# **Ohan Oda**

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## Education

#### **Columbia University**

Ph.D Candidate Computer Science, (*Expected to graduate on August 2012*) Overall GPA: 4.00/4.00 Area of Emphasis: Computer Graphics, Augmented Reality

#### University of Wisconsin-Madison

B.S. Computer Engineering & Computer Science, *May 2005* Overall GPA: 3.91/4.0 Major GPA: 3.95/4.0

## **Research Experience**

#### Computer Graphics and User Interfaces Laboratory, Columbia University, New York

Graduate Research Assistant (Fall 2006 - current)

Advisor: Professor Steven Feiner

• Developed an augmented reality and virtual reality infrastructure based on XNA (downloadable from <a href="http://goblinxna.codeplex.com">http://goblinxna.codeplex.com</a>) and currently implementing several innovative techniques for augmented reality using the framework

Project Student (Fall 2005 & Spring 2006)

Advisors: Sinem Güven and Professor Steven Feiner

• Worked on the implementation of a mobile augmented reality treasure hunt game, as well as a mobile authoring tool for augmented reality.

#### The Languages and Compilers Group, Columbia University, New York

Project Student (Spring 2006)

Advisor: Professor Stephen Edwards

• Worked on the implementation of a compiler that compiles MATLAB code to SHIM, which is a concurrent, asynchronous, deterministic language designed for parallel computing on multiple processors.

#### MESA (Madison Embedded Systems and Architectures) Lab, UW- Madison

Project Student (Spring 2004 – May 2005)

Advisors: Professor Michael J. Schulte & Michael Redmond & Walter Block

- Worked on the 4D Cluster Visualization Project.
  - -- Designed and implemented a Graphic User Interface for the existing medical diagnosis program
  - -- Replaced Network File System with faster UDP socket transfer for loading medical images from multiple clusters

#### **Computer Vision & Graphics Lab, UW- Madison**

Project Student (Fall 2004 – May 2005)

Advisor: Professor Stephen Chenney

• Worked on the Partial Fracture of Brittle Objects, which was published in SIGGRAPH '05.

**Mengu Sukan, Ohan Oda, Xiang Shi, Manuel Entrena, Shrenik Sadalgi, Jie Qi, Steven Feiner,** "ARmonica: a collaborative sonic environment", UIST '10, New York USA, 3-6 October, 2010

**Ohan Oda, Steven Feiner,** "Rolling and Shooting: Two Augmented Reality Games", CHI EA '10, Atlanta Georgia USA, 10 - 15 April, 2010

**Ohan Oda, Steven Feiner,** "Interference Avoidance in Multi-User Hand-Held Augmented Reality" ISMAR '09, Orlando Florida USA, 19–22 October, 2009

**Ohan Oda**, **Levi Lister, Sean White, Steven Feiner**, "Developing an Augmented Reality Racing Game", INTETAIN '08, Cancun, Mexico, 8–10 January, 2008

**Ohan Oda**, **Neesha Subramaniam**, "Fast Dynamic Fracture of Brittle Objects in 3D", SIGGRAPH '06, Boston, MA, 29 July – 3 August, 2006 (Poster)

**Sinem Guven, Steven Feiner, Ohan Oda**, "Mobile Augmented Reality Interaction Techniques for Authoring Situated Media On-Site", IEEE ISMAR 2006 (International Symposium on Mixed and Augmented Reality), Apr 2006

**Ohan Oda, Stephen Chenney**, "Fast Dynamic Fracture of Brittle Objects," SIGGRAPH '05, Los Angeles, CA, 31 July - 4 August, 2005. (Poster)

## **Employment Experience**

#### Nokia Research, Santa Monica, CA

Research Intern (Summer Internship 2011)

- Revised an augmented reality framework, Goblin XNA, to work on Windows Phone 7.1
- Implemented an infrastructure to stream Kinect's depth map to Windows Phone, and view the mapped depth 3D mesh in the perspective of the phone to simulate a possible future phone with embedded depth sensor
- Developed a few augmented reality games on the phone utilizing the depth streamed from a Kinect

#### Microsoft Research, Washington, DC

Research Intern (Summer Internship 2009)

• Implemented 3D facility map application that visualizes the entire floor map of a hospital with information such as the positions of equipment, doctors, and nurses tracked by RFID tags using XNA and WPF 3D

## IBM Research, Hawthorn, NY

Research Intern (Summer Internship 2008)

- Designed and implemented a framework for augmented reality on smart phone using OpenGL ES and Studierstube marker tracker library under Windows Mobile environment
- Developed an application that visualizes product information and reviews using 3D avatars overlaid on top of the product

## GE Healthcare, Waukesha, WI

Software Engineer (Summer Internship 2004)

- Responsible for the code conversion from PvWave to IDL for one of the company's main product
- Improved the existing software's speed performance by 10%

- Designed and implemented medical analysis software using Java
- Six Sigma trained and passed the corporate exam

## GE Medical Systems, Waukesha, WI

Visualization Software Developer (Summer Internship 2003)

- Designed and implemented test programs for one of the GE's graphics libraries (JAMI)
- Responsible for developing a Java and C++ Filming API that supports filming medical images to an existing Film Composer
- Improved the filming speed by 300% compared to the existing Filming API
- Implemented 3D Images, such as cones and spheres in Java for testing volume rendering
- Awarded \$100 bonus for finishing my project ahead of schedule with better-than-expected performance

# Teaching Experience

## **Columbia University**

3D User Interface Design (Spring 2007 & Spring 2008 & AIIT)

• Taught several classes and helped preparing homework assignment as a Teaching Assistant under Professor Steven Feiner

Object-oriented programming and design in Java (Spring 2006)

• Worked as a Teaching Assistant Professor Sholomo Hershkop

Fundamentals of Computer Systems (Fall 2005)

• Worked as a Teaching Assistant Professor Prabhakar Kudva

# **Computer Skills**

**Programming Languages:** C/C++/C#, Java, OpenGL, DirectX/XNA, WPF Web Related: HTML, JavaScript, JSP, PHP, SQL