

Programme

What The Futures !?

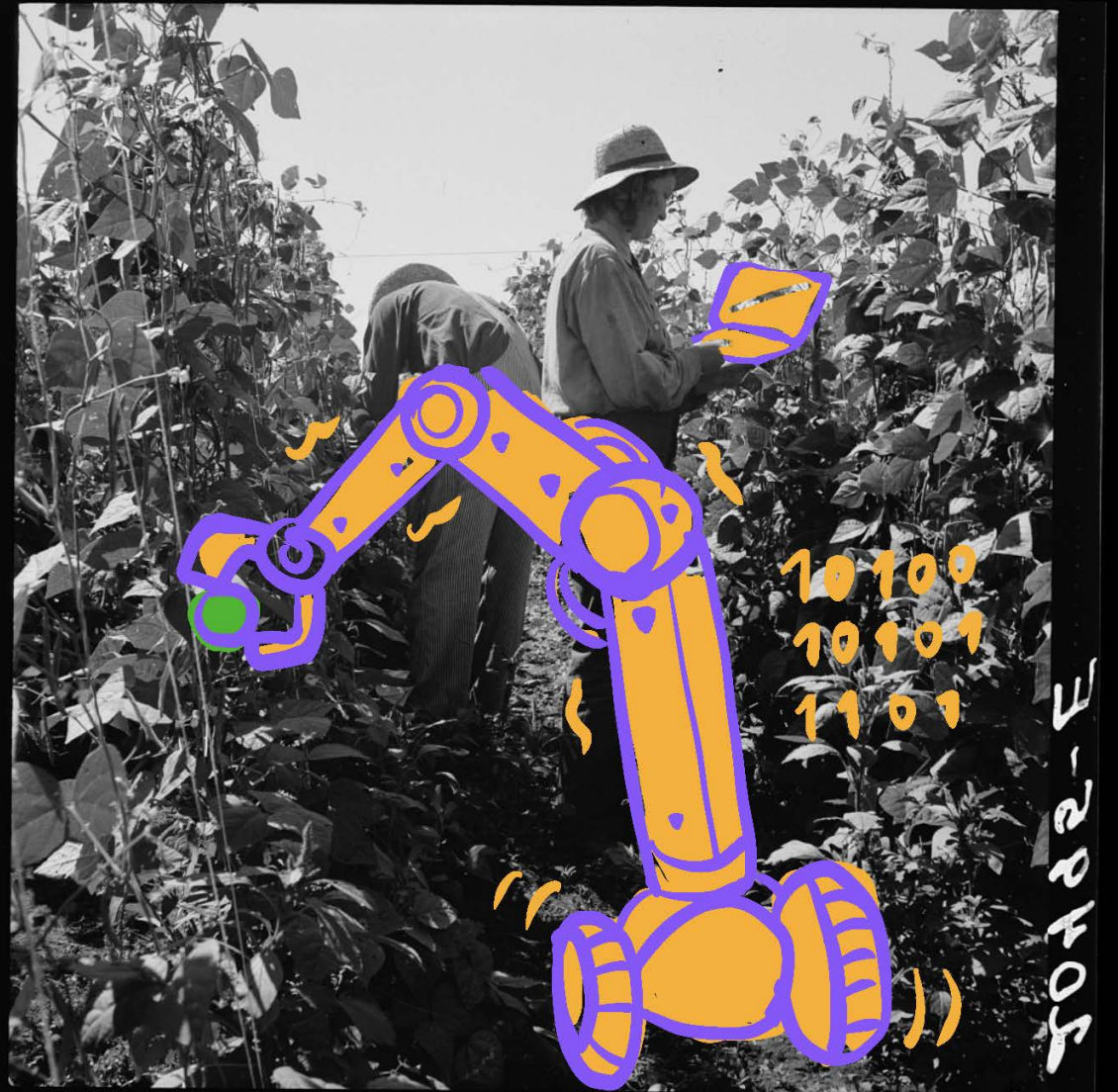
MDEFest
2022

Barcelona
& Online 20-29
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Calendar

Day	Time	Event Name	Location
July 2022			
20-25	13h - 17h	VIBOLI X SOFT Collaboration	SOFT, C. Bailen 11
20-29	TBC	Extended Interactions	Palo Alto Nave Escoleta
21	17h - 19h	Xarxa Night	TBD
22	17h - 19h	Re-source <small>Bio-based and Circular Material Workshop</small>	Connecthort
23	19h - 20h	My Trashy Life	Outside Macba
23	18h - 19.30h	Living with Organisms	Corpen Barcelona

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24-25	13h - 21h	Con-serve	Leka
24	16h - 19h	Gymkhana	Ateneu de Fabricació de Gracia
26	12h - 18h	Solar Brunch	Connecthort
26	18h - 00h	Symbiatípico	Atípico
27	16h - 18h	Realitat Sensorial	Ateneu de Fabricació de Nou Barris Fabrica del Sol
28	19h - 23h	Hybrid Ecologies	Akasha Hub
29	08h - 12h	The Hike	Collserolla
		Seption	Online
06	13h - 14h	The Future of Surf	Barceloneta Beach

Activities



Gymkhana

01

24.06.22

16h - 19h

Ateneu de Fabricació
de Gràcia

Creating new perspectives between generations by the aid of alternative and accessible toys, participatory methods and conversations which includes all the voices, for the exploration of the family structure and invisible realities. Empowering these kind of perspectives and realities through a Gymkhana around the city, where collaborations and conversations between kids and adults is must for achieving common goals in our communities.

