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Projects

DrawTalking: Building Interactive Worlds by Sketching and Speaking (Thesis Project)

- Check-out the website (Video demos and paper): <u>https://ktrosenberg.github.io/drawtalking/</u>
 - Prototype a system from the ground-up for building interactive worlds by sketching and speaking and telling stories at the same time. Applications to human-Al collaboration and natural language creativity interfaces; Enables programming-like capability without code.

- Sole programmer, designer, built project from the ground-up. Led ideation, design, and team direction.
- Designed and ran user studies (qualitative feedback, interviews, artifact-generation)
- Accepted to UIST '24 Systems HCI Conference https://uist.acm.org/2024/
- Open-source code to-be-released during the conference in October; native iPadOS & macOS C, C++, Swift, Metal GPU API, Python, JavaScript
- Extra Demo showing an LLM / Gen-AI being used to make DrawTalking's language input more flexible
 <u>https://youtu.be/DETfOi_fCPI</u>

Note: the following projects have more information (images, videos) on their GitHub pages:

XR MetaRoom: Multi-user WebXR Engine with Built-in Live Coding

- Main architect / engineer for WebVR / WebXR project for multi-user VR, built basically from the ground-up and used for my advisor's VR class's assignments and final projects.
- I emphasized live reloading of scripts and shaders for fun rapid prototyping and improvised worldbuilding and storytelling. A desktop user could edit code and simultaneously, VR users could experience the changes interactively.
- Page: https://github.com/KTRosenberg/XR-MetaRoom ; JavaScript, WebGL, WebXR

MagicWhiteboards / Multiuser Workstation VR

- Multiuser VR sketching with dynamically-customizable sketching surfaces and user-positioning (for CHI LBW research I collaborated on)

- Page <u>https://github.com/KTRosenberg/Exploring-Configuration-of-Mixed-Reality-Spaces-for-Communication</u>

ProjectionDraw VR

- My first VR project, focused on making 3D sketching interaction easier by enabling drawing on geometry and surfaces
- Page: <u>https://github.com/KTRosenberg/ProjectionDraw</u>

Custom 2D Game Rendering Engine and Editor Prototypes

- First experiments for a C++ and OpenGL mini game with sloped platformer physics, parallax scrolling, live reloading of C++ code, and custom music with toggle-able instrument tracks

- Page: https://github.com/KTRosenberg/Game-and-Graphics-SDL-openGL

Unfolding Object Web Art Restoration Project

- Team collaboration with the John F. Simon Guggenheim Time-Based Media Lab to bring a web artwork to new audiences (recreating a digital artwork faithfully from scratch with custom rendering)

- Official Release Blog Post: <u>https://www.guggenheim.org/articles/checklist/the-guggenheim-restores-john-f-simon-jr-early-web-artwork-unfolding-object</u>

Music

- https://soundcloud.com/synchronizerman