

360 Cinematic VR

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Outlook

- 360 Cinema
- VR / AR / XR
- Visual 3D Perception
- VR Locomotion

360 Cinema

360 Cinema

- NYT's Great Performers: LA Noir
- Google Spotlight Stories: HELP
- Jessica Brillhart's: Jump Movies

Spotlight Stories: Help

- first live-action Spotlight Story (2015)



H E L P

Jessica's Jump Movies

- Beethoven's Fifth (2017)



VR / AR / XR

Virtual Reality

Evolution of VR

- Seminal Work
 - SketchPad, Ivan Sutherland / MIT (1968)
- Development Incubation
 - Research Labs (1990's / early 2000's)
- Consumer Age
 - Internet Media Companies / Games (2014 - ..)

HW State-of-the-Art

- Low End
 - Google Cardboard (*360 Movies / view rotation*)
- Middle
 - Gear VR (*3D Content, controllers / interaction*)
- High-End
 - Oculus, HTC Vive (*Games, positional tracking*)

Trends in Entertainment

- Multiplayer Shared-Location VR Experience



Augmented Reality

AR Outlook

- Characteristics
 - Overlays Virtual Objects on the Real World
 - Spatial Registration and Geometric Persistence
- Hardware Modalities
 - Mobile AR
(Tablets / Smartphones)
 - Heads-Up AR
(See-Through Displays / Smart Glasses)

Display Devices (Circa 2019)

liberating from the limitations of a rectangular 2D screen

- VR / AR / Plenoptic



VIVE Pro



HoloLens 2



Magic Leap

Newer Display Devices (2025)

beyond the technology into the user experience

- XR / Holographic



Apple Vision Pro



Varjo



Meta Orion

Industry Solutions

- Dynamic AR Maintenance Guide



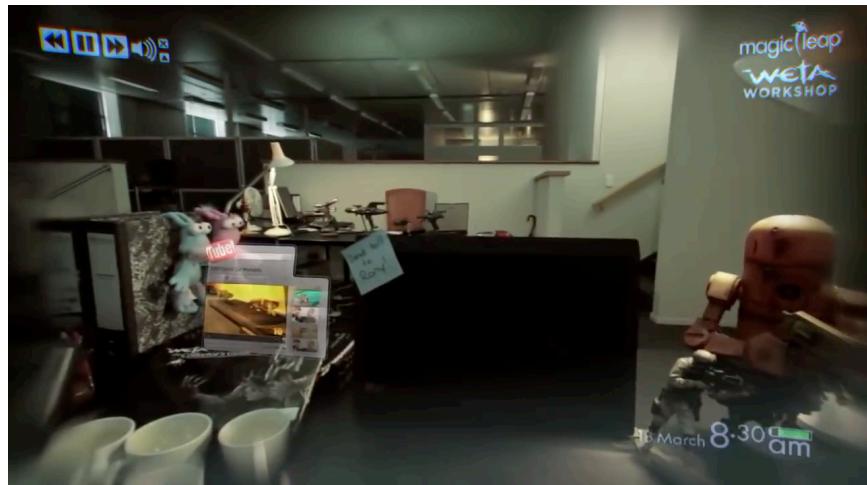
Mixed Reality

MR Roundup

- Requirements
 - Seamless Integration of Virtual Objects
(Anchor to 3D Environment / Illumination and Shadows)
 - User Interaction
(Combined Virtual / Real Objects)
- Display Technologies
 - Laser MEMS Holograms
(MS Hololens 2)
 - Light Field Projection
(Magic Leap)

