available in 36-inch and 48-inch spherical diameter digitizing volumes. Each SpaceArm system is shipped with SpaceWare software, a fast, easy, and powerful modeling software package.

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Focus Graphics, a leader in quality workstation output, presents the ImagePrinter dye sublimation printer and the ImageCorder film recorder. The ImageCorder and the ImagePrinter feature 16 million simultaneous colors, high resolution capability, fast recording/printing time, and both support a wide range of platforms, file formats, and paper and film sizes.

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Folsom Research is introducing two new products that convert high-resolution workstation or PC video to standard NTSC video formats. The models 9400 JR and 9300 PC were designed for the general purpose user who needs a broadcast quality autolocking scan converter, but doesn't need the added features found in the Folsom Research High-end Converter model 9500 "Otto".

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Fractal Design Corporation is the leader in award-winning, innovative graphics software, and markets and develops Natural-Media painting, drawing, and image retouching software for Windows and Macintosh. At SIGGRAPH 94, Fractal Design demonstrates its new learn-to-draw and learn-to-paint program, Fractal Design Dabbler, along with Fractal Design Painter, and the expert extension to Painter, Fractal Design Painter X2. All of these applications are accelerated for Power Macintosh.

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The Fraunhofer CRCG is a non-profit R&D group focusing on visually oriented and interactive processes, services, and applications that facilitate international collaboration over high-speed global networks for business, scientific, and educational purposes. CSCW, VR, and medical imaging applications are shown, supplemented by an interactive hypermedia World-Wide-Web database accessed via the Mosaic browser.

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G5G develops and markets technical and scientific graphics systems that are based on industry standards and that maintain hardware independence. G5G relies on its eight years of experience in graphics standards (UNIX, X Window, Motif, PEX, Open GL, GKS, PHIGS) to provide high-performance, portable from PCs to supercomputer software.

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The grn833x2 is the latest member of the ACUITY series of compromise-free image resizing engines. Genesis Microchip's patented algorithm and architecture provide maximum picture quality with minimum image aliasing. The result is near-optical-quality image magnification and reduction in real time with just one chip.

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Grass Valley Group features the videoDesigner PC-based Video Graphic Design system to capture and manipulate full color NTSC, or D2/D3 video images. Also demonstrated: the TypeDeko anti-aliased, full broadcast quality character generator on the Microsoft 32-bit Windows NT operating system.

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GW Hannaway & Associates is known for pioneering imaging, graphics, integration, and research and is recognized as one of the premier laboratories in the U.S. GW Hannaway & Associates now offers scanning, print, and film recording services over the new international Sprint production supernetwork: DRUMS. GWH&A sells UNIX imaging software: TRANSMO, a universal image file format translator; CHAMELEO, for driving photo quality printers; and DC-TOOL, to operate the Kodak Digital Cameras.

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HP Support Services

Hewlett-Packard, a leader in 3D graphics systems, once again showcases a new line of graphics workstations featuring industry-leading price/performance. Combined with the broadest range of computer peripherals, mass storage devices, and new video production tools, HP delivers enterprise-wide graphics and video solutions based on industry standards. The exhibit integrates these components to create an "immersive," interactive, graphical experience. Designed for speed and realism, HP products continue to lead the way for the future.

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Hotronic manufactures PC plug-in boards of TBCs and switchers for desktop video duplication and video editing. Models are PC-TBC, ASI I, and AQ21. Features include Y/C/composite input/output, digital effects, keyers, picture compression, and editor-controllable. Hotronic's video products are broadcast performance quality with consumer pricing.

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IBM features the latest version of IBM Visualization Data Explorer, a general-purpose application and toolkit for scientific data visualization and analysis for UNIX workstations. IBM also exhibits the latest offerings from its RISC System/6000 family of workstations and graphic adapters (including PowerPC) and the IBM POWER Visualization System for digital film and video production.



