

# VIRTUSO VIRTUAL ART GALLERY

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# ABSTRACT

This report outlines the development of a **Virtual Art Exhibition Page**, a web-based platform designed to digitally showcase artwork. The project aims to provide artists with a professional, accessible venue to display their creations, simulating a real-world gallery experience. Key features include a responsive art gallery grid, interactive modal popups for detailed artwork viewing, and filtering options. This platform was developed using a combination of **HTML**, **CSS**, and **JavaScript**, with **Bootstrap** for responsive design and **jQuery** for enhanced interactivity. The project successfully creates an engaging and user-friendly virtual gallery environment

# OBJECTIVES

The primary objectives of this project were to:

1. **Create a virtual gallery** that displays a variety of artworks in a visually appealing grid format.
2. **Implement interactive modal popups** to show full-sized images and detailed information (title, artist, description) upon user selection.
3. **Develop a dedicated section** for artist biographies and relevant links.
4. **Incorporate a filtering system** that allows users to sort artworks by style or medium.
5. **Ensure a fully responsive design** that provides a seamless viewing experience across all devices, from mobile phones to desktop computers.

# SCOPE OF THE PROJECT

The project's entire focus is on the **front-end**, which is the part of a website a user directly interacts with in their browser. Think of it as the 'user-facing' side of things. It's a **static website**, meaning its content doesn't change unless a developer manually updates the code. There's **no back-end**, which is the server-side component that handles things like databases, user logins, and business logic. This is why there's **no user authentication** (login/signup) or a **dynamic content management system** (CMS), which would allow a non-developer to add or edit content. All the artwork information—like titles, artists, and images—is **hard-coded** directly into the project's JavaScript file. This means the data is a fixed part of the code and can't be updated or retrieved from a remote source.

# TOOLS & TECHNOLOGIES USED

| Tool/Technology | Purpose   |
|-----------------|---|
| HTML5           | The foundational markup language used to structure the web page.  |
| CSS3            | Employed for all styling, including layout, colors, typography, and visual effects.   |
| VS Code         | Code editor   |
| Chrome DevTools | Testing and debugging   |
| Java Script     | Used for client-side interactivity, such as controlling the modal popups, handling image transitions, and implementing the filtering logic. |

# KEY FEATURES

| Feature                       | Description                              |
|-------------------------------|--|
| Responsive Design             | Adapts seamlessly to all screen sizes    |
| Smooth Navigation             | Fixed top nav with anchor links          |
| Project Cards                 | Flex-based layout with hover effects     |
| Contact Form (non-functional) | Placeholder layout for inputs and button |
| Accessible Fonts & Colors     | High contrast and readable typography    |

## CHALLENGES FACED AND SOLUTION

| Challenge                             | Solution                                   |
|---------------------------------------|--|
| Overlapping elements on small screens | Used media queries to stack elements       |
| Difficulty aligning items using float | Shifted to Flexbox and Grid                |
| Typography scaling issue              | Used relative units (em/rem) instead of px |

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# OUTCOME

The project successfully created a **Virtual Art Exhibition Page**, which is a **front-end application**. This means it's a website that runs entirely in a user's web browser without needing to connect to a server for content or functionality. It was developed to be **functional**, so it works as intended, and **responsive**, meaning its layout adapts to different screen sizes like desktops, tablets, and mobile phones. The design is also described as **aesthetically pleasing**, suggesting a good user interface and visual design.

The application effectively **simulates a gallery experience**. It allows users to **browse a collection of artworks** on a main page and then, by clicking on an item, **view detailed information** in an **intuitive manner**. This is likely achieved through features like a main gallery grid and interactive pop-ups (modals) that provide more information without leaving the main page. This approach offers a user-friendly way to explore the content.

