Interior Architecture Portfolio

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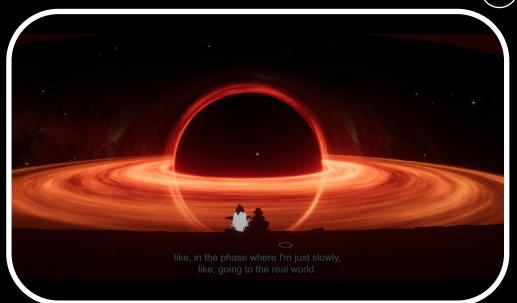




Away From Keyboard Webseries

Genres: Social & Cultural

This programme is: Quirky, Sentimental Relaxing



"Away from keyboard" is a 3 episode docuseries that invites spectators to view thought-provoking discussions conducted entirely within virtual reality. Recorded within a social media game named VRChat, each interview offers a unique exploration of digital immersion and identity, diving deep into the complexities and nuances of our online personas. Set on an island world, the atmosphere of the documentary reflects the waiting process of finding and interviewing participants, capturing the eerie sensation of hearing a human voice emanating from a digital avatar.



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How does the architecture of digital immersion influence our percieved identities?

Episode 1
Belonging



We delve into the tree island world of "Isolated Mind" to explore the concepts of belonging within virtual communities. Through the embodiment of similar-looking avatars and the intricate bonds we form with anonymous identities, this heartwarming episode presents an insightful introduction to the connections that arise in these digital environments.

Click here for episode

Episode 2
Belief



Set in the spaceship world of "Exoplanet Journey," this episode explores belief and speculation by examining the experiences and beliefs that shape our digital personas. As we navigate limitless possibilities, the episode prompts us to consider whether we spread ideology, compassion, or madness in anonymity

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Episode 3
Bodies



Set in the vacation world of "Sea Breeze," this episode examines how body language in virtual reality influences identity, online personas, and users' connections to their avatars. By exploring the various purposes of digital avatars, it emphasizes the contrast between discovering your true self and role play. Which path will you take?

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From dissecting the phenomenon of avatar customization to exploring the implications of virtual interactions on real-life relationships, no aspect of the digital self is left unexplored. With a focus on fostering digital anonymity as a device for open dialogue, empathy, and understanding, "Away from keyboard" celebrates the diversity of voices and perspectives that shape our digital experiences.





VRCHAT

Videogame is a online virtual world platform that allows users to interact with others with user-created 3D avatars and worlds. VRChat is designed primarily for use with virtual reality headsets. The game is made up of connected, user-generated worlds, through which users interact with each other using virtual avatars.



PERSONAL AVATAR

I created a personal avatar designed completely in 3D blender software and imported into the videogame through Unity game engine. The character has all reactive qualities for VR use such as hand movement and facial tracking.

SEE CHARACTER MOVE HERE

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Our world today is increasingly mediated by digital media such as video games, virtual worlds, internet and mobile phone technologies. As new media users continually re-create and re-shape their online identities, the representations of our selves as formed by digital technologies become increasingly complex, dynamic, personality-driven, disembodied and disidentified. The digital avatar in a virtual world is an explicit trope of this fluidity in re-creating and re-shaping identity. Defined as "an interactive, social representation of a user", an avatar acts and interacts in its virtual world in place of the person driving or controlling it, in turn constituting a representation of the self (of the user) in numerous ways from movement to identity to visual representation. The project explores how the modular qualities of entering digital bodies can help shape discourse with each other to furthermore enhance a sense of togetherness.

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EXPLORING

Discovering game interface Getting used to VR headset

Exploring worlds - seeing which worlds are most active for hanging out and conversation

Having VR sessions for getting used to talking to people online

Character Design

Picking worlds to revisit

Lowkey discussions with users about their opinions - not recorded

INTERVIEW

Developing Interview questions and themes to explore

Do you feel your avatar in VRChat reflects your true self, or does it represent a different aspect of your identity?

Can you recall a moment in VRChat where your avatar challenged your perception of yourself or others?

Can you share an experience in VRChat where your interactions challenged your views on identity, gender, or culture?