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IEEE Computer Society publishes two  
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Computer Graphics and Applications* in  
addition to related books and proceed-  
ings. The prestigious organization serves  
nearly 100,000 members through publi-  
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Membership information, magazines, and  
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industrial and textile design, CAD and  
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and packaging, video animation and sim-  
ulation, and photographic imaging. Image  
Resources integrates and supports most  
of the manufacturers of computer  
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IMAGICA will exhibit its High  
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IDS3000. It transfers 35mm 4p motion  
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high-speed scans at up to 4k x 3k at 30  
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IMAGINA is the European event for  
computer graphics, virtual worlds, and  
special effects with conferences, panels,  
an exhibition, and the Prix Pixel-INA  
competition for computer-generated  
images. IMAGINA is organized by INA  
and the Television Festival of Monaco,  
with the collaboration of CNC. IMAGI-  
NA 95 will be held in Monte-Carlo, 1-3  
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linear editing and authoring, provides all  
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Graphics workstation users with the  
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Based on Intel's Pentium processor  
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animation, high-resolution displays, and  
optimized input/output – with the com-  
patibility, affordability, and ease of use of  
a personal computer. IVMS brings  
professional-quality desktop video pro-  
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hand-assembled pop-ups, AdVoice voice  
products, 3D viewers, patented in-line  
pop-ups, pop-up books as premiums,  
and custom, specialty printed products.  
These products can be utilized as direct  
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Ithaca Software, Autodesk's Component  
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Developer Kit. HOOPS, the commercial  
graphics development standard, is a  
high-level, portable interface that simpli-  
fies building interactive graphics applica-  
tions. CDK is Autodesk's award-winning  
virtual reality toolkit.

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The Pictography 3000 is a high-resolu-  
tion silver halide thermal printer that  
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onto paper or transparency film in two  
minutes or less from digital image data.

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JVC displays the super-high-resolution  
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4416H x 3456V pixels at a depth of 24  
bits per pixel with the proper image cap-  
ture board. The KY-F55U is a 1/3-inch  
3-CCD multi-purpose color video cam-  
era with resolution of 750 lines, weigh-  
ing only 1.1 pounds. The TK-1270U  
RGB camera with 470 lines of resolu-  
tion, 1.5 lux minimum illumination, flexi-  
ble iris system, and external genlock.

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slide mounts and slide mounting equip-  
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Knowledge Industry Publications, Inc. is the publisher of *AV Video* and *Computer Pictures*, magazines covering the visual presentation/communication marketplace. *AV Video* is written for production and presentation technology professionals involved in the creation of presentations using video, audio, computer graphics, and multimedia. *Computer Pictures* is written for creators and producers of graphic and multimedia presentations: classical presentations, advertising, package design, POP, and prepress imaging.

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Kurta Corporation is a world leader in the design and manufacture of high-performance graphics tablets with unique customization options and natural pen-on-paper feel. Kurta displays its new 6-inch by 8-inch XGT tablet and 4-inch by 5-inch PenMouse tablet, which provide artists and designers with a total solution for graphics input functionality.

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Leitch will be displaying a wide variety of professional electronic broadcast and related equipment, both analog and digital, audio and video, including: distribution amplifiers; routing switchers; sync and test generators; composite, component, and dual format still stores; satellite scrambling systems; standards and format converters; and clocks and timing equipment.

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Lightscape Technologies produces an advanced visualization system for use in computer-aided design, commercial animation and virtual reality applications. Incorporating radiosity and ray tracing algorithms with a complete IES photometric interface, Lightscape quickly and accurately simulates lighting phenomenon in complex 3D environments, producing interactive visual and numeric results of exceptional quality and accuracy.

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Lightwave's VDE/200 video display extender transparently remotes SGI and other workstations, computers, and video sources up to 3,000 feet over standard fiber optic cable. The VDE/200 is a plug-and-play transmitter/receiver system which requires no adjustments. NTSC, PAL, and RGB are supported up to 160MHz of video bandwidth/channel. The system is approved by SGI's Gold Seal Program, HP's channel partner program, and is SPARC-verified through SPARC International for Sun applications. Other compliant platforms are DEC, Apple, IBM, and clones.

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Management Graphics, Inc. (MGI) shows the Jet Stream Color Image Server for use with Xerox 8900 Series (Versatec) large format printers/plotters. Jet Stream combines a high-powered RISC-based workstation, an Adobe PostScript Level 2 interpreter, and extensive network connectivity, enabling users to maximize throughput and produce premium color graphics for posters, murals, and maps in minutes rather than hours. In its first public showing, MGI also introduces the Solitaire Cine III, with new technology to improve contrast and density range on cine images.

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Martin Marietta produces the world's most powerful real-time computer image generators. Once applied exclusively to high-performance military simulators, this technology is now packaged for advanced commercial applications.