The use of **modern web technologies** indicates that the developers likely used up-to-date languages and frameworks like HTML5, CSS3, and JavaScript libraries to build the site. This choice of technology, combined with a **well-defined project scope**, led to a **clean, maintainable codebase**. A "clean" codebase is well-organized and easy to understand, while "maintainable" means it's simple for other developers to fix bugs or add new features later on. Ultimately, the project **met all stated objectives**, proving that the development process was efficient and successful.

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## FUTURE ENHANCEMENT

**Integration with a CMS:** Implementing a back-end system to allow artists to upload and manage their own artwork dynamically, eliminating the need for hard-coded data.

**User Accounts:** Adding user authentication to enable artists to create personal galleries and users to save their favorite artworks.

**Advanced Filtering & Search:** Expanding the filtering capabilities to include search bars and multiple criteria (e.g., filtering by both medium and size).

**Monetization Features:** Incorporating e-commerce functionality to allow for the sale of artworks directly from the platform.

**Interactive 3D Gallery:** Exploring frameworks like Three.js to create a truly immersive, 3D walk-through gallery experience.



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# SAMPLE CODE AND SCREENSHOT OF FINAL OUTPUT

## HTML CODE

```
<!DOCTYPE html>
<html lang="en">
<head>
  <meta charset="UTF-8">
  <meta name="viewport" content="width=device-width, initial-scale=1.0">
  <title>3D Virtual Art Gallery</title>
  <link
href="https://fonts.googleapis.com/css2?family=Merriweather:wght@400;700&family=Lato:wght@400;700&display=swap" rel="stylesheet">
  <script async src="https://unpkg.com/es-module-shims@1.6.3/dist/es-module-shims.js"></script>
  <script type="importmap">
    {
      "imports": {
        "three": "https://cdn.jsdelivr.net/npm/three@0.141.0/build/three.module.js",
        "three/addons/": "https://cdn.jsdelivr.net/npm/three@0.141.0/examples/jsm/"
      }
    }
  </script>
  <script src="https://cdnjs.cloudflare.com/ajax/libs/tone/14.8.49/Tone.js"></script>
  <script src="https://cdnjs.cloudflare.com/ajax/libs/tween.js/18.6.4/tween.umd.js"></script>
  <link rel="stylesheet" href="style.css">
</head>
<body>

<div id="info-panel">
  <h1>The Digital Canvas: A Virtual Exhibition</h1>
  <p>Click and drag to look around. Scroll to zoom in/out.</p>
  <p>Click on an artwork to see its details.</p>
</div>
```

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```
<div id="controls-panel">
  <button id="audio-button" class="ui-button">Play Audio</button>
  <button id="tour-button" class="ui-button">Guided Tour</button>
</div>

<div id="artwork-modal" class="modal-details">
  <button id="close-modal">&times;</button>
  <h3 id="modal-title"></h3>
  <p id="modal-artist"></p>
  <img id="modal-image" src="" alt="Artwork">
  <p id="modal-description"></p>
</div>

<script type="module" src="script.js"></script>

</body>
</html>
```

## CSS CODE

```
body {
  margin: 0;
  overflow: hidden;
  background-color: #000;
  font-family: 'Lato', sans-serif;
  color: #f0f0f0;
}
canvas {
  display: block;
}
#info-panel {
  position: absolute;
  top: 20px;
  left: 50%;
  transform: translateX(-50%);
  text-align: center;
  padding: 10px 20px;
  background: rgba(0, 0, 0, 0.5);
  border-radius: 8px;
```

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```
    backdrop-filter: blur(5px);
    z-index: 10;
}
#info-panel h1 {
    color: #d1b36e;
    font-family: 'Merriweather', serif;
    font-size: 2em;
    margin: 0;
}
#controls-panel {
    position: absolute;
    bottom: 20px;
    left: 50%;
    transform: translateX(-50%);
    padding: 15px;
    background: rgba(0, 0, 0, 0.5);
    border-radius: 8px;
    backdrop-filter: blur(5px);
    display: flex;
    align-items: center;
    justify-content: center;
    gap: 15px;
    z-index: 10;
}
.ui-button {
    background-color: #383838;
    color: #f0f0f0;
    border: 1px solid #555;
    padding: 8px 15px;
    border-radius: 5px;
    cursor: pointer;
    transition: background-color 0.3s, border-color 0.3s;
}
.ui-button:hover {
    background-color: #d1b36e;
    border-color: #d1b36e;
    color: #1a1a1a;
}
```