Personal Uses

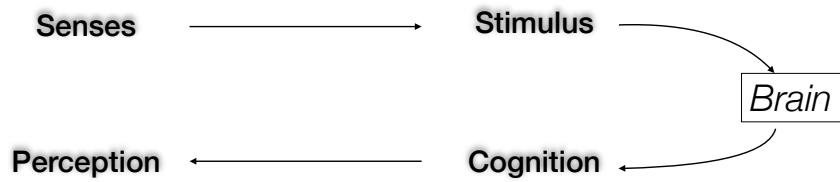
- In Home Games



Visual 3D Perception

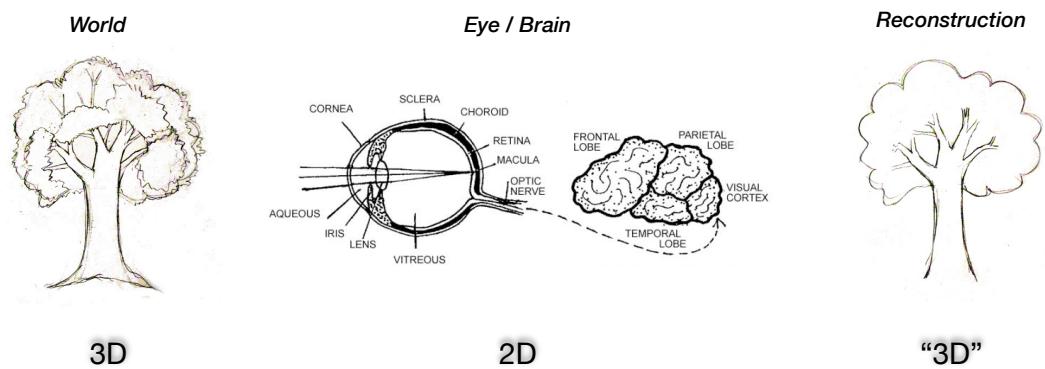
Human Perception

- Perceptual Mechanism



Dimensions & Embedding

- Visual System

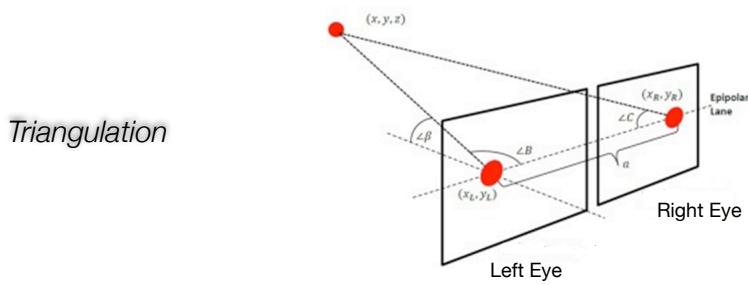


3D Vision

- Low Level (*eye*)
 - Stereopsis
 - Motion
- High Level (*brain*)
 - Structure
 - Context