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Matrox demonstrates a complete line of professional video editing, animation, and multimedia products. The new Matrox Studio video editing system features nonlinear productivity and linear production power combined. Matrox Animation Xpress (MAX) is a digital animation recorder designed to play back broadcast-quality 3D computer animations from hard disk in real time and record them directly to videotape. Matrox Marvel II is a multi-purpose video/audio controller designed to perform in today's most demanding multimedia applications.

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Maximum Strategy, Inc. is the world's leading supplier of storage solutions for high-performance computing. Maximum Strategy demonstrates the Strategy Gen 4 Storage Server product family, delivering superior performance coupled with high data reliability, data integrity, data availability, storage capacity scalable to 53 GBytes, and transfer rates up to 90 MB/sec.

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Mecklermedia is displaying its cutting edge newsstand publications: *Virtual Reality World*, *CD-ROM World*, and *Internet World*. Also on display is the release of CD-ROMS IN PRINT, an annual directory. Of particular interest to SIGGRAPH 94 attendees is Mecklermedia's Virtual Reality Expo. Stop by for further information and your free sample issue of *Virtual Reality World*.

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The only virtual reality software to offer true integration to existing CAD packages. The Virtual Reality NAVIGATOR, as an ADS application, running inside of AutoCAD, is being launched at the SIGGRAPH 94 Exhibition. MicronGreen, Inc. presents its real-time interactive solution for 486 and Pentium platforms. Fly, edit, import animations from 3D Studio, and more.

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Each pass, low, middle and upper, covered 270 degrees horizontally and 15cm vertically.

The three passes were combined using Echo software into a dense mesh of 530,000 triangles.

Each vertex defines an XYZ geometric coordinate and an RGB texture coordinate. Vertices are spaced about 0.5mm apart (0.020").

The neck was edited away using the 3D surface tools in the Echo software.

Cyberware's Cymage software reduced the complexity of the mesh to only 25,000 triangles, preserving nearly all of the geometric details and the entire texture map.

The image to the left was rendered by Echo. The triangle mesh detail is from Cymage.

The images were all captured from the monitor of a Silicon Graphics Indigo Elan and combined in PhotoShop.

The modeling process was completed in just under one hour.

The Cyberware 3030RGB/HIREZ scanner with MM motion platform, complete with all software, training and one-year support costs \$75,200 (North American List Price). Sales and service worldwide.

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Sanyo features the GVR-S955, an animation editing recorder with a built-in RS422/RS232 control interface, SMPTE time code generator, two separate video, and eight separate audio channels. It is shown operating with various software and edit controller systems. Also, Sanyo is exhibiting the GVR-S950 animation recorder, designed to operate with most major animation programs. It contains a built-in RS 422/RS 232 control port and SMPTE time code generator for frame-accurate animation. Sanyo is also showing the PLC200 and PLC300 composite and video data projection.

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SDI Virtual Reality Corporation announces a new line of VR products to complement its high-performance VR-2000 real-time image generator and interactive VR control system. Designed to provide real-time interactive graphic solutions to medium and low-end entertainment, the IG-1500 (followed by IG-1000 and IG-500), will be highly integrated, upward-compatible entries into the image generation market.

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Side Effects is exhibiting PRISMS, a high-end 3D animation and image manipulation system. PRISMS has become a favorite of animators due to its revolutionary style of surface building and flexible character control, including performance capture and inverse kinematics. Side Effects is demonstrating "Real-time Realism" and Game Maker extensions.

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SOFTIMAGE exhibits its new Digital Studio, in addition to its Creative Environment 3D animation software, Creative Toonz 2D cel animation program, and Eddie. Digital Studio is a comprehensive production and post-production environment featuring all the tools needed for creating digital media applications - ranging from game development to film and broadcast - Digital Studio's applications include non-linear editing/composition 3D DVES, 2D and 3D paint, on-time editing, 3D animation, sound editing and mixing, character generation, cel animation, and parallel rendering.