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```
.modal-details {
  position: absolute;
  top: 50%;
  left: 50%;
  transform: translate(-50%, -50%);
  background-color: rgba(44, 44, 44, 0.9);
  padding: 2em;
  border-radius: 10px;
  display: none;
  flex-direction: column;
  align-items: center;
  text-align: center;
  z-index: 20;
  max-width: 80%;
  border: 1px solid #d1b36e;
  box-shadow: 0 0 20px rgba(209, 179, 110, 0.5);
  animation: fadeIn 0.5s ease-in-out;
}

@keyframes fadeIn {
  from { opacity: 0; transform: translate(-50%, -50%) scale(0.9); }
  to { opacity: 1; transform: translate(-50%, -50%) scale(1); }
}

.modal-details img {
  max-width: 100%;
  height: auto;
  border-radius: 8px;
  margin-bottom: 1rem;
}

.modal-details h3 {
  color: #d1b36e;
  font-family: 'Merriweather', serif;
}

#close-modal {
  position: absolute;
  top: 10px;
  right: 15px;
  background: none;
  border: none;
```

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```
    color: #f0f0f0;
    font-size: 1.5em;
    cursor: pointer;
    transition: color 0.2s;
}
#close-modal:hover {
    color: #d1b36e;
}
```

## JS CODE

```
/*import * as THREE from 'three';
import { OrbitControls } from 'three/addons/controls/OrbitControls.js';

// --- Scene Setup ---
const scene = new THREE.Scene();
const camera = new THREE.PerspectiveCamera(75, window.innerWidth / window.innerHeight,
0.1, 1000);
camera.position.set(0, 1.6, 5);

const renderer = new THREE.WebGLRenderer({ antialias: true });
renderer.setSize(window.innerWidth, window.innerHeight);
renderer.setPixelRatio(window.devicePixelRatio);
document.body.appendChild(renderer.domElement);

// Fog and Background
scene.background = new THREE.Color(0x0a0a0a);
scene.fog = new THREE.Fog(0x0a0a0a, 1, 30);

// --- Environment Creation ---
// Floating platform
const floorGeometry = new THREE.CylinderGeometry(15, 15, 0.5, 64);
const floorMaterial = new THREE.MeshPhongMaterial({ color: 0x1c1c1c });
const floor = new THREE.Mesh(floorGeometry, floorMaterial);
floor.position.y = -0.25;
scene.add(floor);

// Central light column
const columnGeometry = new THREE.CylinderGeometry(1, 1, 10, 32);
const columnMaterial = new THREE.MeshBasicMaterial({ color: 0x444444, wireframe: true });
```

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```
const column = new THREE.Mesh(columnGeometry, columnMaterial);
column.position.y = 5;
scene.add(column);

// --- Lighting ---
const ambientLight = new THREE.AmbientLight(0xffffff, 0.2);
scene.add(ambientLight);

const pointLight = new THREE.PointLight(0xd1b36e, 1.5, 100);
pointLight.position.set(0, 8, 0);
scene.add(pointLight);

// Colored spotlights for atmosphere
const blueLight = new THREE.SpotLight(0x00aaff, 1, 50, Math.PI / 8);
blueLight.position.set(-10, 5, -10);
scene.add(blueLight);

const pinkLight = new THREE.SpotLight(0xff00e5, 1, 50, Math.PI / 8);
pinkLight.position.set(10, 5, 10);
scene.add(pinkLight);

