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Three finalists of IVRC2004 contribute to SIGGRAPH

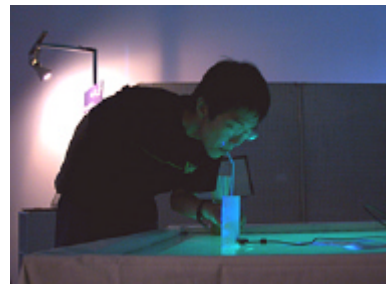
Three projects was accepted by SIGGRAPH2005 Emerging Technologies

IVRC is pleased to announce that three projects of IVRC2004 has been selected to show in the “Emerging Technologies” session for SIGGRAPH 2005, the 32nd International Conference on Computer Graphics and Interactive Techniques.

About accepted projects

In this time, SIGGRAPH2005 Emerging Technologies has select 3 projects from IVRC2004 finalists. They are, “Conspiratio”, the grand prix of IVRC2004, “Kobito -Virtual Brownies-”, the Gifu VR award and “TonTon”, the final nominates in IVRC2004. We are pleased to believe their originality are evaluated such as “SUI: straw like user interface”, making the invisible imps and the unique game system of “paper-sumo” using water surface interaction.

We have some message from students. Mr. Hashimoto, the leader of team Chikyu-bitto (Conspiratio) said, “We are greatly pleased about this acceptance by SIGGRAPH. In the presentation, we’ll buckle to work hard to success.” And Mr.Aoki, the leader of team Mikan (Kobito-Virtual Brownies-) said, “We are excited about starting the first step to world wide stage of our project. We remember that it was very difficult to tell our ability in IVRC, because of our concept of work wasn’t simple. For the future, we would like to realize our proposal to tell them for all participants via our presentation on the exhibition.” and Mr.Yabu, the leader of team Miyata-Beya (TonTon) said, “It is our pleasure that our project, TonTon got a chance to show at E-Tech. In the exhibition, we hope that lot of participants will enjoy our “paper-sumo” in underwater.”



“Conspiratio”, the grand prix of IVRC2004 playing by Mr.Hashimoto.

IVRC and SIGGRAPH

IVRC officially gives “submission supporting for SIGGRAPH” as a subsidiary prize since IVRC2002. We already succeeded to accept 3 projects, “Virtual Chambara”(IVRC2000 winner) at



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SIGGRAPH2002, “The Dimension Book”(IVRC2002 winner) at SIGGRAPH2003 and “Dis-Tansu”(IVRC2003 final nominates) at SIGGRAPH2004 as “Chair's Prerogative Exhibit” by Emerging technologies, the world finest interactive demonstration session. There are no special partnerships with SIGGRAPH then it means that the qualities of IVRC projects are very high.

About SIGGRAPH2005

SIGGRAPH2005 will hold on Los Angeles Convention Center (LACC) at 31st July to 4th August 2005. Additionally, some IVRC committee and graduated IVRC students will participate as contributors from Japan. Then IVRC committee will hold the 2nd “Birds of a feather” meetings at 2nd August at LACC. Its details will be shown at official website of IVRC and SIGGRAPH.

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