KRISTEN GILLETTE

ACADEMIC CV

EDUCATION

310.266.3295 ■ kgillett@ucsc.edu

M.F.A Digital Arts & New Media
UC Santa Cruz 2015

B.A. Design & Media Arts
UC Los Angeles 2003

SELECTED EXHIBITIONS + PROJECTS

2019 *Fish Tales Community Storytelling Event*, Santa Cruz
2018 *Form Arcosanti Festival*, Arcosanti, Arizona
2016 *GLOW Festival*, Santa Cruz Museum of Art + History, Santa Cruz
2016 *Neon Iceberg Robot*, Fort Mason Center for Arts & Culture, SF
2015 *New Alchemy*, Digital Arts & New Media MFA Exhibtion, UC Santa Cruz
2014 *LAST Festival*, Zero1, San Jose
2012 *Plaid & Flannel* {Solo Show}, Lexington Club, SF
2006 *SoundWaves* {Solo Show}, Full Support Gallery, Santa Cruz

SKILLS, RESEARCH & AREAS OF TEACHING FOCUS

PROFESSIONAL PRACTICE & RESEARCH

Graphic Design & UI/UX Design
Narrative Design + Visual Storytelling
Interactive & Playable Media
Illustration - Narrative, Character + Technical
Digital Performance
Activist Art, Actions & Interventions
Public Art / Collaborative Spaces & Projects
Digital Resistance & Hacktivism

AREAS OF TEACHING FOCUS

Course development
Lecture preparation & presentations
Hands-on studio presentations & tutorials
Theoretical discussion & analysis
Group synthesis, collaboration & critique
Interactive demonstrations of tools & techniques
Project & assignment development & integration
Research, ideation & writing development

SKILLS

Software + Programs	Coding Languages	Physical Production
Concept Mapping	HTML5, CSS, JS	Laser cutting / engraving
Graphic Editing	Java	Digital Photography
Vector, CAD & 3D	Max MSP	3D printing
UX & UI (Web + App)	Processing	Digital printing, offset + screen printing
App & Game IDE	Arduino	Basic material + textile construction
Video & Animation		

INSTRUCTION + TEACHING EXPERIENCE – LECTURER, UCSC ARTS DIVISION

ARTG 91 Intro to Game Art Production 2020 - 2019 INSTRUCTION + COURSE DEVELOPMENT
ART 80T Digital Tools for Artists 2021 - 2017 INSTRUCTION + COURSE DEVELOPMENT
ART 106O 2D Animation 2021 - 2016 INSTRUCTION + COURSE DEVELOPMENT
ART 10D 2D Foundation + ART 10F 4D Foundation + ART 184B - 3D Fabrication 2020
ART 80F Intro to Issues in Digital Media 2018, 2017

TA Experience 10+ Quarters