// --- Artwork Data ---
const artworks = [
  {
    title: "Whispers of the Cosmos",
    artist: "Alex Ray",
    description: "A vibrant composition of swirling forms and deep colors, capturing the unseen energies of the universe.",
    image: "art1.jpg",
    position: new THREE.Vector3(0, 1.6, -10),
    rotation: new THREE.Vector3(0, 0, 0),
  },
  {
    title: "Morning Mist",
    artist: "Alex Ray",
    description: "Delicate washes of blue and green evoke the tranquil feeling of a misty morning by the lake.",
    image: "art2.jpg",
    position: new THREE.Vector3(-10, 1.6, 0),
```

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```
        rotation: new THREE.Vector3(0, Math.PI / 2, 0),
    },
    {
        title: "Cyberpunk Alley",
        artist: "Alex Ray",
        description: "A detailed digital painting of a futuristic street, bathed in the glow of neon signs and rain-slicked asphalt.",
        image: "art3.jpg",
        position: new THREE.Vector3(10, 1.6, 0),
        rotation: new THREE.Vector3(0, -Math.PI / 2, 0),
    },
    {
        title: "Fractal Dreams",
        artist: "Alex Ray",
        description: "Intricate patterns and a chaotic yet harmonious blend of colors that represent the subconscious mind.",
        image: "art4.jpg",
        position: new THREE.Vector3(0, 1.6, 10),
        rotation: new THREE.Vector3(0, Math.PI, 0),
    },
    {
        title: "Bio-Mechanical Flora",
        artist: "Alex Ray",
        description: "A unique piece combining organic plant life with cold, industrial mechanical elements.",
        image: "art6.jpg",
        position: new THREE.Vector3(-7, 1.6, 7),
        rotation: new THREE.Vector3(0, -Math.PI / 4, 0),
    }
];

const artworkObjects = [];
const loader = new THREE.TextureLoader();

// Create and position artwork planes
artworks.forEach(art => {
    loader.load(art.image, texture => {
```

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```
    const material = new THREE.MeshStandardMaterial({ map: texture, emissive: 0x000000,
emissiveIntensity: 0.5 });
    const geometry = new THREE.PlaneGeometry(3.5, 2.5);
    const plane = new THREE.Mesh(geometry, material);
    plane.position.copy(art.position);
    plane.rotation.set(art.rotation.x, art.rotation.y, art.rotation.z);
    plane.userData = art; // Store artwork data on the mesh
    scene.add(plane);
    artworkObjects.push(plane);
  });
});
```

```
// --- Controls and Raycaster ---
```

```
const controls = new OrbitControls(camera, renderer.domElement);
controls.enablePan = false;
controls.minDistance = 2;
controls.maxDistance = 15;
controls.target.set(0, 1.6, 0);
controls.update();
```

```
const raycaster = new THREE.Raycaster();
const mouse = new THREE.Vector2();
let isModalOpen = false;
let hoveredObject = null;
```

```
// Handle mouse movement for hover effect
```

```
window.addEventListener('mousemove', onMouseMove, false);
function onMouseMove(event) {
  if (isModalOpen) return;
```

```
  mouse.x = (event.clientX / window.innerWidth) * 2 - 1;
  mouse.y = -(event.clientY / window.innerHeight) * 2 + 1;
```

```
  raycaster.setFromCamera(mouse, camera);
  const intersects = raycaster.intersectObjects(artworkObjects);
```

