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EXPERIENCE

UC Davis Center for Mind and Brain

Research Assistant

Assisted in the running of experiments in Petr Janata's neuroscience lab. Programmed Max/MSP patches for use in the Music, Spirituality, Religion and the Brain project.

May 2007 – August 2008

tarp.ucdavis.edu

Freedom From Hunger

Intern

Researched, narrated, and edited audio to produce podcasts using Soundtrack Pro and Logic, which were published online for Freedom From Hunger Day, 2007.

July – September 2007

FreedomFromHunger.org

L.E.M.U.R.

League of Electronic Musical Urban Robots

Intern

Duties and work range from metal fabrication and construction of robots, to programming, and assisting in robot installation and performance.

January 2009 - current

LEMURbots.org

GUEST LECTURE/ CRITIC

Undergraduate Foundation Class, Parsons NYC

Presentation about the relationship between sound and visuals.

The following month, returned to the class as a guest critic, while students presented their projects based on this topic.

October 2008, April 2009

TEACHING EXPERIENCE

Parsons The New School of Design

Teaching Fellowship

Intro to Programming with the Processing IDE

July - August 2009

Parsons The New School of Design

Teaching Assistantship

Creativity and Computation course in the MFA DT program

September - December 2009

EDUCATION

Parsons The New School of Design

Design and Technology, MFA

Merit-based Graduate Dean's Scholarship

2008 - 2010

University of California, Davis

Technocultural Studies, BA

Music Composition, BA

2003 – 2008

University of California, Berkeley

Advanced Max/MSP Program, CNMAT

Summer 2007

COURSEWORK

Design and Education

Course to assist in preparation of transition into career in teaching and education in the field of design.

Spring 2009

SOFTWARE & PROGRAMMING

Max/MSP/Jitter

HTML/CSS

Logic Pro

Adobe CS4

ProTools

Ableton Live

Maya 2008

Mac OSX 10.5

C++/openFrameworks

Processing

Arduino

PIC Basic Pro

Soundtrack Pro

Final Cut Studio

Finale 2007

Windows