Looking for users to interview

Meeting in game

Meeting in through online communities

Interview and discussion Recorded

Editing Footage

Post-processing

DINGS

AVATAR CUSTOMIZATION & IDENTITY

- Avatar customization is often used in VR for depersonalization.
- Users customize avatars to build a specific alter ego.
- The embodiment of avatars can lead to a loss of personal physical identity.
- Sharing or stealing avatars is a notable phenomenon—players seek unique personal avatars tied to their in-game persona.
- A large portion of the player base identifies as trans or non-binary, using VRChat as a space for gender exploration and self-expression.

SOCIAL BEHAVIOR & ANONYMITY

- Anonymity in VR pushes people in two directions:
- · Genuine behavior reflecting their real-life persona.
- The creation of a completely new persona, sometimes used to spread controversial ideas for entertainment.
- The game fosters community-building through user-created worlds, often forming long-term social hubs.

PSYCHOLOGICAL & IMMERSIVE ASPECTS

- Users carry and use a mirror asset to stare at themselves and their avatars for hours, displaying a hyper-fixation on their fictional bodies.
- The more time spent in VR, the more immersive it feels, leading some players to feel "trapped" in the game.
- Spatial freedom in VR contrasts with real-world confinement—users can create limitless fantastical worlds, fostering escapism.

SEXUAL & ETHICAL DIMENSIONS

- Avatars and virtual spaces are frequently used for sexual exploration.
- \bullet Some interactions in VRChat cross consensual boundaries despite the digital setting.





The Solar Share (Horizontal prototype)

Winner of The Melkweg Award

2024

Based on a artistic research by DISNOVATION.ORG Art Collective Co-produced with DVIC ParisCo-commissioned by Hac Te with the support of ICFO and the STARTS program of the European Union

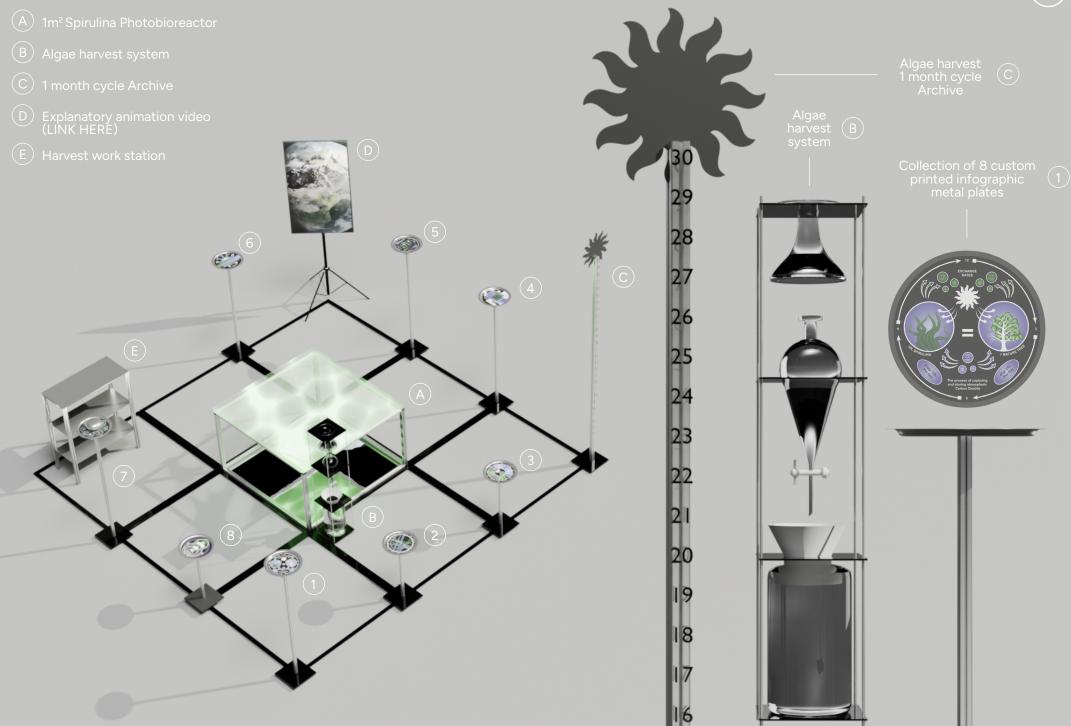
Exploring solar energy through the photosynthetic properties of Spirulina algae, the project features a production laboratory centred around a 1-square-meter Spirulina farm. Daily harvests are conducted, which, over time, represent the solar share—a speculative accounting unit, a consumable energy source, and a tangible measure of solar income. Targeted towards individuals working in ecosystem sciences, bioeconomy, the energy industry, and policy-making, aiming to engage these professionals in rethinking the utilization and valuation of solar energy.