```
  if (intersects.length > 0) {
    const intersectedObject = intersects[0].object;
    if (hoveredObject !== intersectedObject) {
```

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```
        if (hoveredObject) {
            hoveredObject.material.emissive.setHex(0x000000);
            hoveredObject.scale.set(1, 1, 1);
        }
        hoveredObject = intersectedObject;
        hoveredObject.material.emissive.setHex(0xd1b36e);
        hoveredObject.scale.set(1.05, 1.05, 1.05);
    }
} else {
    if (hoveredObject) {
        hoveredObject.material.emissive.setHex(0x000000);
        hoveredObject.scale.set(1, 1, 1);
    }
    hoveredObject = null;
}
}
```

```
// Handle click for modal
window.addEventListener('click', onMouseClick, false);
function onMouseClick(event) {
    if (isModalOpen) return;

    mouse.x = (event.clientX / window.innerWidth) * 2 - 1;
    mouse.y = -(event.clientY / window.innerHeight) * 2 + 1;

    raycaster.setFromCamera(mouse, camera);
    const intersects = raycaster.intersectObjects(artworkObjects);

    if (intersects.length > 0) {
        const artworkData = intersects[0].object.userData;
        displayArtworkDetails(artworkData);
    }
}
```

```
// --- UI and Modal Logic ---
const modal = document.getElementById('artwork-modal');
const modalTitle = document.getElementById('modal-title');
const modalArtist = document.getElementById('modal-artist');
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```
const modalImage = document.getElementById('modal-image');
const modalDescription = document.getElementById('modal-description');
const closeModalBtn = document.getElementById('close-modal');
```

```
function displayArtworkDetails(data) {
  modalTitle.innerText = data.title;
  modalArtist.innerText = `By: ${data.artist}`;
  modalImage.src = data.image;
  modalDescription.innerText = data.description;
  modal.style.display = 'flex';
  isModalOpen = true;
}
```

```
closeModalBtn.addEventListener('click', () => {
  modal.style.display = 'none';
  isModalOpen = false;
});
```

```
// --- Audio Logic ---
```

```
const audioButton = document.getElementById('audio-button');
let isPlaying = false;
const synth = new Tone.PolySynth(Tone.Synth).toDestination();
```

```
const playAmbientSound = () => {
  const now = Tone.now();
  // A simple, ambient synth arpeggiation
  synth.triggerAttackRelease("C4", "8n", now);
  synth.triggerAttackRelease("E4", "8n", now + 0.25);
  synth.triggerAttackRelease("G4", "8n", now + 0.5);
  synth.triggerAttackRelease("B4", "8n", now + 0.75);
};
```

```
const loop = new Tone.Loop(playAmbientSound, "1n").start(0);
```

```
audioButton.addEventListener('click', () => {
  if (!isPlaying) {
    Tone.start();
    Tone.Transport.start();
  }
});
```

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```
        audioButton.innerText = "Pause Audio";
    } else {
        Tone.Transport.stop();
        audioButton.innerText = "Play Audio";
    }
    isPlaying = !isPlaying;
});

// --- Guided Tour Logic ---
const tourButton = document.getElementById('tour-button');
let tourActive = false;
const tourPoints = artworks.map(art => art.position.clone().add(new THREE.Vector3(0, 0, 3)));
let currentTourPoint = 0;

tourButton.addEventListener('click', () => {
    tourActive = !tourActive;
    if (tourActive) {
        tourButton.innerText = "Stop Tour";
        startTour();
    } else {
        tourButton.innerText = "Guided Tour";
    }
});

function startTour() {
    if (!tourActive) return;

    const targetPosition = tourPoints[currentTourPoint];
    const initialPosition = camera.position.clone();

