INTERACTIVE MULTI-TOUCH ARTWORK DISPLAY

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PART I-Educational Puzzle:

- Create an interactive interface showing 25 artworks from San Diego Museum of Art (SDMA)

- Behind each artwork is a jigsaw game which rewards the client with information about the artwork through audio/video upon completion of the puzzle
PART II-Mobile Gallery:

- Create an interactive interface showing 25 artworks from San Diego Museum of Art (SDMA)
- Users can choose artworks from the touch table and transfer the information to their mobile devices
- With NICT’s location based wireless system, users can retrieve information of their chosen artworks from their mobile devices when they are near the artworks
PROGRESS

• Changed the interface of the puzzle game from a ring type to interactive Sudoku-like tiles

• Basic layouts for both interfaces are set

• The puzzle is working properly with single touch

• The puzzle and the initial interface of the puzzle game are integrated together without openExhibits
NEXT WEEK

- Improve the layout of the puzzle
- Attempt to fix transition lags of the puzzle game
- Optimization
- Look into the Japanese API for the location based wireless system provided by NICT with the help from Shimojo-sensei
JAPANESE CULTURE

PEOPLE:

- People are amazingly polite and helpful OoO!
  - Cashiers bow and speak respectfully
  - Train entrance guard (I am not sure what you call them) picked up the forgotten ticket and ran to hand it back to my partner
  - Say itadakimasu (Let’s eat!) before eating
  - Say gochisosama deshita (Thank you for the food), after eating
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ENVIRONMENT:
- Suburbia
- Amazing transportation system (punctual, pervasive, conditioning, and... a little bit expensive than the ones in U.S.)
- Beautiful surroundings
- Isolated workspace
Where we work

A surprised shot from Kaboyashi-san;
Lunch in NICT(eating ramen) ^_^

On our way home (50 minutes walk)
Huge clock in front of the ATR building

Japanese 7-11 ☕️
FOODS:

- Delicious and special
- Little vegetables – too bad for me (half vegetarian)
- Ramen and soba are wonderful; soups are great, too!
- Tried an uncooked shrimp, which was very creamy and sweet
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