Solar Brunch

02

26.06.22

12h - 18h

Connecthort

At the intersection between the slow movement and low-tech, we want to bring awareness and promote a resilient lifestyle. We want to open conversations around how to integrate ancient techniques into our present context. This event will be focused on ways to be less dependent on energy and promote the use of solar energy in a fun way: solar cooked food, solar powered music, solar fun! When the sun comes down, music will continue powered by bike generators.

Symbiatípico

03

26.06.22

18h - 00h

Atípico

During this celebratory exhibition, we invite you to join us as we re-interpret our relationships with our ecological systems. On display, you will find designed artifacts, bio-remediation experiments, symbiotic wearables, interactive art displays, and audiovisuals that push us to re-think our parasitic role in the Anthropocene. We welcome you to enjoy live music and Spirulina cocktails, dress up as a bio-borg, or speculate on how to bio-remediate our plastic planet, form symbiotic relationships with microorganisms, and live in balance with our natural systems.

Hybrid Ecosystems 04

28.06.22

19h - 23h
Akasha Hub

Natural and technological ecosystems are closely related, however counter-intuitive it might seem at first. Investigating these overlapping areas through our senses, we venture in hybrid worlds of sounds, visuals and haptics. Between self-mutating algorithms and recursive patterns in nature, we draw similarities and aim to provoke questions about a more sustainable and tangible view of technology.

The Hike

29.06.22

05
08h - 12h
Collserola

A hike in Collserola mountain to reconnect with nature, collect a series of treasures and participate in a collective musical experience at the top.

Con-serve

24/25.06.22

06
13h - 21h
Leka

Our cultures, relationships, tools and rituals are in constant flux. They evolve based on our resources, climates, economies, industries, and rhythm of life. These crafts and customs bring us together and can help us to understand what is to come. We cannot imagine our futures without understanding our past. We invite you to join us as we speculate on how to observe, conserve, and preserve traditions from the past in order to give life to future rituals that allow us to serve-WITH others and safeguard and strengthen relationships. This collective exhibition seeks to generate consciousness about ancient habits that are still in force today, redefine our perceptions of preservation, and contemplate alternative future scenarios around food, crafts, and tools.

Re-source

22.06.22

07
18.30h - 21h
Connecthort

Bio-based and Circular Material Workshop

Can we imagine a future without waste? Can we design, make and source with circularity? In this hands-on workshop, we will explore how food waste can be transformed into a resource, learn about designing for circularity through material lifecycles, and get our hands dirty as we make bio-plastics and other bio composites using food waste from local industries in Poble Nou.

The Future of Surf

00.06.22

11
00h - 00h
Barceloneta

The Future of Surf seeks to establish a conversation with surfers, both experienced and amateur, into the prospects of the surfing sport in a world challenged by plastic pollution and climate change. What can we as a community do to be part of the solution and what to do we imagine that solution to be like? During the activity we'll show our findings on alternate materials for surfboards, and alongside the participants we'll see how to turn these discoveries into realities.

Living With Organisms 09

23.06.22

18h - 19.30h
Corpen Barcelona

Creating a new narrative of how to live with organisms. During this workshop we will be collaborating with Corpen Gin to create spirulina cocktails. During this activity the participants will be learning how to incorporate Micro Organisms in their everyday life.

Realitat Sensorial **12**

28.06.22

16h - 19h

Ateneu de Fabricació
de Nou Barris

We are heading towards a virtual reality. A non-inclusive reality, without physical contact nor interaction with our surroundings. What if instead of creating tools to isolate ourselves from the real world, we create to be more connected, to feel and perceive more of what surrounds us? Realitat Sensorial aims to present some devices created for this purpose, showing how they work and gathering ideas and feedback on how they can be used in the future.

Xarxa Night **13**

21.06.22

17h - 19h

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One last Xarxa Night for Mdef classmates and teachers. More details soon.

VIBOLI_xSOFT_{collaboration} **14**

20/25.06.22 19h - 20h Launch Event / 13h - 17h

SOFT (Store of Future Things)

-VIBOLI (Virtual Botanical Library) Is a provocation and exhibition exploring biodiversity the disconnections of the ecological world through a virtual reality experience- The VR installatoin is a collaboration with SOFT, where we exploration and research project how to connect the worlds of decentralized blockchain, digital arts, community and education systems about ecology. The result is the building of a virtual botanical library of various trees, their potential as NFTs to fund future reforestation efforts.

My Trashy Life **05**

23.06.22

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Outside Macba

My trashy life is creating awarness around the amount of prodcuts we consume on a monthly bases. Visit the Macba entence to see me and my 3 months of waste "golden Tresures" create a demonstration.

Extended Interactions **05**

22/29.06.22

13

Palo Alto Nave Escoleta

Extended interaction exhibition will show a sample of different approaches, showing symbiotics relationships between the human and no-human being, interactions with technology, senses beyond the ordinary and systems interactions. The exhibit will have audiovisual samples, documentaryps, artifacts and prototypes avilable for interact with audience.

Seption **05**

23.06.22

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Online

I am developing a prototype tool for networked thought. This is a pre-alpha software project public website launch.



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