    new TWEEN.Tween(initialPosition)
        .to(targetPosition, 3000)
        .easing(TWEEN.Easing.Quadratic.InOut)
        .onUpdate(() => {
            camera.position.copy(initialPosition);
            controls.target.copy(artworkObjects[currentTourPoint].position);
            controls.update();
        })
}
```

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```
.onComplete() => {
  currentTourPoint = (currentTourPoint + 1) % tourPoints.length;
  setTimeout(startTour, 1000); // Pause for a second at each artwork
})
.start();
}

// --- Animation Loop ---
function animate() {
  requestAnimationFrame(animate);
  TWEEN.update();
  controls.update();
  renderer.render(scene, camera);
}
animate();

window.addEventListener('resize', () => {
  camera.aspect = window.innerWidth / window.innerHeight;
  camera.updateProjectionMatrix();
  renderer.setSize(window.innerWidth, window.innerHeight);
});*/
import * as THREE from 'three';
import { OrbitControls } from 'three/addons/controls/OrbitControls.js';

// --- Scene Setup ---
const scene = new THREE.Scene();
const camera = new THREE.PerspectiveCamera(75, window.innerWidth / window.innerHeight,
0.1, 1000);
camera.position.set(0, 1.6, 5);

const renderer = new THREE.WebGLRenderer({ antialias: true });
renderer.setSize(window.innerWidth, window.innerHeight);
renderer.setPixelRatio(window.devicePixelRatio);
document.body.appendChild(renderer.domElement);

// Fog and Background
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scene.add(blueLight);

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```

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```
image: "art1.jpg",
position: new THREE.Vector3(0, 1.6, -10),
rotation: new THREE.Vector3(0, 0, 0),
},
{
  title: "Morning Mist",
  artist: "Alex Ray",
  description: "Delicate washes of blue and green evoke the tranquil feeling of a misty
morning by the lake.",
  image: "art2.jpg",
  position: new THREE.Vector3(-10, 1.6, 0),
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  image: "art6.jpg",
  position: new THREE.Vector3(-7, 1.6, 7),
  rotation: new THREE.Vector3(0, -Math.PI / 4, 0),
```

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```
    }  
  ];  
  
  const artworkObjects = [];  
  const loader = new THREE.TextureLoader();  
  
  // Create and position artwork planes  
  artworks.forEach(art => {  
    loader.load(art.image, texture => {  
      const material = new THREE.MeshStandardMaterial({ map: texture, emissive: 0x000000,  
emissiveIntensity: 0.5 });  
      const geometry = new THREE.PlaneGeometry(3.5, 2.5);  
      const plane = new THREE.Mesh(geometry, material);  
      plane.position.copy(art.position);  
      plane.rotation.set(art.rotation.x, art.rotation.y, art.rotation.z);  
      plane.userData = art; // Store artwork data on the mesh  
      scene.add(plane);  
      artworkObjects.push(plane);  
    });  
  });  
  
  // --- Controls and Raycaster ---  
  // Use OrbitControls, as it now supports touch by default, but we'll add custom logic for  
  interaction  
  const controls = new OrbitControls(camera, renderer.domElement);  
  controls.enablePan = false;  
  controls.minDistance = 2;  
  controls.maxDistance = 15;  
  controls.target.set(0, 1.6, 0);  
  controls.update();  
  
  const raycaster = new THREE.Raycaster();  
  const mouse = new THREE.Vector2();  
  let isModalOpen = false;  
  let hoveredObject = null;  
  let isMobile = /Mobi|Android/i.test(navigator.userAgent);  
  
