

ESF-LiU Conference on Paying Attention: Digital Media Cultures and Generational Responsibility

6-10 September 2010



Final Programme

Monday 6 September	
17:00 - 19:00	Registration at ESF Desk
19:00	Welcome Drink
19:30	Dinner
Tuesday 7 September	
09:00 - 09:30	Welcome Address Jonathan Dovey - Digital Cultures Research Centre, UWE, UK Patrick Crogan - Department of Culture, Media and Drama, UWE, UK Balazs Kiss - European Science Foundation, FR
Session 1: Invited Speaker	
09:30 - 10.30	Tiziana Terranova - University of Naples, IT <i>The Political Economy of Online Media</i>
10:30 - 11:00	Coffee Break
Session 2: Panel: Theories of Attention and Economy (1)	
11:00 - 11:30	Tania Bucher - University of Oslo, NO <i>Technicity of Attention: On Immediacy and the Update Sphere</i>
11:30 - 12:00	Francesca Odella - University of Trento, IT <i>A Private or Public Issue: Adolescents Social Communication Practices and Infringement of Norms on the Web</i>
12:00 - 12:30	Elizabeth Van Couvering - London School of Economics, UK <i>The Trade in Traffic: Search Engines and Social Media</i>
12:30 - 13:30	Lunch
Session 3: Panel: Community and Social Media	
13:30 - 14:00	Rolien Hoyng - University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, US <i>The Net and Emerging Figures of Culture: Informational Politics by Migrants in Istanbul</i>
14:00 - 14:30	Narcisse Mbunzama Lokwa - IPeace Project, SE <i>The Role of Social Media Tools in Peace and Human Rights Promotion in Conflict-affected Countries: Case Study on the Democratic Republic of Congo</i>
14:30 - 15:00	Jörgen Skågeby - University of Stockholm, SE <i>Gifting Technologies</i>
15:00 - 15:30	Coffee Break
Session 4: Invited Speakers	
15:30 - 16:15	Scoping and Review
16:15 - 17:00	Ruth Catlow - Furtherfield.org, UK <i>Online Artmaking and Community Building</i>
17:00 - 17:45	Stanza - Independent Artist, UK <i>Making Visual Artworks Informed by Critical Analysis of City Spaces</i>
19:00	Dinner

Wednesday 8 September	
Session 5: Panel - New Forms and Meanings of Mediation	
09:00 – 09:30	Gunnar Liestøl - University of Oslo, NO <i>Topos, Topics and Time: Exploring a Potential Genre for Location-Based Media</i>
09:30 - 10:00	Fredrik Stahlénius - Freelance Journalist, SE <i>In Debt for Paying Attention? Cellphone Art in the Attention Economy</i>
10:00 - 10:30	Li Huey-Li - The University of Akron, US <i>Toward Understanding In/attentive Silence in the Virtual Learning Community</i>
10:30 - 10:45	Group Photo
10:45 – 11:15	Coffee Break
Session 6: Invited Speaker	
11:15 - 12:45	Bernard Stiegler - Institut de Recherche et d'Innovation, FR <i>Pharmacology of Attention and Relational Ecology (with discussion chaired by Patrick Crogan)</i>
12:45 - 13:45	Lunch
Session 7: Panel - Theories of Attention and Economy (2)	
13:45 - 14:15	Ben Roberts - University of Bradford, UK <i>Attention-seeking: Technics, Individuation and Distributed Networks</i>
14:15 – 14:45	Georg Franck - Vienna University of Technology, AT <i>The Knowledge Industry. On Science as a Developed Economy of Attention</i>
14:45 - 15:15	Martin Thayne - University of Lincoln, UK <i>The Economy of Personal Information</i>
15:15 – 15:45	Coffee Break
Session 8: Invited Speakers	
15:45 - 16:15	Scoping and Review
16:15 - 17:00	Aphra Kerr - National University of Ireland, IE <i>Reassembling Trust for the Future Internet</i>
17:00 - 17:45	Simon Poulter - Independent Artist, UK <i>Google will make us free</i>
19:00	Dinner
20:30 - 22:00	Poster Session

Thursday 9 September

Session 9: Invited Speaker

09:00 – 10:00	Michel Bauwens - Foundation for Peer to Peer Alternatives, TH <i>Exodus, Transvaluation, Phase transition: The Role of Peer to Peer Values and Open Infrastructures in Current Social Change</i>
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10:00 – 10:30	Coffee Break
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Session 10: Panel: Ethics and Activism

10:30 - 11:00	Tim Kindberg - Matter2media, UK <i>Facebook Data Provocations</i>
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11:00 - 11:30	Marco Fioretti - Freelance Researcher, IT <i>The Crucial Role of File Formats in Building and Preserving Digital Media Cultures and in the Practical Impact of Such Cultures on Society</i>
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11:30 – 12:00	Constance Fleuriot - Digital Cultures Research Centre, UWE, UK <i>Developing Ethical Design Questions for Pervasive Media</i>
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12:00 - 13:00	Lunch
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Session 11: Panel – Online Sociality and Technicity

13:00 - 13:30	Nadia Arancio – British Film Institute, UK <i>Webcamming Identities: Adolescents’ Performance in the Digital Theatre</i>
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13:30 - 14:00	Fatemeh Javaheri - Tarbiat Moallem University, IR <i>Socioeconomic Effects of Internet Usage on Iranian Young People</i>
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14:00 - 14:30	Dan Dixon – University of the West of England, UK <i>The Art of Surveillance in Pervasive Gaming</i>
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14:30 - 15:00	Coffee break
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Session 12: Conference Chair and Plenary

15:00 - 15:45	Jonathan Dovey - Digital Cultures Research Centre, UWE, UK <i>Thinking Cultural Politics in Digital Terms</i>
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15:45 - 17:30	Forward Look Plenary Discussion
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19:00	Conference Dinner
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Friday 10 September

08:00	Breakfast and Departure
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