Research Overview of UH Computer Graphics and Interactive Media Lab















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Talk Outline

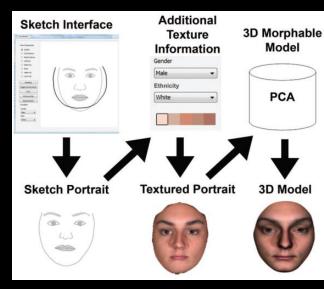
- Current Research Projects
 - Facial Animation and Virtual Humans
 - Character and Crowd Animation
 - GPU Computing and High-Performance Graphics
 - Human Computer Interaction and Gaming



Facial Animation and Modeling

Research Projects

- Live Speech Driven facial animation (lip-sync, head movements, and eye motions)
- Automated facial animation editing
- Perceptually-guided facial animation
- Sketch-based Facial modeling















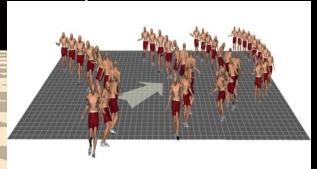


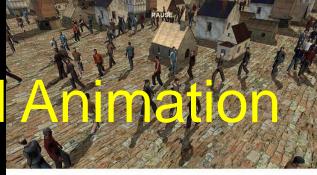


Character and Crowd

Research Projects

- Online auto-labeling of multiple interacting motion capture subjects
- Human motion data compression and retrieval
- Context-aware crowd motion diversification
- Crowd formation sketching and synthesis from examples





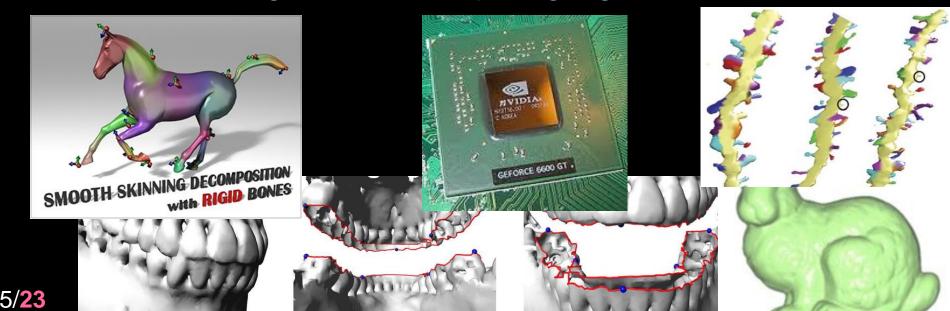






GPU Computing & High-Performance Graphics Algorithms

- Research Projects
 - Skinning Decomposition Algorithms
 - Raytracing on Multi-GPU Systems
 - Energy-efficient GPU and graphics computing
 - Interactive geometric computing algorithms

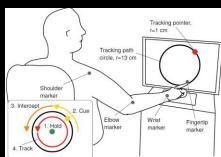


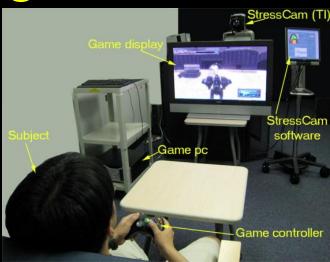
Human Computer Interaction and Gaming

Research Projects

- Improving gaming experience via adaptive difficulty adjustment
- Virtual environment augmented robot-assisted rehabilitation
- Text-driven avatar interface for mobile computing
- Gesture-interface based, mixed reality social game on smartphones









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