  function onPointerMove(event) {  
    if (isModalOpen) return;
```

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```
// Use touch or mouse coordinates
if (event.touches) {
    mouse.x = (event.touches[0].clientX / window.innerWidth) * 2 - 1;
    mouse.y = -(event.touches[0].clientY / window.innerHeight) * 2 + 1;
} else {
    mouse.x = (event.clientX / window.innerWidth) * 2 - 1;
    mouse.y = -(event.clientY / window.innerHeight) * 2 + 1;
}

raycaster.setFromCamera(mouse, camera);
const intersects = raycaster.intersectObjects(artworkObjects);

if (intersects.length > 0) {
    const intersectedObject = intersects[0].object;
    if (hoveredObject !== intersectedObject) {
        if (hoveredObject) {
            hoveredObject.material.emissive.setHex(0x000000);
            hoveredObject.scale.set(1, 1, 1);
        }
        hoveredObject = intersectedObject;
        hoveredObject.material.emissive.setHex(0xd1b36e);
        hoveredObject.scale.set(1.05, 1.05, 1.05);
    }
} else {
    if (hoveredObject) {
        hoveredObject.material.emissive.setHex(0x000000);
        hoveredObject.scale.set(1, 1, 1);
    }
    hoveredObject = null;
}

// Handle pointer down (touch or mouse) for modal
function onPointerDown(event) {
    if (isModalOpen) return;

    // Use touch or mouse coordinates
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if (event.touches) {
  mouse.x = (event.touches[0].clientX / window.innerWidth) * 2 - 1;
  mouse.y = -(event.touches[0].clientY / window.innerHeight) * 2 + 1;
} else {
  mouse.x = (event.clientX / window.innerWidth) * 2 - 1;
  mouse.y = -(event.clientY / window.innerHeight) * 2 + 1;
}

raycaster.setFromCamera(mouse, camera);
const intersects = raycaster.intersectObjects(artworkObjects);

if (intersects.length > 0) {
  // Prevent OrbitControls from moving the camera when an artwork is tapped
  controls.enabled = false;
  const artworkData = intersects[0].object.userData;
  displayArtworkDetails(artworkData);
} else {
  // Re-enable controls if the user is not clicking an artwork
  controls.enabled = true;
}
}

// Attach event listeners for both mouse and touch
window.addEventListener('pointermove', onPointerMove, false);
window.addEventListener('pointerdown', onPointerDown, false);

// --- UI and Modal Logic ---
const modal = document.getElementById('artwork-modal');
const modalTitle = document.getElementById('modal-title');
const modalArtist = document.getElementById('modal-artist');
const modalImage = document.getElementById('modal-image');
const modalDescription = document.getElementById('modal-description');
const closeModalBtn = document.getElementById('close-modal');

function displayArtworkDetails(data) {
  modalTitle.innerText = data.title;
  modalArtist.innerText = `By: ${data.artist}`;
  modalImage.src = data.image;
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    modalDescription.innerText = data.description;
    modal.style.display = 'flex';
    isModalOpen = true;
    controls.enabled = false; // Disable controls when modal is open
  }

  closeModalBtn.addEventListener('click', () => {
    modal.style.display = 'none';
    isModalOpen = false;
    controls.enabled = true; // Re-enable controls when modal is closed
  });

  // --- Audio Logic ---
  const audioButton = document.getElementById('audio-button');
  let isPlaying = false;
  const synth = new Tone.PolySynth(Tone.Synth).toDestination();

  const playAmbientSound = () => {
    const now = Tone.now();
    synth.triggerAttackRelease("C4", "8n", now);
    synth.triggerAttackRelease("E4", "8n", now + 0.25);
    synth.triggerAttackRelease("G4", "8n", now + 0.5);
    synth.triggerAttackRelease("B4", "8n", now + 0.75);
  };

  const loop = new Tone.Loop(playAmbientSound, "1n").start(0);

  audioButton.addEventListener('click', () => {
    if (!isPlaying) {
      Tone.start();
      Tone.Transport.start();
      audioButton.innerText = "Pause Audio";
    } else {
      Tone.Transport.stop();
      audioButton.innerText = "Play Audio";
    }
    isPlaying = !isPlaying;
  });
```

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// --- Guided Tour Logic ---
const tourButton = document.getElementById('tour-button');
let tourActive = false;
const tourPoints = artworks.map(art => art.position.clone().add(new THREE.Vector3(0, 0, 3)));
let currentTourPoint = 0;

tourButton.addEventListener('click', () => {
  tourActive = !tourActive;
  if (tourActive) {
    tourButton.innerText = "Stop Tour";
    startTour();
    controls.enabled = false; // Disable controls during tour
  } else {
    tourButton.innerText = "Guided Tour";
    controls.enabled = true; // Re-enable controls after tour
  }
});

function startTour() {
  if (!tourActive) return;

  const targetPosition = tourPoints[currentTourPoint];
  const initialPosition = camera.position.clone();

