

Programme: Science Fictions: Smartology as new urban utopia

Date: Thursday, 18.6.2015 – Friday, 19.06.2015

Place: TU Berlin, Institut für Soziologie, Raum FH919, Fraunhoferstr. 33-36, 10587 Berlin

+++++ *Beware of Smart People! Re-defining the Smart City Paradigm towards Inclusive Urbanism*
conference on Saturday, 20.06.2015 +++++

Thursday

- 17.45-18.00 *Arrival and welcome*
- 18.00-18.15 **Martina Löw** (TU Berlin): Welcome
Chair: Martina Löw
- 18.15-19.00 **Gunter Weidenhaus** (TU Berlin) **and Martin Fuller** (TU Berlin):
Urban Utopianism and the Smart City
- 19.00-19.50 **Vanessa Watson** (African Centre for Cities; University of Capetown):
Africa's Smart Cities: Utopia or Quick Profit?
- 20.00 - *Conference Dinner*

Friday

- Chair: Martin Fuller*
- 09.30-10.20 **David Wachsmuth** (University of British Columbia):
Saving the City with Data, from Ekistics to Urbanology
- 10.20-11.10 **Raoul Bunschoten** (TU Berlin)
To be titled
- 11.10-11.30 *Break*
- 11.30-12.20 **Alberto Vanolo** (Università di Torino):
The Politics of the Smart City Imagery
- 12.20-13.30 *Lunch*

Chair: Emily Kelling

13.30-14.20

Lea Rothmann (TU Berlin):

Privacy in Smart Spaces

14.20-15.10

Sebastian Kubitschko (Goldsmiths College, University of London)

From Utopia to Dystopia: Hackers and Homeless People in Smart Cities

15.10-15.30

Break

15.30-16.20

AbdouMaliq Simone (Goldsmiths College, University of London):

Spaces of Detachment and Urban Infrastructure

16.20-17.10

James Holston (University of California, Berkeley)

Towards a New Participatory Architecture?: On Smart Infrastructure and Smarter Citizens

17.10-17.30

Final Remarks (Martin Fuller and Gunter Weidenhaus)

17.30-19.00

Transition

19.00-20:30

Public keynote and opening of the conference “Beware of Smart People! Re-defining the Smart City Paradigm towards Inclusive Urbanism” at Tschechisches Zentrum (Wilhelmstr. 44)

Adam Greenfield:

Another City is Possible: Practices of the Minimum Viable Utopia

Chaired by: Vanessa Watson (African Center for Cities, University of Cape Town)

Reception

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