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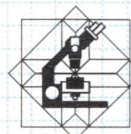
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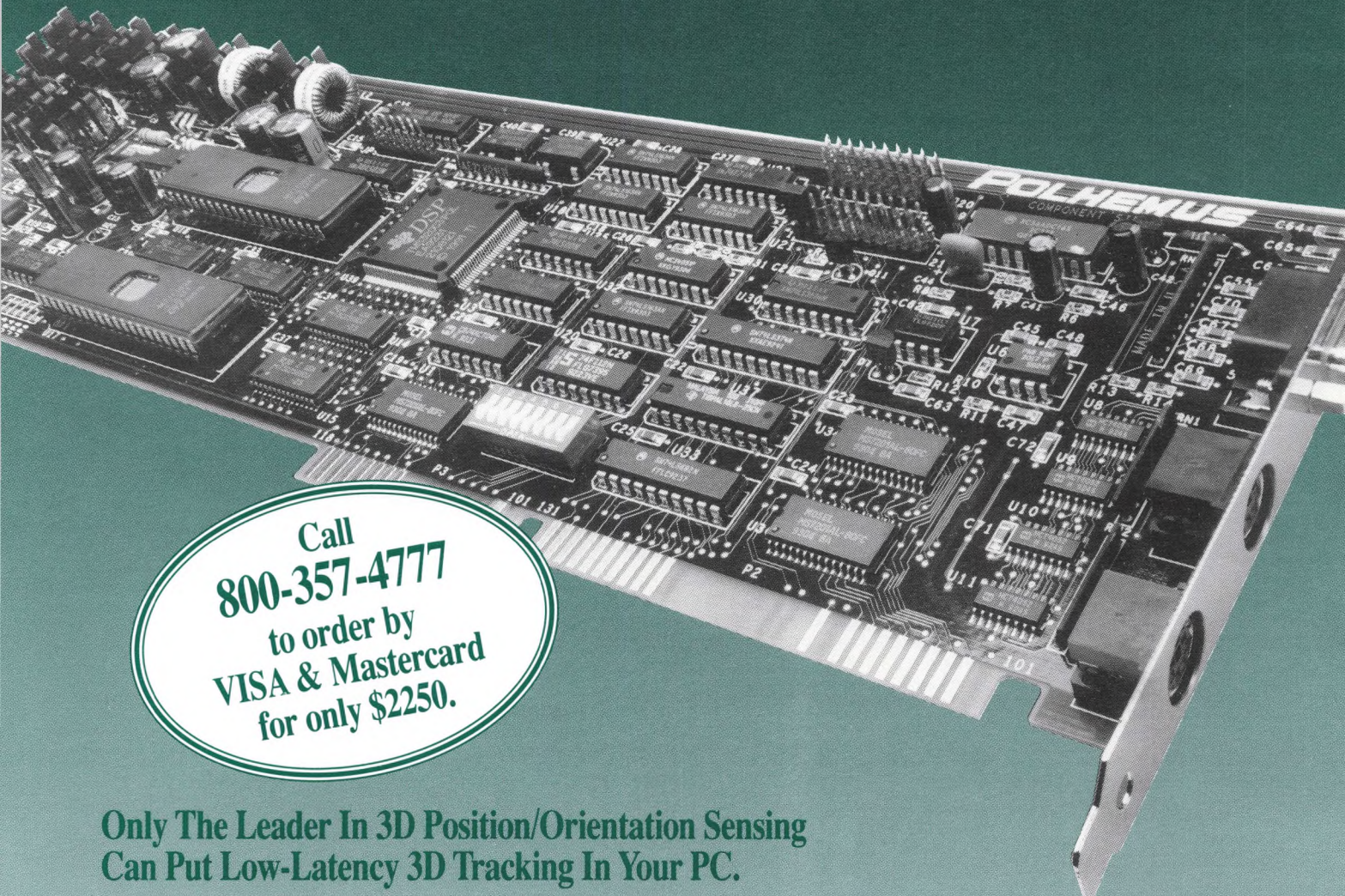
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Truevision, the leader in desktop video, is showing the latest in digital video technology. The emphasis at SIGGRAPH 94 is on tools for building digital video applications and products. Truevision is showing its TARGA 2000, TrueVista Pro, NuVista+, ATVista, and other new products to be announced at the show.