  new TWEEN.Tween(initialPosition)
    .to(targetPosition, 3000)
    .easing(TWEEN.Easing.Quadratic.InOut)
    .onUpdate(() => {
      camera.position.copy(initialPosition);
      controls.target.copy(artworkObjects[currentTourPoint].position);
      controls.update();
    })
    .onComplete(() => {
      currentTourPoint = (currentTourPoint + 1) % tourPoints.length;
      if (tourActive) {
        setTimeout(startTour, 1000);
      }
    })
  }
```

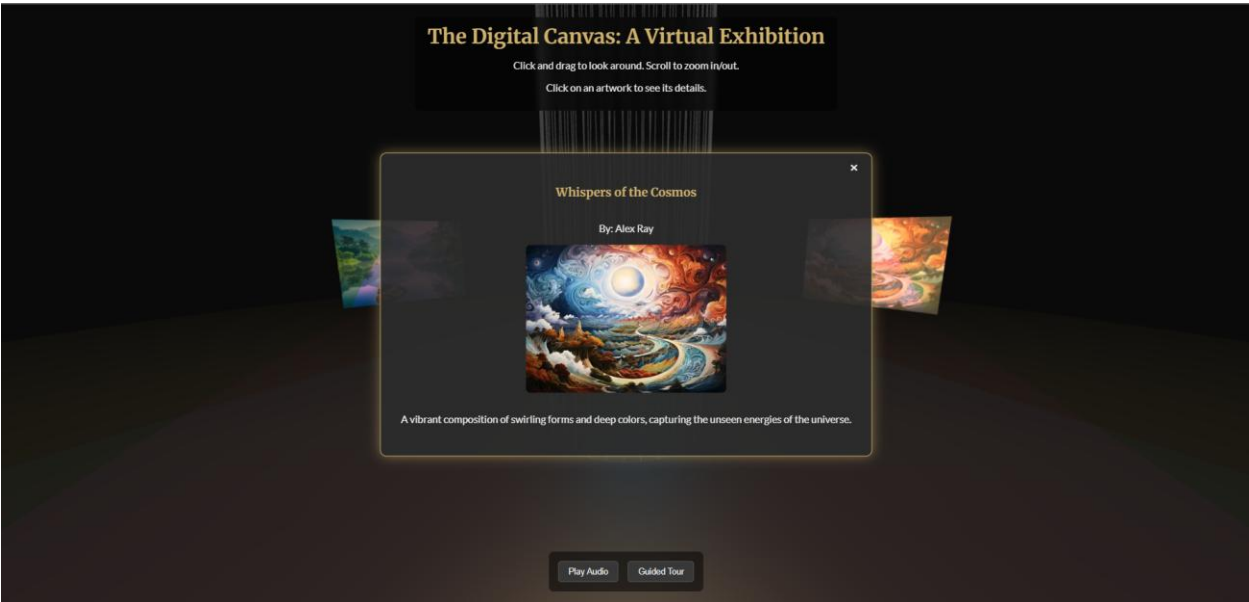
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    })
    .start();
}

// --- Animation Loop ---
function animate() {
    requestAnimationFrame(animate);
    TWEEN.update();
    controls.update();
    renderer.render(scene, camera);
}
animate();

window.addEventListener('resize', () => {
    camera.aspect = window.innerWidth / window.innerHeight;
    camera.updateProjectionMatrix();
    renderer.setSize(window.innerWidth, window.innerHeight);
});
```





# CONCLUSION

This project is a perfect example of how combining foundational web technologies like HTML, CSS, and JavaScript with powerful frameworks like Bootstrap and jQuery can lead to a robust and interactive web application. The **Virtual Art Exhibition Page** successfully serves its purpose by providing a compelling digital space for artists to share their work with a global audience, all while acting as a strong foundation for a more advanced platform in the future. It effectively demonstrates that you don't need a complex, full-stack setup to create a professional and engaging online presence for creative work.

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