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### EDUCATION

<b>PhD, Social and Cultural Analysis</b>	2023 - Present
Concordia University	
Dissertation: <i>"Nostalgia for the Future" - Three Essays on the Sociology of Nostalgia</i>	
Dissertation Advisor: Bart Simon	
<b>B.A., Sociology</b>	2018 - 2022
The University of British Columbia	
Directed Studies Thesis: <i>The Digitalized Other - Symbolic Interactionism and the Digital Self</i>	
Directed Studies Thesis Advisor: Seth Abrutyn	

### POSITIONS HELD

<b>Research Assistant and Co-Lead</b>	09/2025 - Present
LEAP Project, Université de Montréal and Concordia University	
<b>Co-Lead, Project Coordinator</b>	12/2024 - Present
LUDODROME: A Gathering of Experimental Games	
<b>Instructor</b>	01/2026 - Present
Sociology and Anthropology Department, Concordia University	
<b>Visiting Scholar</b>	08/2025 - 11/2025
Centre of Excellence in Game Culture Studies, Tampere University	
<b>Racial Justice Representative</b>	07/2025 - Present
Canadian Game Studies Association (CGSA)	
<b>Local Research Space Coordinator</b>	01/2025 - Present
Milieux Institute, Concordia University	
<b>Project Manager</b>	10/2022 - Present
The Nostagain Network	
<b>Research Assistant and Media Documentation Lead</b>	09/2022 - 04/2024
Minecraft and Material Allegories, SSHRC Insight Project, Concordia University	
<b>Research Assistant and OER Commons Webmaster</b>	01/2022 - 04/2023
Global Repository of Sociological Teaching, The University of British Columbia	

**DISTINCTIONS, AWARDS, AND SCHOLARSHIPS**

<b>(\$56,000)</b> Doctoral Graduate Fellowship	Concordia University	2023 - 2027
<b>(\$10,000)</b> Concordia Public Scholar	Concordia University	2025 - 2026
<b>(\$850)</b> Special Projects Fund	Concordia Council on Student Life	2025
<b>(\$2,750)</b> Quebec Mobility Bursary	Ministère de l'Enseignement Supérieur	2025
<b>(\$6,000)</b> Mitacs Globalink Research	Mitacs Canada	2025
<b>(\$450)</b> Special Event Coordination Fund	Technoculture, Art and Games (TAG) Centre	2025
<b>(\$750)</b> Special Projects Award	Concordia Council on Student Life	2024
<b>(\$207)</b> Conference and Exposition Award	Concordia University	2024
<b>(\$10,000)</b> Concordia Merit Scholarship	Concordia University	2023
Guest Presenter for the 3MT Challenge	Canadian Association for Graduate Studies	2023
<b>(\$1,000)</b> Final 5 Nationals Storyteller	Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council	2023
<b>(\$3,000)</b> Top 25 Nationals Storyteller	Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council	2023
<b>(\$750)</b> Special Projects Award	Concordia Council on Student Life	2023
<b>(\$1,000)</b> Student Research Feature Award	Hexagram Research Network	2023
<b>(\$500)</b> Dean's Special Initiative Award	Concordia University	2022
National Volunteer Recognition Award	MusicBox Children's Charity	2022
<b>(\$100)</b> Best Paper Presentation Award	Northwest Council on Family Relations	2022
Volunteer of the Year Award	MusicBox Children's Charity	2021
Normative Stream Research Award	UBC Undergraduate Research Opportunities	2021
<b>(\$15,000)</b> Outstanding International Student	University of British Columbia	2018 - 2019

**PUBLICATIONS****Peer Reviewed Journal Articles**

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2025. "Internet Pitstops: YouTube as a Place for Reimagining Social Time with Nostalgia." *Time & Society*, 1-27. doi: 10.1177/0961463X251358588

Chodkowski, Rowena, **Richy Srirachanikorn**, Annie Harrisson, Derek Pasborg, and Shahrom Ali. 2025. "Designing for Meaning: Uniting Creative and Scholastic Research through Collective Practices in Event Design." *International Journal on Stereo & Immersive Media*, 8(2):72-95. doi: 10.60543/ijsim.v9i1.9383

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2024. "Lost Again: Refractive Nostalgia and Video Games." *Press Start*, 10(1): 25-45.

