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Virtual Reality Training Seminar - September 7<sup>th</sup> - September 17<sup>th</sup> 2010



**VRITS (Virtual Reality Intensive Training Seminar)** is a two week, intensive training institute on **Immersive Virtual Reality**. During this institute (September 7<sup>th</sup>-17<sup>th</sup>, 2010), you will learn how to design and program virtual reality worlds. Furthermore, you will receive instruction concerning the theoretical motivations behind using virtual reality as a methodological tool for social science research. Upon graduation from VRITS, you will be fully capable of designing your own virtual reality simulations as well as applying those simulations towards understanding a theoretical question concerning communication and social science research. The institute will provide you with room and board on campus during the two week institute.

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For the next three quarters (Fall, Winter, and Spring), you will be employed as a paid research assistant for that faculty member for **10 hours per week, at the rate of \$14 per hour**. You will work closely with that faculty member on the design, implementation and analysis level of at least one project.

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