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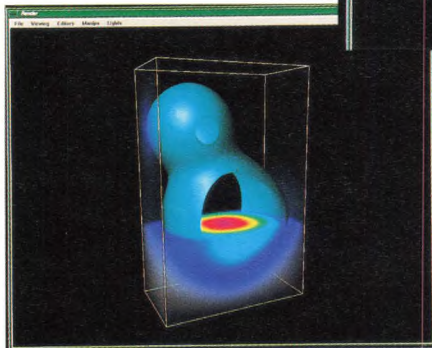


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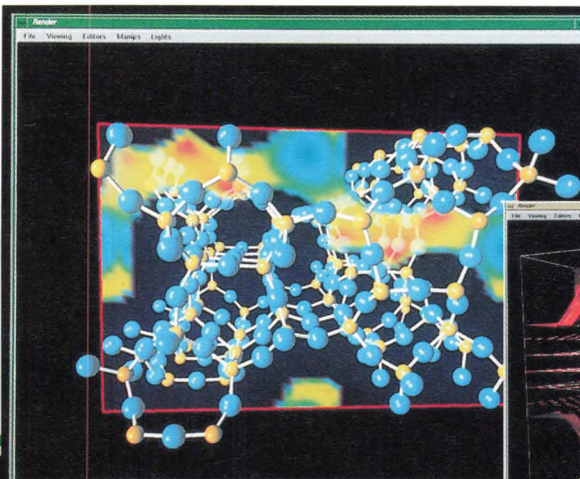
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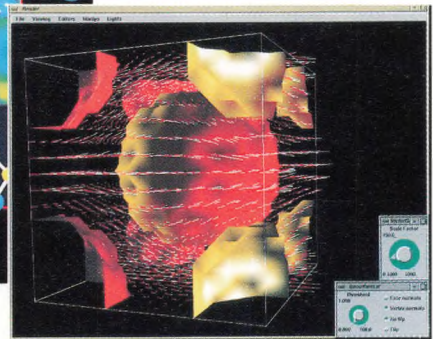
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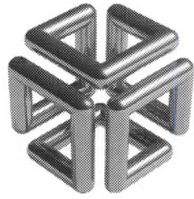
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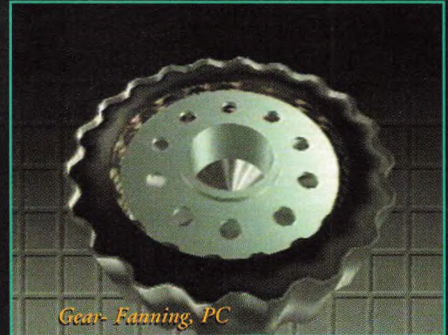