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2023. "Contained in Crises: Youth's Experiences of (Digital) Familyhood During COVID-19." *Sojourners Undergraduate Journal of Sociology* 14/15(1): 1-25.

\* **Paper Presentation Award**, Northwest Council on Family Relations.

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2022. "Forgetting What We Have Learnt: The Digitalized Other and Implications for Students in COVID-19 Classrooms." *Sociological Teaching*, 1(2): 5-23.

**Peer Reviewed Book Chapters**

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2026. "A Psycho-Sociology of Virtualization: Understanding Hikikomori with Video Games." Pp. 81-96. In *Video Games and Mental Health: Perspectives of Psychology and Game Design*, edited by F. A. Igarzábal, C. Comeau, E. Guardiola, C. Johann, and K. Tillmans. Transcript.

**Non-Refereed Publications**

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2025. "Nostalgia on the News!" Blog Post. October 7.

(<https://richysrirachanikorn.wixsite.com/home/post/nostalgia-on-the-news>).

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2025. "La nostalgie n'a jamais appartenu au passé." *Le Devoir*. July 24.

(<https://www.ledevoir.com/opinion/idees/903205/nostalgie-jamais-appartenu-passe>).

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2024. "Nostalgia Never Belonged to the Past." Blog Post. July 24.

(<https://richysrirachanikorn.wixsite.com/home/post/nostalgia-never-belonged-to-the-past>).

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2023. "A/B Testing – Allegories & Builds." *Minecraft Bloc*. November

1. (<http://minecraftbloc.milieux.ca/a-b-testing-allegories->).

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2023. "Building Fun is Different from Building a Palace." *Minecraft*

*Bloc*. October 15. (<http://minecraftbloc.milieux.ca/building-fun-is-different-from-building-a-palace/>).

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2023. "Nostalgia for the Future... with a Board?" Blog Post. March 30.

(<https://richysrirachanikorn.wixsite.com/home/post/nostalgia-for-the-future-with-a-board>).

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2023. "The LOST/AGAIN Symposium, Presented by Richy Srirachanikorn."

*Hexagram Research Network*. February 18. (<https://hexagram.ca/en/demo28-richy-srirachanikorn-lost-again/>).

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2023. "Defining LOST/AGAIN." *The Nostagain Network*. February 17.

(<https://nostagain.ca/2023/02/17/why-lostagain/>).

Srirachanikorn, Richy 2023. "Cementing Modernity." Article. *Minecraft Bloc*. January 31.

(<http://minecraftbloc.milieux.ca/cementing-modernity/>).

Srirachanikorn, Richy 2022. "Greatness from Tall Beginnings." *Minecraft Bloc*. December 21.

(<http://minecraftbloc.milieux.ca/greatness-from-tall-beginnings/>).

Srirachanikorn, Richy 2022. "Dying to Live: First Impressions of Modded Minecraft." *TAG*

*Research Centre*. August 6. (<https://tag.hexagram.ca/dying-to-live->).

Srirachanikorn, Richy 2021. "Kids at Home Aren't Really 'At Home' During COVID-19."

*The Digitalized Other*. December 15. (<https://richysrirachanikorn.wixsite.com/home/post/kids-at-home-aren-t-really-at-home-during-covid-19>).

**Published Collective Body or Works**

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2023. "All They Wanted was Just the Tip." Poem. *Internet Girlfriend Club* 12(4). March 22. (<https://internetgirlfriend.club/volume12/4.html>).

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2023. "Snapshots of the Fun Palace Minecraft Project." Visual Collection.

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2022. "Youth's Explorations of Self and Digital Familyhood During the COVID-19 Pandemic." Abstract Excerpt. *Canadian Journal of Undergraduate Research, AUSxURO Arts Research Awards 2022 Special Edition*:18-19.

**Artifacts, Software, Demonstrations**

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2025. "Premature Encapsulation." *Love & Loss Symposium*. [Material Art].

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2024. "A Box of ChocoLATEs." *Time in a Bottle Symposium: Containers and Criticisms of Nostalgia*. [Material Art].

