Paola G. Olea

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EDUCATION

2019 | "Future Landscapes" Augmented reality and virtual reality School of Machines, Making & Make-believe, Galway, Ireland

2018 | School for Poetic Computation, New York, USA

2014 | Diploma in Interaction Design and Physical Computing Universidad del Desarrollo, Chile

2007 – 2011 | Bachelor of Design in Visual Communication Universidad Tecnológica Metropolitana, Chile

2004 – 2006 | Technician in Digital Graphic Production CFT UTEM, Chile

WORK EXPERIENCE

2021 - Present | UNAB | Virtual Reality Teacher

2021 - Present | WIP | TouchDesigner Teacher

2017 - Present | Brillo | Co-Founder, Creative Developer

2015 - 2017 | Imagina | Creative Developer

2014 - 2015 | Why | Creative Technologist

2013 - 2014 | Bond | Creative Technologist

2009 - 2012 | Promaticmedia | Creative Technologist

2008 - 2009 | OQO | Senior Developer

2007 - 2008 | Digitalmente | Senior Developer

2006 - 2007 | Diseñadora Asociados | Graphic Designer

SOFTWARE / HARDWARE

Unity, Touchdesigner, Notch, Processing, Openframeworks, P5, Arduino, Raspberry Pi, Cinema4D, Photoshop, Illustrator, After effects, Premier, Audition C#, C++, Javascript, ThreeJS, Python

RELEVANT PROJECTS

2020 | Hypha | Sundance New Frontiers, Texas, USA

Hypha is an immersive virtual reality story that takes the audience on a journey to cleanse Earth from man-made disasters by becoming a mushroom. From spore to mycelium, the audience can experience the life cycle of a mushroom to discover the importance of the Fungi Kingdom as the main bioremediation agent of Earth.

Conceptualization and design of interactions Developing and testing (Unity and HTC Vive) Visualization using Unity's VFX and ShaderGraph

2019 | Memorial Rocas

The first Augmented Reality interactive documentary made in Chile. Memorial Rocas AR, an immersive installation, which virtually reconstructs a memorial site.

Conceptualization and design of interactions
Researching and testing ARFoundation, ARCore, ARKit and Vuforia
Developing and testing in Vuforia
Visualization using Unity's VFX and ShaderGraph

2018 | Constellations

The Museo Interactivo Mirador opened a new building "Túnel Universo" which is the leading interactive exhibition about astronomy in Latin America. The purpose of the exhibition is for visitors to connect with the structure and the constellations of the stars, their location and the planetary configurations.

Leading & concepting the interactive product Developing and testing in Unity and Arduino Installation of interactive modules

EXHIBITIONS / PROJECTS

2021 | A.R.E Argumented Reality Exhibition Book | Generative Hut, Vetro Editions

2021 | Growing & Shine | Nur Festival, Kazán, Russia

2021 | Smog - Instancing - Infinity | Flux Galleries, NC, USA

2021 | Mantra | Festival Internacional Expresiones Contemporáneas, México

2021 | Where Are We Standing? | Ars Electronica

2020 | The Burst of Things | Sheffield DocFest

2020 | Hypha | Sundance New Frontiers, Texas, USA

2019 | Hypha | Museo del Hongo, Santiago, Chile

- 2019 | Memorial Rocas | Biennial of Media Arts y FiDocs, Santiago, Chile
- 2019 | Memorial Rocas | Amsterdam University, Netherland
- 2019 | Santiago 1875 | Carmen Museum of Maipú, Santiago, Chile
- 2019 | Teóra | Hardiman Research Building, NUI Galway, Ireland
- 2018 | Cripto | Castillo Hidalgo, Santiago, Chile
- 2018 | Plantoidus | Fauna Gallery, Santiago de Chile
- 2018 | Hidden Lights | School for Poetic Computation, New York, USA
- 2018 | The Sun | Mirador Interactive Museum, Santiago, Chile
- 2018 | Constellations | Mirador Interactive Museum, Santiago, Chile
- 2018 | The Stars | Mirador Interactive Museum, Santiago, Chile
- 2017 | Dragón Chino VR | Palacio de La Moneda Cultural Center, Santiago, Chile
- 2017 | Taira AR | Chilean Museum of Pre-Columbian Art, Santiago, Chile
- 2017 | Lo más pop de Andy Warhol | Palacio de La Moneda Cultural Center, Santiago, Chile
- 2016 | Paint with light | Palacio de La Moneda Cultural Center, Santiago, Chile
- 2016 | Diaguitas AR | Chilean Museum of Pre-Columbian Art, Santiago, Chile
- 2016 | La Barca Digital VR | Palacio de La Moneda Cultural Center, Santiago, Chile

TALKS / PRESENTATIONS

- 2021 | Feria Arte Cordoba PAISAJES TECNOPOÉTICOS | FA-CBA
- 2021 | TouchDesigner workshop day MUTEK.ES AR | MUTEK
- 2021 | TouchDesigner InSession
- 2020 | Virtual Visions: Promises and frustrations of technological escapism in periods of pandemic | Andrés Bello National University, Santiago, Chile
- 2019 | Inspirational talk | Ingeniosas, Santiago, Chile
- 2018 | Pantoidus Presentation | Girls in Tech, Valparaíso, Chile