

GRANT AWARD FORM

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GRANTEE: Name of Applicant or Primary Contact:

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Project Title:

Rhizome Of Ixil

2.

TOTAL AMOUNT OF GRANT FUNDS AWARDED: \$750.00

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TOTAL AMOUNT OF GRANT FUNDS RECEIVED TO DATE: \$350.00

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GRANT PERIOD: April , 2014 through April1, 2015.

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EXPENDITURE DEADLINE: April 1, 2015.

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DATE OF PROJECT COMPLETION: October 16, 2014.

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*"I hereby certify that I am authorized to approve this Report, which serves as a Request for Reimbursement, that I have reviewed the attached invoices in the amount of \$750.00; that all costs claimed have been incurred for the Project in accordance with the Agreement between Daniella Pavlic' and the CITY OF URBANA; that all submitted invoices have been paid; and no costs included herein have been previously submitted."*

## POST PROJECT EVALUATION

The Urbana Arts Grant funds were allocated in two forms. The first was the completion of the Alpha Version Rhizome of Ixil video game. Dustin Swann, Constance Shepherd, and Susana Rodriguez were compensated for their time programming, developing the sound track and translating the game. The rest of the funds were used on the game launch at Champaign-Urbana Independent Media Center. These funds were used for promotion, rental fees, food, and CD's for the game at the launch party.

The last three years living Champaign my art practice has been an investigation of the fragmented Mayan communities. This grant has allowed me not only to finish a version of the game but also to develop relations with individuals in this local community. In addition this project has pushed me to continue developing skills in 3d animation and game design.

Planning for the game and event took 15 hours. 25 hours were spent on assembling a website, designing posters, writing and distributing the press release. Production was the lengthiest processes. I spent no less than 80 hours on animation, rendering, sound effects, research, video editing, and play testing. The final presentation was a two-hour event. There were 25 participants from the community who participated in game play and the screening of 'How to Nail a Dictator.'

Two organizations and five individuals contributed to creating the game and assisted with the launch. The Champaign-Urbana Independent Media and Champaign-Urbana immigration Forum sponsored the game launch through promotion and attendance.

The collaboration on this project was relatively smooth. The most challenging part of the game development was making some fun and educational at the same time. Allowing room to grow in unexpected ways was a key element in the project. The game was manifested in several forms before it was completed. The two organizations that sponsored the event were very easy to work with and assisted in the promotion of the event.

This grant has been very helpful in pushing the first version of Rhizome of Ixil to be completed. This launch assisted me in developing better organization and communication skills. There is still more work that needs to be done in making the interface more accessible in terms of language and design. This Spring I have been sponsored to take the game to Guatemala City to do play- test/ soft launch. I expect the Second version to be completed early summer.

# GAME LAUNCH PARTY

July 19th 12 - 2pm

AT:

Urbana Champaign Independent Media Center  
202. S Broadway, Urbana

#FREE ADMISSION  
#FILM SCREENING  
#GAME PLAY  
#FOOD



## Rhizome OF IXIL

A Daniella Pavlic Production/ Sponsored by





## FISCAL REPORT

<b>Date</b>	<b>Description</b>	<b>Amount</b>
<b>May 22, 2014</b>	IMC membership Fee	\$50
<b>May 23, 2014</b>	IMC equipment Rental	\$25
<b>July 8, 2014</b>	Printing fee at UIUC, Art & Design	\$20.80
<b>July 14, 2014</b>	CD's purchased at CVS Pharmacy	\$19.99
<b>July 19, 2014</b>	Food and drinks purchased at County Market	\$133.46
<b>October 16, 2014</b>	Dustin Swan – Programmer - Payment	\$450
<b>October 16, 2014</b>	Constance Shepherd – Musician - Payment	\$45
<b>October 16, 2014</b>	Susana Rodriguez – Spanish Translator - Payment	\$20
	<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>764.25</b>