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2024. "Bot-TOLD up Time." *Time in a Bottle Symposium: Containers and Criticisms of Nostalgia*. [Diorama Installation].

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2023. "Survival Multiplayer Server Report." *The Fun Palace SMP*. [1960s UK-styled Work Reports].

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2023. "The Global Warning Nostalgic Wall." *LOSTAGAIN/NOSTALGIA Symposium on Digital Nostalgia*. [Wheelable Interactive Art Board].

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2022. "Where is My Sun?" *TAG Solar Game Jam*. [Web Browser Game]. (<https://bionasard.itch.io/whereismysun>).

**Ongoing Works**

Srirachanikorn, Richy. (Forthcoming). *Games and Nostalgia for the Future*. edited by R. Srirachanikorn. Psychgeist and Play Story Press.

Srirachanikorn, Richy. (In Progress). *Playing with Nostalgia: a Guide for Psychology, Sociology, and Game Studies Research on Video Games and Nostalgia*.

Chodkowski, Rowena and **Richy Srirachanikorn**. (In Progress). "I Miss the Old Future': Frutiger Aero as Nostalgic Creative Critique."

Lajeunesse, Marc and **Richy Srirachanikorn**. (In Progress). "WoW Classic and Nostalgic Disjuncture." In *The Psychgeist of World of Warcraft*. Psychgeist and Play Story Press.

**RESEARCH PRESENTATION AND COMMUNICATION****Invited Talks**

**Srirachanikorn, Richy**, Polina Shubina, and Laura Magnusson. 2026. "Mapping the Constellations: Concordia's Interdisciplinary Research Network— and How to Get Involved!" Doctoral Mentorship Program, Concordia University. Virtual. February 27.

**Srirachanikorn, Richy** and Sarah Chamberland-Fontaine. 2026. "Planting Ahead: Nostalgia for the Future of Greenspaces." Concordia University engaAGE laboratory. February 19.

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2026. "Social Media and Public Scholarship." Workshop facilitator for the Strategic Public Communications Training Program, School of Graduate Studies, Concordia University. Virtual. February 19.

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2025. "Introduction to Public Scholarship featuring Richy Srirachanikorn." Guest Speaker at the Strategic Public Communications Training, run by Alice Vervaeke. Virtual. January 29.

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2025. "How do You Play with Nostalgia?" Speaker at the Research Institute Day: Open House at Milieux, Concordia University, Montreal. November 12.

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2025. "Taking the Metso, the Retro, and the Algo(s): On Nostalgia and Video Games." Guest Speaker at the OASIS Centre at the Centre of Excellence in Game Culture Studies, Tampere University, Finland. September 11.

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2025. "Retro, Prospo, or IDK...?" Keynote Speaker at the ReAnimate Summer School, Université de Montréal and Concordia University, Montreal. June 13.

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2023. "The Allegorical Build: Material Allegories and Minecraft." Special Guest Presenter at the National 3 Minute Thesis Showcase, Canadian Association of Graduate Studies at Delta Ocean Pointe Resort, Victoria. November 10.

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2023. "Material Allegories and *Minecraft*: The Allegorical Build." National Final Five at the Storytellers Competition at Congress 2023 of the Federation for the Humanities and Social Sciences, York University, Canada. May 29.

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2022. "Ideology and Politics: Part II." Guest Lecture. SOCI 221: Digital Culture, Concordia University, Canada. March 8.

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2020. "Working with Young Children." MusicBox Children's Charity Volunteer Day. University of British Columbia, Canada. Virtual. October 12.

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2020. "How do you Keep Water Still? A Buddhist's Take on Suffering and Unrest." Rotary Hospice House, Vancouver, Canada. Virtual. October 4.

### **Conference Presentations**

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2026. "Trapped in the Past: Nostalgia as Frames of Reference." Frames of Reference: Nostalgia Symposium and Research Creation Expo. Concordia University, Canada. February 13.

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2026. "Playing with Time: Roblox Tycoon Games from a Sociology of Time Perspective." Roblox Birds of a Feather Workshop, Institute of Research on Digital Literacies, York University. Virtual. January 29.