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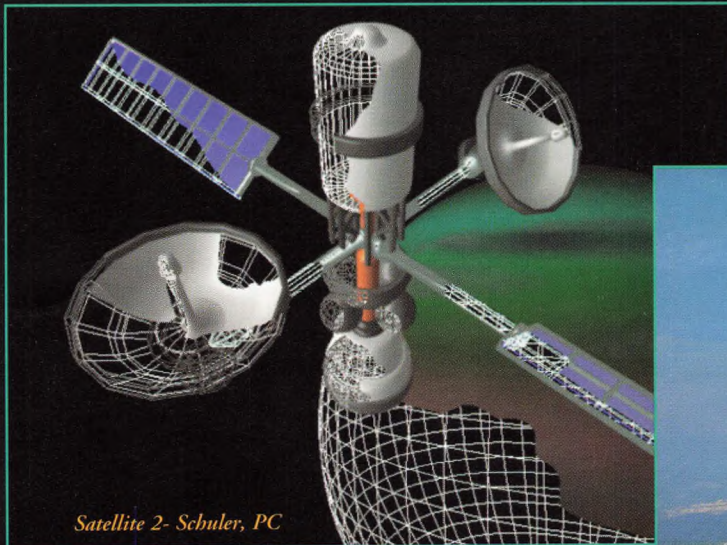
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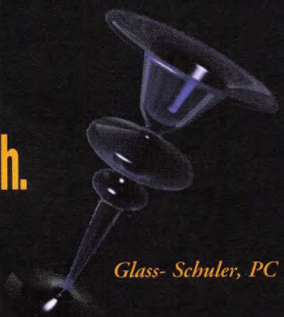
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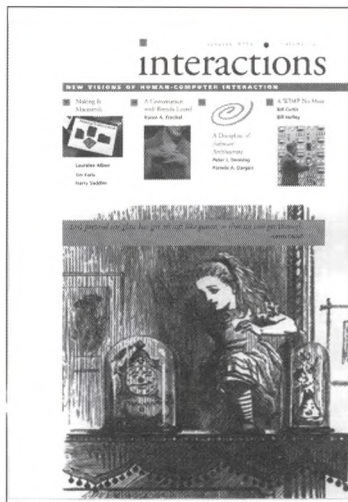
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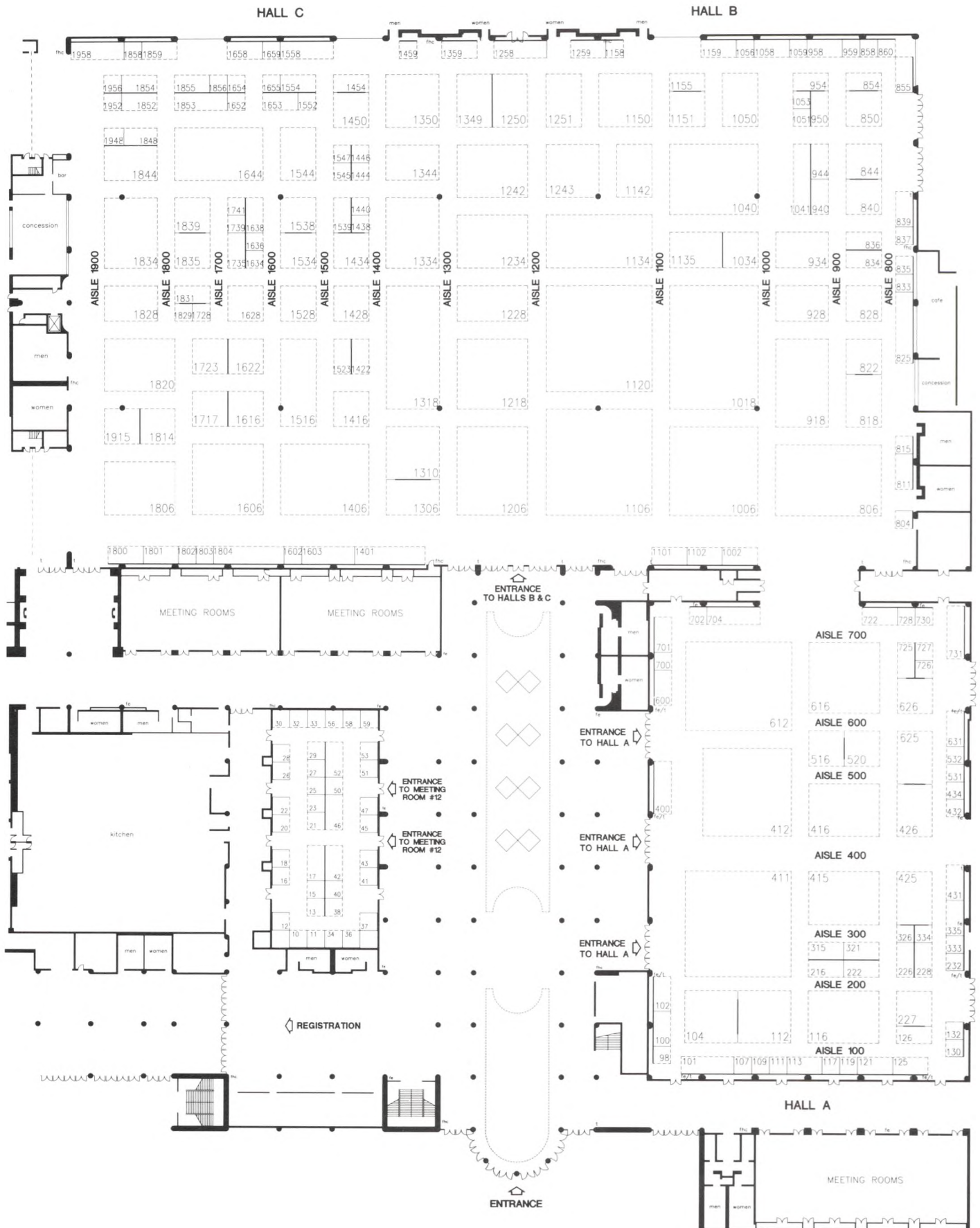
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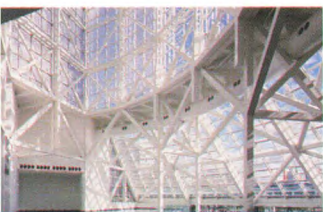
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## LA 95

