

# FABIOLA HANNA

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## EDUCATION

**MFA Digital Arts and New Media**, University of California Santa Cruz, June 2011  
**BA in Interdisciplinary Computing in the Arts**, University of California San Diego  
*Magna Cum Laude* 2009

## ACADEMIC EXPERIENCE

- Digital Arts and New Media, UCSC - Fall 2011
  - Lecturer, Taught Graduate class *Intro to Electronics for Artmaking*
  - Research Associate, Software As Culture Group
- FabLabSD + UCSD, La Jolla, CA - Ed Program Manager & Instructor, Summer 2011  
Developed and taught courses for Wearable Electronics,  
Intro to Electronics, DIY Robotics, and Intro to Creative Computing 101 & 102
- Film & Digital Media Dept, UCSC - Graduate Student Researcher, Spring 2011  
Translated books on Moroccan Cinema for Professor Peter Limbrick
- Art Department, UCSC - Teaching Assistant, UCSC 2009-2011
  - **Art 80C** Intro to Visual Arts with Derek Conrad Murray
  - **Thea 80D** Survey of Commercial Design with Brandin Baron-Nusbaum
  - **Art 80V** Issues and Artists with Robert Flynn Johnson
  - **Havc 143B** History of Urban Design with Daniela Sandler
  - **His 80Y** Memories of WWII in the Pacific with Alan Christy and Alice Yang
- FabLab SD, San Diego, CA + MIT
  - Program Coordinator, developed curricula and led program, Summer 2009
  - Lab Assistant Manager, 2008-2009
- FabTag project, Crawford High School, San Diego - Instructor, Spring 2009

## SELECTED INSTALLATIONS

- We Are History: A People's History of Lebanon
  - Permutations: MFA exhibition, Digital Arts Research Center, Santa Cruz, May 2011
  - Santa Cruz Museum of Art and History, March-April 2011
- News From the Future, Lunatic Binary, Digital Arts Research Center, Santa Cruz, March 2010
- u-hall, mobile interactive installation, Sub Zero Festival, San Jose, June 2009
- Electronic City, installation + month-long workshop, New Children's Museum, San Diego, April 2009
- New Media Lounge: Art Organizer and Founding Member, UCSD, 2007-2009
- Graffiti Life, software developed for play directed by Pose2, San Diego Lyceum Theatre, May 2009
- electroception, visuals for performance, The Loft, San Diego, March 2009
- Wake up! short performance, UCSD, October 2008
- Icons, computer vision algorithm that looks for icons in various spaces, 2008
- News Clusters, software installation, 2008
- Electronic Highways, visuals for performance at the Undergraduate Arts Festival, UCSD, May 2008
- GPS kick, cellphone-based locative happening, 2008
- RGB Abiogenesis, collective performance, 2008
- I'm running, electronics+film installation, 2007
- Conversations, web performance, 2007

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## HONORS, AWARDS, GRANTS, AFFILIATIONS

- UCSC Chancellor's Award, Graduate Research Symposium, Spring 2011
- Honorable Mention, Big Ideas White Paper Competition, CITRIS, Spring 2011
- Associate Fellow, Porter College, UCSC, Fall 2010 - Present
- Florence French Scholarship, DANM, UCSC, March 2011
- Porter Graduate Arts Research Committee, UCSC, January 2011
- Graduate Student Association Travel Grant, UCSC, December 2010
- Florence French Scholarship, DANM, UCSC, March 2010
- Outstanding Undergraduate Award, Visual Arts Department, UCSD, June 2009
- Senior Art Show Award, Honorable Mention, Visual Arts Department, June 2009
- Americorps LISC recipient, April 2009
- Russel Grant Recipient, UCSD, Winter 2008
- Warren College Provost's Honors, UCSD, 2007-2009

## PRESENTATIONS

- forthcoming talk at Middle East Studies Program at North Carolina State University, Raleigh, invited by Akram Khater, Spring 2012
- "Best\_of Presentations": Recombinant Serendipity, San Diego, June 12, 2009

## DIGITAL SKILLS

- **Programming Languages:** C/C++/Java, Processing, Arduino, Action Script, Max/MSP, Assembly, XHTML, Javascript/JQuery/JSON, Ajax, PHP and more...
- **Software:** Photoshop, Illustrator, Flash, After Effects, Dreamweaver, Final Cut Pro, Premier
- **Fabrication:** Electronics, Laser Cutter, Vinyl Plotting, 3D Milling, 3D Scanning, CNC milling, printmaking
- **Hardware:** PC & Mac, broadcast video, live video mixing

## LANGUAGES

English, French, Arabic

## ADDITIONAL MEDIA EXPERIENCE

- Freelance Web design, 2000-2003
- Photo and Video, Maha Hanna Photography, Lebanon, 1998-2003