Srirachanikorn, Richy and Rowena Chodkowski. 2025. "Seeing New Things with the Old Future:

Negotiating Frutiger Aero's Retrofuturism on YouTube." Retrofuturism 3.0 Symposium, Virtual. August 28-29.

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2025. "Let's Go Bowling, Nostalgia." Canadian Game Studies Association (CGSA/ACÉJ) Annual Conference. Concordia University, Canada. June 7-10.

Chodkowski, Rowena and **Richy Srirachanikorn**. 2025. "I Miss the Old Future: Frutiger Aero, YouTube Visual Playlists and Generative Nostalgia." Music and the Moving Image. New York University, New York. May 30.

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2025. "Nostalgia is an Offer You Can't Refuse." LOVE & LOSS Nostalgia Symposium and Research Creation Showcase. Concordia University, Canada. February 14.

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2024. "Passing on the Past: *Hikikomori Life* and Nostalgia." Canadian Game Studies Association (CGSA/ACÉJ) Annual Conference. Concordia University, Canada. June 18.

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2024. "The Time Capsule." Time in a Bottle Symposium: Containers and Criticisms of Nostalgia. Concordia University, Canada. February 2.  
—— "Creative Nostalgia and Research Creation."  
—— "For the Future's Future." Closing Words.

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2023. "Problematizing the Sixth Sense with Nostalgia." PhD Seminar. Concordia University, Canada. November 28.

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2023. "Lost Again to be Found: Refractive Nostalgia and Video Games." Canadian Game Studies Association (CGSA/ACÉJ) Annual Conference. Virtual. June 9.

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2023. "Lost Again: Refractive Nostalgia and the Generative Potential of Digital Memory." Premier Colloque Étudiant Colloque de Centre de Recherche Interuniversitaire Sur Les Humanités Numériques (CRIHN). Université de Montréal. April 4.

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2023. "A Timely Place: LOSTAGAIN/NOSTALGIA." LOSTAGAIN/NOSTALGIA Symposium on Digital Nostalgia. Concordia University, Canada. February 4.  
—— "The Boundaries of Nostalgia and Play: The Third Space and the Magic Circle."  
—— "The Problem with this Millennium." Keynote.

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2022. "Getting to that Timely Place: Club Penguin, Cedric Price, and Nostalgia." OCAD x Concordia Pecha Kucha. Milieux Institute, Concordia University, Canada. December 9.

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2022. "Play During Pandemic: Youth's MMORPG Experience of Digital Familyhood During the COVID-19 Pandemic." Northwest Council on Family Relations Conference. (Virtual). April 29.

**\* NWCFR Best Paper Presentation Award 2022.**

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2022. "Cordless Connections, Troubling Times: Youth's Experience of (Digital) Familyhood During COVID-19." Multidisciplinary Undergraduate Research Conference, University of British Columbia, Canada. March 20.

### **Workshop, Conference, And Symposium Organizations**

Chamberland-Fontaine, Sarah, Nicole Yu, **Richy Srirachanikorn**, and Carly Ziter. 2026. *Planting Ahead: Nostalgia and Greenspaces Workshop*.

Srirachanikorn, Richy, Derek Pasborg, Rowena Chodkowski, Annie Harrisson, TJ McPherson, Ruth Webber-Juggoo, Zo Kopyna, and Cate Alexander. 2026. *Frames of Reference: Nostalgia Symposium and Research Creation Expo*. 4TH SPACE, Concordia University. Hybrid. February 13.

Srirachanikorn, Richy, Pramila Choudhary, and Sabina Rak. 2025. *Weaving Stories of Home*. Milieux Institute, Concordia University. In-person. November 25.

Hughes, Lynn, **Richy Srirachanikorn**, Sofía López-Asselin, Oliver Gullikson, and Seb Meunier. 2025. *LUDODROME: Une Célébration de la Communauté des Jeux Expérimentaux de Montréal! A Celebration of Experimental Games in Montreal*. Société des arts technologiques, Montreal. In-person. May 15.

