

Computer Graphics

Virtual Environments: Evaluation

Spring 2015

Evaluation

- You will work on an assignment during the course that will be submitted for evaluation
 - *Starting today!*
- Your assignment should demonstrate your understanding of how to implement concepts taught
- The assignment requires that you
 - **Develop an interactive 3D application**
 - **Document design and concepts applied in a report**
- Deadline 21th May.

Evaluation

- Should demonstrate concepts from each of the weekly topics (see next slides)
- Key here is that you demonstrate an understanding of the concepts taught
- If your work is based on something found online (i.e. shader technique), reference the source
- We value the programming and your code, so make sure your code is clean (readable) and document the code where it is needed
- Delivery document is very important for highlighting your strengths, as well as explaining how/why/what you did

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- Application can be either a simulation or a simple game
 - e.g. arcade game, interior design, educational or sport simulator
 - Can use (for example) Google Warehouse or contact us for help with models, if necessary
- Make sure your application does not limit you (in terms of what you can demonstrate)
- Feel free to contact the lecturers for feedback if you are unsure whether what you are trying to do is too simple or too complex

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- Report must describe
 - What you have developed
 - Why you developed this
 - How you developed it
 - Highlight all the usages of different techniques and concepts in your application. Detailing what it is, how it is implemented, (and why you implemented it).
 - Sketches/diagrams etc.
 - Reference to relevant code
 - How to use your application (so the examiner understands how to use it)

Evaluation – Recap of concepts (basic)

- Intro
 - Scene Graph (logical structure)
 - Coordinate Systems (World and local space)
 - Transformations
- Content
 - Geometry/Meshes (ie. build programmatically)
 - Appearance, MaterialDefinition
 - Shaders (simple effects, or something more complex?)
 - Lights
 - Transparency
 - Loading Models

Evaluation – Recap of concepts (basic)

- User Interaction
 - Input Handling, event listeners
 - Camera, handling and navigation
 - Picking
 - Separation of logic (AppStates and Controls)
- Animation
 - Interpolation (could build your own custom animation system)
 - Animation tricks using Shaders
 - Skeletal Animation
 - Animation listeners
 - Building keyframe animation programmatically

Evaluation – Recap of concepts (basic)

- Physics
 - Concepts from Simulation lecture
- Optimization
 - Optimize using techniques taught
 - If none are applicable you need to document why! Good idea to implement some anyway
- Immersion
 - ...
 - (Oculus Rift)
- (Other)
 - jME built in systems (terrain, water, particles etc) can be used to improve the appearance of your application, but solutions you code and describe yourself will give count more
 - -The more advanced stuff you do the better, but this should be considered extra, and you may not get any credit for it

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- You may be called in for an additional oral exam at the faculty's discretion
 - Oral exam focuses on work handed in

Advice, Questions, Guidance

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