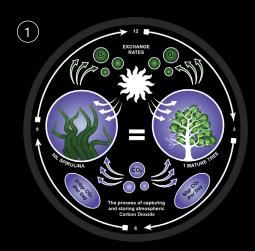
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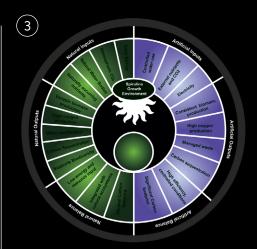




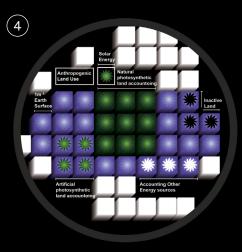
¹ Infographic based on atmospheric carbon storage - Designed as a carbon absorbtion comparison between spirulina and a mature tree.



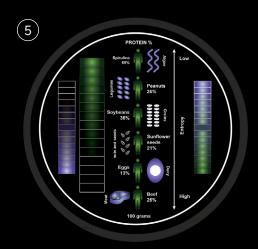
² Microscopic representation of Spirulina algae cyanobacteria



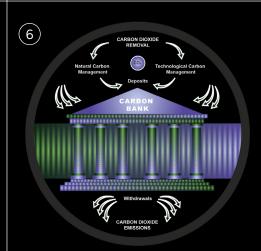
³ Spirulina growth value based on the comparison of a natural growth environment to an artifical environment



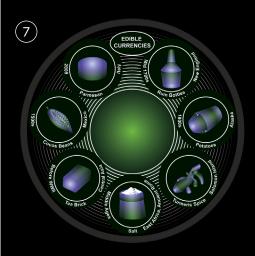
⁴ Value distribution system based on athropogenic land use.



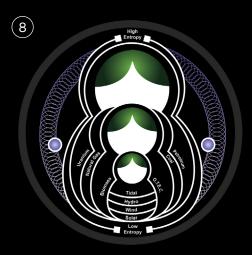
⁵ Protein value representation of Spirulina Algae in comparison to other protein sources such as beef, Eggs, Sunflower seeds and peanuts



⁶ Proposing the storage of carbon through photosynthetic processes as an atribute of monetary value in the economic system.



⁷ infographic representing already existing edible currencies throughout history and presenting their time period.



⁸ Infographic representation of energy entropy. Presenting high entropy energy systems towards low entropy energy systems (solar).

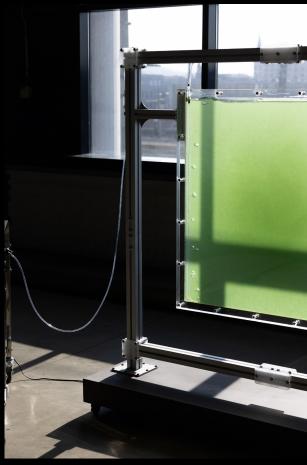






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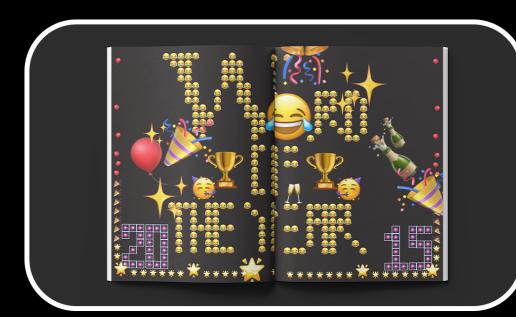
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- Fig. 2 The Solar Share(vertical) harvest trolley presented at Ars Electronica Linz, Austria 2024
- Fig. 3 The Solar Share(Horizontal) installation presented at Dutch Design Week 2024
- Fig. 4 The Solar Share daily harvesting presented at Ars Electronica Linz, Austria 2024
- Fig. 5 The Solar Share daily harvesting presented at Ars Electronica Linz, Austria 2024

Unicode Standard

Publication and visual/theoretical Research work

This project presents a research into the standardized digital language model UNICODE. The project focused on the lingo of emoticon characters, now known as emoji. This comprehensive investigation lead to a project presenting archived combinations or uses of emoji's for the purpose of censorship avoidance.