Srirachanikorn, Richy, Corine Dufresne-Deslières, Simone Courville, Amina Benfetima, and Constantina Vossos. 2025. *Spring into Nostalgia! / Plonger dans la Nostalgie!* 4TH SPACE, Concordia University. In-person. May 12.

Srirachanikorn, Richy, Derek Pasborg, Annie Harrisson, Rowena Chodkowski, Ryu Pinveha, and Miruna Popovici. 2025. *Love & Loss: Nostalgia Symposium and Research Creation Event*. 4TH SPACE, Concordia University. Hybrid. February 14.

Borst, Chris, and **Richy Srirachanikorn**. 2024. *Constructions of Childhood: Where Are We Now and Where Are We Going?* Sociology of Childhood and Youth Cluster – Canadian Sociological Association. McGill University. June 15.

Srirachanikorn Richy, Annie Harrisson, Derek Pasborg, Rowena Chodkowski, and Shahrom Ali. 2024. *Time in a Bottle: Criticism and Containers of Nostalgia*. 4TH SPACE, Concordia University. Hybrid. February 2.

Srirachanikorn, Richy, Cristian Zaelzer, and Leo Morales. 2023. *The Spaces We Lost, and Nostalgia Recalled*. Milieux Institute, Concordia University. In-person. March 18.

Srirachanikorn, Richy, Derek Pasborg, Leo Morales, Shahrom Ali, Annie Harrisson, Rowena Chodkowski, and Poki Chan. 2023. *LOSTAGAIN/NOSTALGIA Symposium on Digital Nostalgia*. Milieux Institute. Hybrid. February 4.

### **Media Produced Research**

Dugu, Elizabeth and **Richy Srirachanikorn**. 2026 (February 19). "Episode 1: Unexamined Politeness, Taoism, and Grad School." *Hermit Warrior* podcast and YouTube series.

- Pasborg, Derek, Rowena Chodkowski, **Richy Srirachanikorn**, Zo Kopyna, and Ruth Webber-Juggoo. 2025 - Present. *Memorabilia.mp4: A Live Webseries on Generative Nostalgia*. ([https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL7ts11EJ530hq\\_\\_ZmTIY4N4UmHt7d4Pb8](https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PL7ts11EJ530hq__ZmTIY4N4UmHt7d4Pb8)).
- Pasborg, Derek, **Richy Srirachanikorn**, Zo Kopyna, and Jessica Villarasa. 2025 (December 10). *YouTube*. ([https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-hT\\_3wSWG\\_o](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-hT_3wSWG_o)).
- Pasborg, Derek, **Richy Srirachanikorn**, Zo Kopyna, Ruth Webber-Juggoo, Christopher Moore, and Panos Michalakopoulos. 2025 (December 3). *YouTube*. “memorabilia.mp4 ~ Episode VII: Christopher Moore.” (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=NZgQKLGZWcU>).
- Pasborg, Derek, **Richy Srirachanikorn**, and Alex Klexber. 2025 (October 29). “memorabilia.mp4 ~ Episode VI: Alex Klexber.” *YouTube*. (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Nmg1C20sl6E&t=880s>).
- Pasborg, Derek, **Richy Srirachanikorn**, and Nancy Long. 2025 (October 5). “memorabilia.mp4 ~ Episode V: Nancy Long.” *YouTube*. (<https://youtu.be/y0EMX8KTCvU>).
- Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2024 (May 11). “SUPERCUT | Time in a Bottle Nostalgia Symposium 2024.” *YouTube*. (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZPjD437OUo0&t=396s>).
- Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2024 (May 10). “A Time Capsule – Richy Srirachanikorn | Time in a Bottle Symposium 2024.” *YouTube*. (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cWQXxMStJ3Y&t=39s>).
- Srirachanikorn, Richy and Bart Simon. 2023 (November 19). “Stuck Between a Block and a Hard Place Ep 3 – Mod Madness!” *YouTube*. (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8XnqIF8cy1s>).
- Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2023 (November 5). “Stuck Between a Block and a Hard Place Ep 2 – Minecraft as Research?” *YouTube*. (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8FzMIQtdeCA&t=75s>).
- Srirachanikorn, Richy and Derek Pasborg. 2023 (June 18). “The Fun Palace: Cultural Politics with Derek Pasborg (and Soci Richy).” *YouTube*. (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=T3l0vjQE3U8>).
- Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2023 (May 8). “Setting the Stage – SSHRC Storytellers 2023 Promo (Richy Srirachanikorn).” *YouTube*. (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JS70ZqvAz2A&t=55s>).
- Srirachanikorn, Richy, Bart Simon, and Darren Wershler. 2023 (May 2). “Introducing the Allegorical Build – Bart Simon and Darren Wershler.” *YouTube*. (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9zZHdWV4s6w>).
- SSHRC-CRSH. 2023 (April 17). “Richy Srirachanikorn—The Allegorical Build: Material Allegories and Minecraft.” *YouTube*. (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Qy0Nr88JchY&t=62s>).
- The Nostagain Network. 2022 (November 12). “What Are We About? | LOSTAGAIN Symposium 2023.” *YouTube*. (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=rJM9SUNQjXY>).

