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A Demonstration of Virtual Reality

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Currently, virtual reality technology is able to produce scenes, objects, persons, and events that manifest an interactive virtual environment into which the user is immersed through devices such as Head Mounted Displays and handheld controllers. Such technology allows the user to physically navigate and explore these environments as well as engage with the various objects that populate them. Accordingly, such virtual environments offer a new class of objects and experiences that are open to analysis and of interest for a variety of academic fields. The purpose of this demonstration is to offer the opportunity to experience such virtual worlds to those who might be interested. Using the HTC Vive, this will be a demonstration of Trials of Tatooine, a star-wars theme VR program that was created by ILMxLAB; however, other programs will also be available.

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