The main technique used was internet browsing and archiving leading to an investigation into the grey area of court cases that include emoji interpretation as evidence.

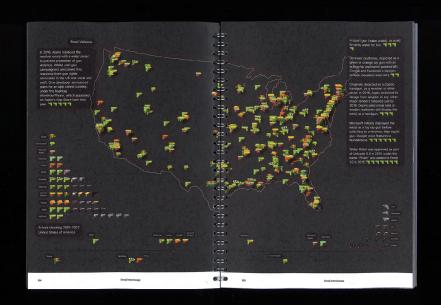


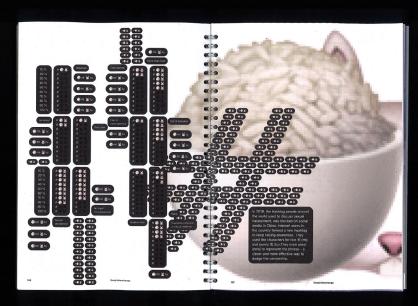


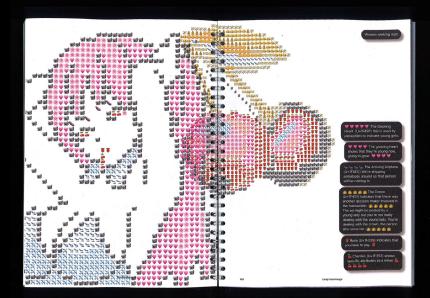


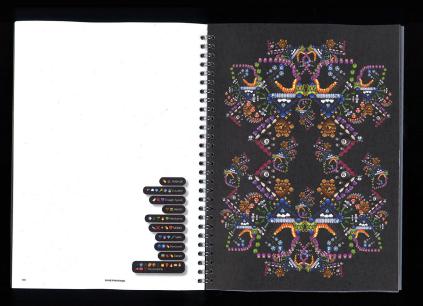


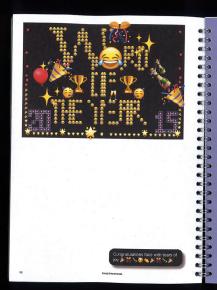












Kylym

Publication, Installation and visual/theoretical Research work

Project Kylym explores innovative, low-tech energy solutions designed for wartime resilience and self-sufficiency. The project examines the current composition of Ukraine's energy systems, their dependence on Russian resources, and the urgent need for alternative, locally sourced energy solutions. It aims to identify practical and accessible methods for energy generation, particularly in crisis situations where conventional infrastructure is compromised.

This project not only addresses the immediate energy needs of individuals in wartime conditions but also promotes self-built circuits using scrap electronics. By merging cultural heritage with survivalist innovation, Kylym redefines the role of everyday objects in energy autonomy and disaster response.

















Liminal Atlas

Spatial Design & Atlas Publication

The Project ventures into the states of liminality and awe, into the landscapes of the sublime. Aiming to uncover the essence of "what constitutes the uncanny and how can we reproduce it?". The project follows an immense archival practice into finding typologies of the liminal; The unknown entity, the mortal and the emortal, and the state of an out of body experience.

The project proposes an exhibition design inspired by the research of the visual archive on the theme of liminality.