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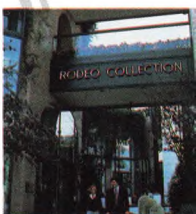
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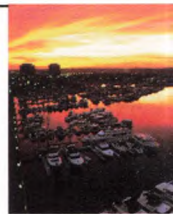
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SIGGRAPH is doing some important long-range planning this year. This involves looking carefully at where the field of computer graphics and interactive techniques is going and defining the kind of organization we need to be to adapt positively to these changes. We want your help as the planning continues. SIGGRAPH is a terrific organization, and it's your organization. Participate in the business meeting and help us to make it even better.

## THE ORGANIZATION

SIGGRAPH is the Association for Computing Machinery's Special Interest Group on Computer Graphics. Started in 1967, SIGGRAPH has grown from a handful of computer graphics enthusiasts to a diverse membership of 10,000 people, including software and hardware developers, scientists, mathematicians, engineers, animators, filmmakers, artists, and other professionals in the field of computer graphics.

In addition to its own annual conference, SIGGRAPH sponsors other conferences, supports a wide range of educational activities, produces a variety of publications, and maintains active relationships with other professional technical organizations around the world. SIGGRAPH has established local groups across the United States and internationally.

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### Global Network

The Professional Chapters of SIGGRAPH, formerly called Local Groups, now span the globe and form an international network of like-minded people who, throughout the year develop, continue, and extend the work and achievements that are presented at the annual SIGGRAPH conference. They are the SIGGRAPH GLOBAL NETWORK.

### Professional Chapters

Each SIGGRAPH Professional Chapter draws its membership from a particular area or region where there are professionals from education, research, development, industry, and entertainment who are interested in the development of computer graphics, its related technologies, and applications.

They meet on a regular basis usually around technical subjects or themes, but also around conferences and events.

The Professional Chapters provide the basis for a greater involvement by volunteers in the activities of SIGGRAPH, the annual conference and their future developments. Many of those involved in other SIGGRAPH activities, committees and projects have graduated from the Professional Chapter in a local region.

### Electronic Network

The Professional Chapters are linked by an ever-expanding electronic network and are open to contact from other like-minded professionals and organizations throughout the world.

### International

Internationally, Chapters exist in Eastern and Western Europe, South and North America, the Middle East and the Pacific Rim. Significantly, SIGGRAPH Professional Chapters are at the same time ACM Professional Chapters and stand alongside an even broader international network of computing groups.

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### The Invitation to You

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- Making all appointments and filling vacancies as authorized.
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- Coordinating all liaison activities with other SIGs and organizations.

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- Reporting SIGGRAPH's finances to members at least once a year in SIGGRAPH's regular publications.

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## EDUCATION COMMITTEE

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The ACM SIGGRAPH Education Committee is always looking for new, good ideas and volunteers to implement them. In addition, the Education Committee is actively addressing the long-range education goals that were identified at SIGGRAPH: the 21st Century and eagerly welcomes new ideas and volunteers to implement those ideas.

## SIGGRAPH: THE 21ST CENTURY

SIGGRAPH: the 21st Century was the theme of a long-range strategy meeting held in May 1994. Representatives of the SIGGRAPH membership, constituent groups, and volunteer leadership met for three days to identify future directions and areas of endeavor for the SIGGRAPH organization. This conference provides us with several opportunities to inform you about resulting task forces and plans, and to encourage your participation.

At Thursday's SIGGRAPH business meeting, we are presenting an overview of the SIGGRAPH: the 21st Century meeting, followed by status reports from the seven task forces that were formed as a result of it. These task forces address issues that participants considered critical to the organization's health.

The task forces are meeting here this week to solicit your ideas and to encourage your participation. A schedule of meeting times and locations will be posted onsite. If you can't attend, but are interested in becoming involved, come to the business meeting or leave your name, contact information, and areas of interest at the SIGGRAPH 95 booth.



## SIGGRAPH: the 21st Century Task Forces

- ACM Relationship
- Annual Conference
- Education
- OnLine SIGGRAPH
- Political Action
- Small Conferences/Workshops
- Structure of SIGGRAPH Organization

SIGGRAPH's recent long-range planning meeting was just the beginning. We're setting out to renew and reinvent SIGGRAPH so it will be as vital an organization in the 21st century as it has been in the 20th. The SIGGRAPH Executive Committee, as well as all those who participated in SIGGRAPH: the 21st Century, invite you to join us.

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