Srirachanikorn, Richy. 2020 (August 12). "The Tree, the Pole, and You: A Short Sociological Reel on Drugs and Stigma." *YouTube*. ([https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tC7yt\\_QmkWQ](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tC7yt_QmkWQ)).

## TEACHING EXPERIENCE

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### Course Instructor

SOCI 221: Digital Culture	Concordia University	01/2026 - 04/2026
SOCI 203: Introduction to Society	Concordia University	09/2023 - 12/2023

### Teaching Assistant

ANTH 378: The Family	Concordia University	09/2024 - 12/2024
SOCI 221: Digital Culture	Concordia University	01/2023 - 04/2023

### Teaching Areas

1. Digital culture: community, identity, representation, media hegemony
2. Video games as critical objects of ideology
3. Nostalgia and/as social action
4. Sociology of Time: critiques of Western time narratives and institutions
5. Symbolic Interactionism and the Self
6. Postmodernity, liquid modernity, hauntology and culture
7. Posthumanism and Actor-Network Theory
8. Qualitative Methods: object elicitation, interviewing, digital ethnography
9. Classical Sociological Theory
10. Contemporary Sociological Theory

### Course Development

**Digital Culture and Society** Concordia University 01/2026 - 04/2026

Undergraduates learn how the sociological imagination, methods, and theories apply to digital culture. Topics include: selfies and Goffman's idea of the Self, Foucault's panopticon and digital surveillance, C. W. Mills and the reach of social issues on social media platforms, Marx and Gramsci on ideology.

**Conceptual Shorelines** Milieux Institute 04/2025 – 08/2025

Graduate students from multidiscipline visit two eroding shorelines in Montreal and documented their relationship and nostalgia with the water bodies. They cite class readings, techniques from sensory ethnography, research creation, journaling, and relevant theory. *Developed alongside Dr. Kregg Hetherington, Patrizio McLelland, Sarah Yems, Angelica Pliego, and Polina Shubina.*

**Uncapturing Meaning** Concordia University 09/2023 - 12/2023

Directed graduate studies project with Dr. Bart Simon, exploring theories and methods from actor-network theory, posthumanism, object elicitation studies, and material culture.

**The Digitalized Other** The University of British Columbia 01/2022 - 04/2022

Directed studies course with Dr. Seth Abrutyn exploring theories of the self from classical and contemporary sociology theory, producing a 25-page paper theorizing its link with digital culture.

### Student Mentorship

Zo Kopyna Concordia Professional Internship Study 06/2026 – 08/2026

Constantina Vossos, Psychology	The NOSTAGAIN Network	03/2025 - 08/2025
Miruna Popovici, Psychology	Concordia Mentorship Program	09/2024 - 12/2024
Beatrice Cardillo, Political Science	Concordia Mentorship Program	01/2024 - 04/2024

## SERVICE

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### **Game Studies**

Racial Justice Representative	Canadian Game Studies Association	07/2025 - Present
Event Organizer and Co-Founder	LUDODROME Experimental Games Team	11/2024 - Present
Reviewer	Press Start Game Studies Journal	01/2023 - Present