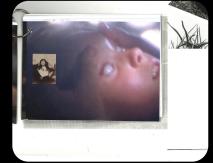




























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Analog

Exhibition/ Spatial Design

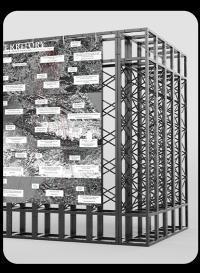






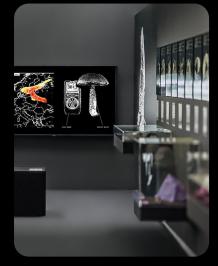














Architectural Visualization

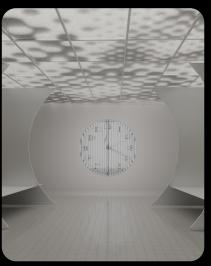




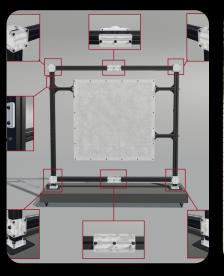
















Master Interior Architecture (INSIDE) Theme of Interest & Design Methodology

Accelerated Spaces

As part of the Master's in Interior Architecture at KABK, I would like to explore how the philosophical and cultural framework of accelerationism can inform spatial and interior design. Accelerationism, with its roots in political theory and speculative futures, interrogates the impact of ever-increasing speed, automation, and complexity on human life. Rather than aiming for a final outcome, I'm interested in using this project as an evolving platform to explore how these forces influence our spatial behaviors, perceptions, and experiences.

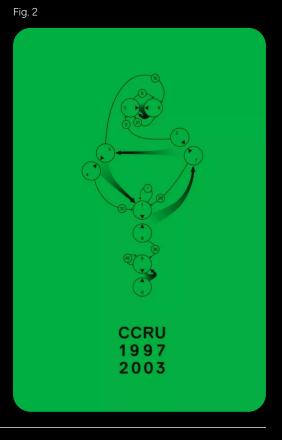
Fig. 1 - Cute Accelerationism by Amy Ireland and Maya B. Kronic Fig. 2 - CCRU writings 1997–2003

Cute Accelerationism by Amy Ireland and Maya B. Kronic (Fig. 1) and CCRU Writings 1997–2003 (Fig. 2) offer two radical approaches to perceiving and navigating the world, not only at the level of content but fundamentally as methodologies of thought and action.

Both texts reject traditional linear analysis in favor of embracing complexity, non-linearity, and emergent systems. Cute Accelerationism uses the aesthetics of cuteness—often seen as trivial or powerless—as a tool for destabilization and transformation, suggesting that affective, seemingly insignificant cultural forces can drive massive systemic changes. Methodologically, it teaches a sensitivity to the overlooked, an attentiveness to how "soft" forces mutate environments and subjectivities.

The CCRU writings, meanwhile, explode methodology itself: blending fiction, philosophy, occultism, and cybernetic theory into a process they call hyperstition—fictions that propagate themselves into reality. Their method is not about analysis but about intervention: injecting concepts into cultural circuits and letting them take on lives of their own.

















This research would be process-based and interdisciplinary, drawing from critical theory, digital culture, material exploration, and immersive design. I envision using tools such as speculative mapping, temporal design, virtual environments, and sensory interventions to investigate how acceleration can be embodied in space—not only visually or structurally, but also psychologically and emotionally.

By examining the blurred boundary between control and chaos, overstimulation and absence, I hope to question what kind of interiors emerge when space is shaped by accelerationist logic. The Master's program at KABK provides an ideal context for this inquiry—offering the space to challenge conventions, experiment with methodologies, and rethink how interior architecture can respond to the urgencies of our time.

Techniques for Research

Archival Visual Mapping Field research Visual Research Interviews

Fig. 1 - Imagery of breasts and beakers is combined in this fountain, designed by graduates Lolita Gomez and Blanca Algarra Sanchez based on the Korova Milk Bar from A Clockwork Orange and currently on display at Milan design week, 2021

Fig. 2 - Oltre Terra is an ongoing investigation conducted by Formafantasma focused on the history, ecology, and global dynamics of the extraction and production of wool. Commissioned by the National Museum of Oslo, and curated by Hanne Eide, the exhibition is on view from May 26th to October 1st 2023.

Fig. 3 - FEROX / The Forgotten Archives - Nicolas Polli, 2018

Fig. 4 - UK design team Dunne and Raby (Anthony Dunne and Fiona Raby) designed this "Teddy Bear bloodbag"

Fig. 5 - Superstudio – Continuous Monument, 1969

Fig. 6 - Custom Printing 4-Meter Inflateable Globe, Irene Stracuzzi, 2019

REFERENCES

