DO-IT-YOURSELF – interfiction – DO-IT-YOURSELF workshop-lab

interfiction XVII/2010 GADGETS-A-GOGO!

Mobile Gadgets: Toys & Tools

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Do-it-Yourself is by tradition a core issue at interfiction – as are creative ways do deal with media and technologies in general. Practical access and practical knowledge do matter – and therefore we embrace and foster DIY, bricolage, tinkering, home made inventions and transformations of existing technologies.

In our **interfiction DIY-workshop-lab** we want to try out new methods, techniques and strategies, we want to work together, learn from each other and pass our knowledge.

Thus also **interfiction 2010** will host a DIY-lab to provide a platform for hands-on research, the realization of individual as well as collective/collaborative projects and of course for skill-sharing and exchange of know-how.

Moreover, we are happy and proud to announce that the **DIY Makeaway** of **Swiss Society for Mechatronic Arts (SGMK)** will be with us again— and with their fantastic mobile Makeaway-Lab the SGKM-team will bring loads of know-how and loads of materials and other hot stuff, including the awsome DIY-Makeway-Kits!

As the focus of interfiction 2010 is on **GADGETS**, **mobile devices** and **apps** (as well as mobile stuff, toys & tools in general), so is the focus of our DIY-workshop-lab.

However, our workshop-lab is open for **all DIY projects** sporting creative access at the intersections of at, media and network cultures that are **low tech**, **low cost** and based on **open formats/open source**.

Interested in active participation? Please send an e-mail to the interfiction-Team (**info@interfiction.org**) with the following data:

- * Name, address, organisation (if applicable), contact (mail/phone)
- * Project
- * Soft/hardware, materials, tools, other stuff I will bring with me: ...
- * Soft/hardware, materials, tools, other stuff I would need: ...
- * What I want to learn: ..
- * What I can show/teach/share: ...
- * I will bring/send the following how-tos / work sheets /etc (pdf für print + WWW): ...

Further information about the interfiction DIY-workshop-lab at www.interfiction.org