### **Nostalgia Studies**

Event Organizer and Outreach	Collectif Nostalgie UQAM x Concordia	11/2024 - 06/2025
Project Manager and Co-Founder	The NOSTAGAIN Network	10/2022 - Present

### **Sociology**

Graduate Studies Co-Editor	Pedagogy Series Journal	09/2022 - 01/2023
Sole Undergraduate Co-Editor	Pedagogy Series Journal	01/2020 - 09/2022

### **Professional Research Communities**

Phase One Jury	11 <sup>th</sup> SSHRC Storytellers Competition	10/2024 - 12/2024
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## MEDIA APPEARANCES

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Luaces, Raquel. 2025 (December 17). "A Contemporary Tribute Website: Checkpoints, Digital Grieving and Collective Memory." *Institute of Network Cultures*. (<https://networkcultures.org/blog/2025/12/17/a-contemporary-tribute-website-checkpoints-digital-grieving-and-collective-memory/>).

Kykkänen, Esko. 2025 (October 7). "I Took My Old Video Games to a Store in Tampere – a Tidy Sum was Revealed from the Depths of my Closet." *Aamulehti*. (<https://richysrirachanikorn.wixsite.com/home/post/nostalgia-on-the-news>).

Maskell, Chris. 2025 (June 16). "Meet Concordia's 2025-2026 Public Scholars." *Concordia University*. (<https://www.concordia.ca/news/stories/2025/06/16/meet-concordia-s-2025-26-public-scholars.html>).

Milieux Institute. 2025 (April 29). "Grief in the Garden: Nostagain's Love & Loss Symposium." (<https://milieux.concordia.ca/grief-in-the-garden-nostagains-love-loss-symposium/>).

4thSpace Concordia. 2024 (August 26). "The Time Capsule with Richy Srirachanikorn" *Spotify*. ([https://open.spotify.com/episode/2f4TPGzN1bbuvUIB25sF0g?si=6999dfce184a447e&nd=1&dlsi=22edc3f94cc9484b#=\\_](https://open.spotify.com/episode/2f4TPGzN1bbuvUIB25sF0g?si=6999dfce184a447e&nd=1&dlsi=22edc3f94cc9484b#=_)).

Radio-Canada. 2023 (November 12). "Le Grand Retour Du Tamagotchi?" *ICI Toronto*. (<https://ici.radio-canada.ca/nouvelle/2026147/jeu-animal-creature-virtuel-club-rassemblement>).

The Suburban. 2023 (June 3). "Concordia University Student Wins National Competition by Demonstrating Benefits of Using Video Games to Rethink Learning and Digital

Classrooms.” (<https://www.thesuburban.com/townnews/parliament/>).

Hexagram Research Network. 2023 (February 22). “Le Colloque LOST/AGAIN, Présenté par Richy Srirachanikorn. The LOST/AGAIN Symposium Presented by Richy Srirachanikorn” Hexagram Website. (<https://hexagram.ca/en/demo28-richy-srirachanikorn-lost-again/>).

Milieux Institute. 2022 (December 2). “Milieux Virtual Open House | Meet Our Studio-Labs.” *YouTube*. (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=YLLZ1IA-XTc>).

## **PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS**

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### **Game Studies**

1. Roblox ‘Birds of a Feather’ Network, Institute of Research on Digital Literacies
2. DIGRA, Digital Games Research Association
3. LUDODROME Community: Montreal, Canada
4. Centre of Excellence in Game Studies Culture: Tampere, Finland
5. Press Start Journal: Montreal, Canada
6. Canadian Game Studies Association
7. Technoculture, Arts and Games Research Center: Montreal, Canada

### **Sociology**

1. Sociology of Childhood and Youth Research Cluster: Canada
2. Internet, Technology, and Digital Sociology Research Cluster (ITDS): Canada
3. Canadian Sociological Association
4. Global Repository of Sociological Teaching

### **Nostalgia Studies**

1. The NOSTAGAIN Network
2. International Media and Nostalgia Network
3. Le Colletif Nostalgie Conco x UQAM

### **Research Creation**

1. Immersive Storytelling and VR Lab, Milieux Institute
2. Hexagram Research Network: Canada
3. Milieux Institute for Technology, Art and Culture: Canada