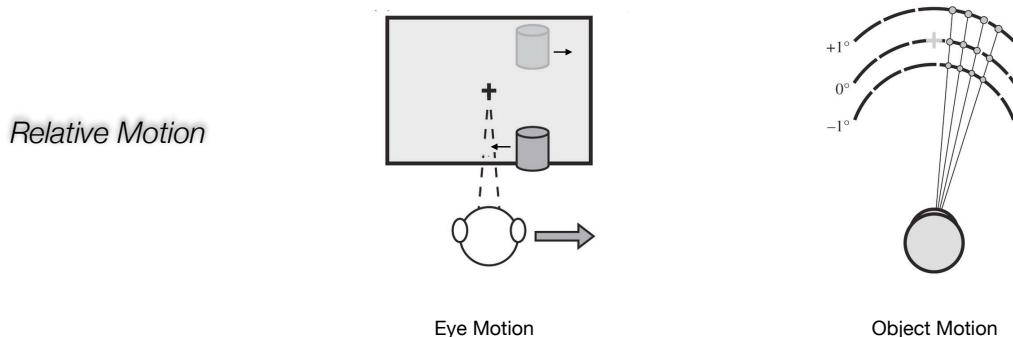
Binocular Vision

- Stereo Reconstruction



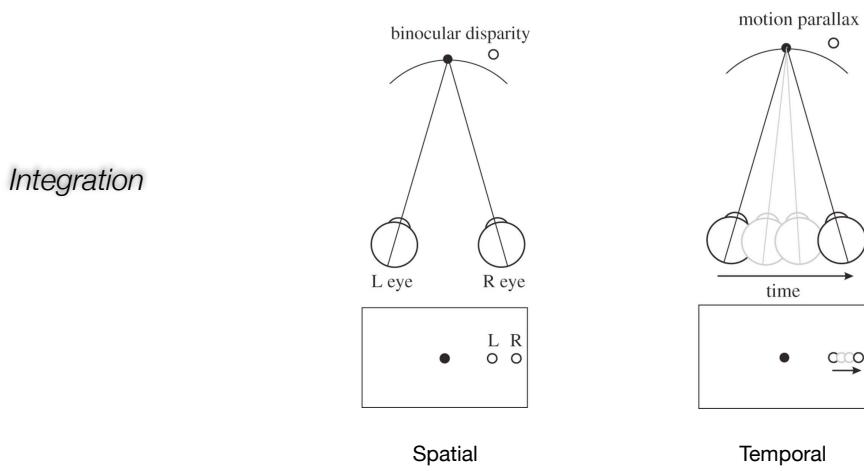
Depth from Motion

- Kinetic Depth Cue



Disparity & Parallax

- Low Level Reconstruction

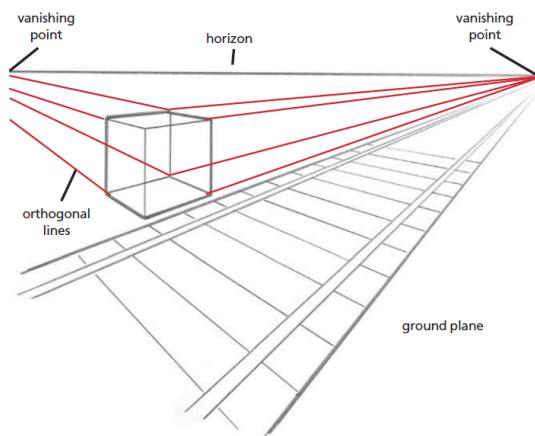


Shape from Structure

- Knowledge of the World

Perspective Projection

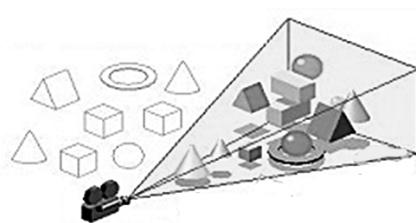
Illumination



Depth from Context

- Global Object Relations

Occlusion
Shape Silhouette

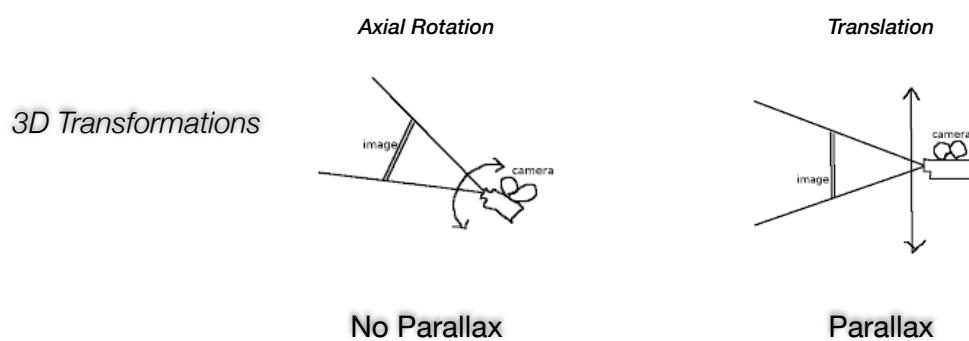


3D in Virtual Reality

- Degrees of Freedom
- Content Generation
- Display Devices
- User Experience

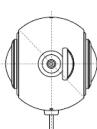
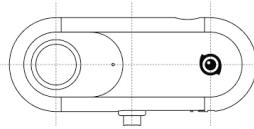
Degrees of Freedom

- Imaging System Motion

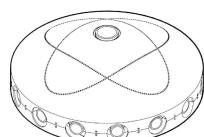


Content Generation

- 360 Video
 - Omnidirectional Camera
 - Light Field Camera
- 3D Simulation
 - Game Engine



Ricoh theta spherical

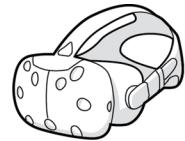
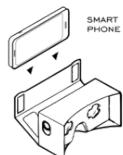


facebook surround 360 VR camera



VR Displays

- 360 Viewing
 - Rotation Only (2D)
- 360 Stereo Viewing
 - Rotation + Disparity (3D)
- Positional Tracking VR
 - Rotation + Translation (3D)



User Experience

- Content Generation + Display

Video 360	<i>Capture Independent of Viewer</i>	
	Fixed POV	Rotation Only
	Tele-transport (Cuts)	Rotation + Jumps

3D VR	<i>Generation at Viewer Position</i>	
	Full Motion	Translation + Rotation

VR Comfort

- Agreement between Senses and Perception
 - Visual System / 3D Cognition
 - Vestibular System / Motion Experience

