

HOLOGRAPHY HANDBOOK

Making Holograms the Easy Way

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Holography is perhaps the most exciting revolutionary medium of the century, yet it is still one of the most easily misunderstood and misrepresented. Enough holography texts have so much math that you can't tell if you're reading the thing upside down or not, or they have incomplete information (or techniques that just don't work!). Holography is easy. Anyone can make good quality holograms without any technical training. Holography is inexpensive, fun and a dynamic outlet for creative expression. This book developed out of experiences with making thousands of holograms, and teaching hundreds of others to make countless

more, over the past decade. We *know* they're easy to do. We think we've picked up some valuable pointers over the years — good shortcuts as well as quick ways around the common pitfalls. We describe not only how to make holograms with a minimum of effort, but how to recognize and correct problems that arise.

— from the preface

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