

BELDOCS XR Academy 2021 - 11th – 13th September 2021

Three day intensive workshop is structured in order to give participants the basic knowledge of immersive filmmaking and to teach them how to produce the VR content. Starting from participant's project the workshop will focus on authorship, development and production of an immersive experience in order to prepare them to pitch their VR-projects. The main goal of this programme is to bring participants together and involve them in the realisation of a prototype produced during the BELDOCS Academy 2021

The 3 day workshop will be structured with collective presentation, one to one session, individual and group work. Also, selection of VR experience's titles will be available for the participants in an immersive library all day long.

DAY I

Collective work

10:00- 12:00

Introduction to immersive storytelling

WHY I WANT TO TELL A STORY IN VR

- About the Medium
- Storytelling Techniques
 - Visual Approach
- Script VS Technology

12:30- 14:00

Introduction to immersive technologies

CREATIVE TECHNOLOGIES

- 360° camera
- Volumetric Filmmaking
- Photogrammetry and 3D Modeling
 - Immersive Sound
- Post-production Workflow

15:00 - 16:30

Focus on participants's project

- What it is my story about and how I want to tell it
- Group's discussion on each projects

DAY II

One to one session and groups's work

10:00 - 10:30

VR Development and Production (all together)

VR PRODUCTION: HOW TO PITCH AN IMMERSIVE PROJECT

Who is my audience ?

10:30 - 12:00

CREATIVE WRITING (one to one)

12:30 - 13:00

CREATIVE WRITING (one to one)

14:30 - 15:00

MASTERCLASS Ana Knežević

15:30 - 17:00

VR Prototyping

CREATIVE TECHNOLOGIES (one to one)

17:00 - 17:30

Workshop Summary and planning for the last day

DAY III

One to one session and group's work

ALL DAY WITH CREATIVE TECHNOLOGIST

10:00 - 17:00

Production of a VR Content

Groups work with hands-on techniques with the goal of setting up

17:00 - 18:00

FINAL PITCH

VR LIBRARY

The selection aims to show a variety of VR content with a diverse approach to VR storytelling:

HOME AFTER WAR

By Gayatri Parameswaran

BIOSPHERE

By Robert Fox

INSIDE COVID

By Wisdom VR Project

SPHERES

By Eliza McNitt

NOTES ON BLINDNESS

By James Spinney, Pete Middleton

RAINFRUITS

By Youngyun Song

INSIDE COVID

By Wisdom VR Project

ZERO DAYS VR

By Alex Gibney

VR NIGHTSSS

By Weronika Lewandowska, Sandra Frydrysiak

ANIMALIA SUM

By Bianca Kennedy and The Swan Collective

UNCEDED TERRITORIES

By Paisley Smith

DAY 1DAY 1

10:00 - 10:30	XR ACADEMY's presentation	M. Vukic, S. Tirelli	
10:30 - 11:00	Participants's presentation		
11:00 - 12:00	WHY I WANT TO TELL A STORY IN VR Introduction to immersive storytelling		
	COFFEE BREAK		
12:30 - 14:00	CREATIVE TECHNOLOGIES Introduction to immersive technologies		
	LUNCH BREAK		
15:00 - 16:30	FOCUS ON PROJECTS		
15:00 - 15:20	CLERK IN THE MEADOW	Sabīne Šnē	
15:20 - 15:40	NISTRU - The irreversible flow of life	Iurie Tocmas	
15:40 - 16:00	PLACE	Marko Mrvoš	
16:00 - 16:20	RUINS	Nemanja Ladjic	
16:20 - 16:30	Q&A GOALSandGOALS		
	BREAK		
17:00 - 18:00	Visit VR EXHIBITION		

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DAY 2

HOW TO PITCH AN IMMERSIVE PROJECT
Introduction to VR Development and Production

10:30 - 13:30	CREATIVE WRITING One to One session, Individual work, VR Library		
	ONE TO ONE SESSION	INDIVIDUAL WORK	VR LIBRARY
10:30 - 11:00	CLEAR IN THE MEADOW		
11:15 - 11:45	NISTRU - The irreversible flow of life		
COFFEE BREAK			
12:15 - 12:45	PLACE		
13:00 - 13:30	RUINS		
LUNCH BREAK			
14:30 - 15:00	MASTERCLASS with Ana Knežević		
COFFEE BREAK			
15:30 - 17:30	VR PROTOTYPING One to One session, Individual work, VR Library		
	ONE TO ONE SESSION	INDIVIDUAL WORK	VR LIBRARY
15:30 - 16:00	CLEAR IN THE MEADOW		
16:00 - 16:30	NISTRU - The irreversible flow of life		
16:30 - 17:00	PLACE		
17:00 - 17:30	RUINS		

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DAY 3

ALL DAY WITH CREATIVE TECHNOLOGIST

ONE TO ONE SESSION & GROUP WORK

10:00 - 10:30	Creative technologist presentation and day planning
10:30 - 12:00	
COFFEE BREAK	
12:30 - 14:30	
LUNCH BREAK	
15:30 - 17:30	
COFFEE BREAK	
18:00 - 18:40	FINAL PITCH
19:00 - 20:30	Winner announcement and Cocktail