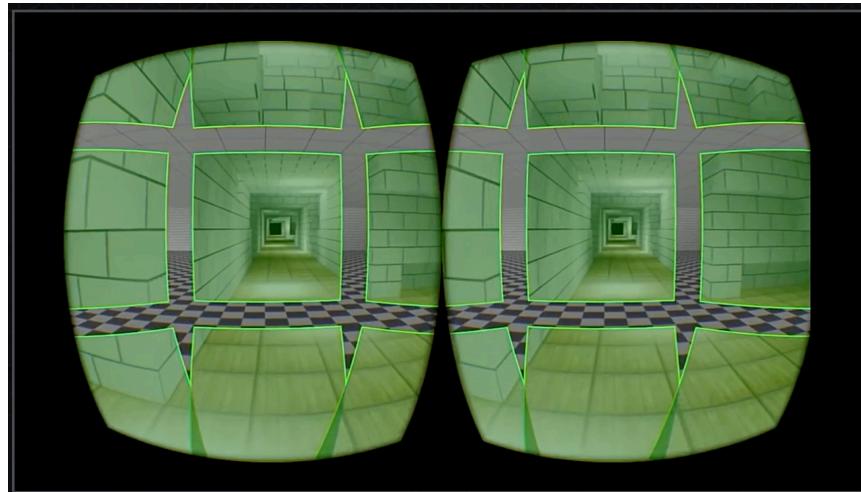
The Rules for Comfort

- Motion to Photon Latency
- Match Avatar Position to User
- Experience Duration
- User Movement

VR Locomotion

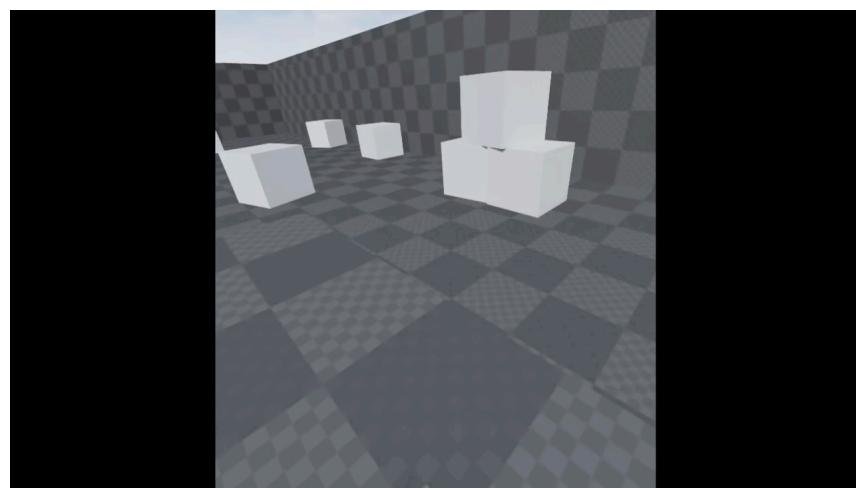
- Fixed Points of Reference
- Teleportation
- Beyond the Space

Frame of Reference



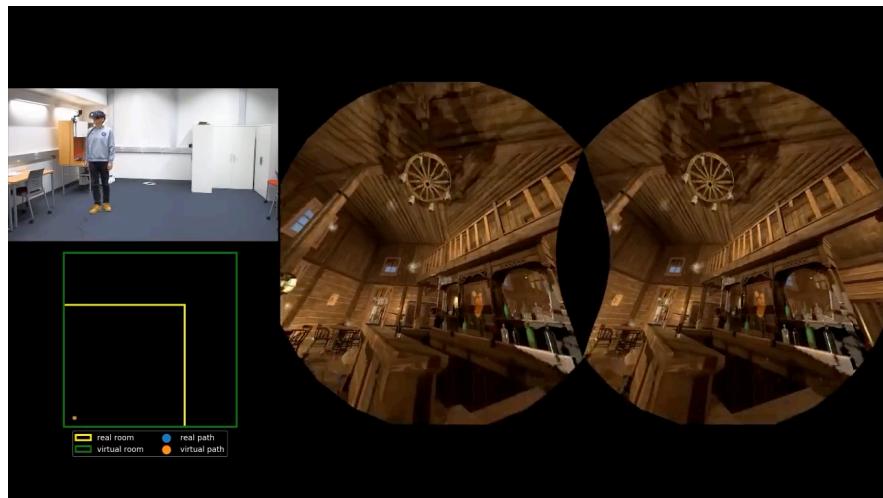
- Oculus Research SDK

Teleportation



- Unreal 4.13 Toolkit

Redirected Walking



- NVIDIA - Siggraph 2018