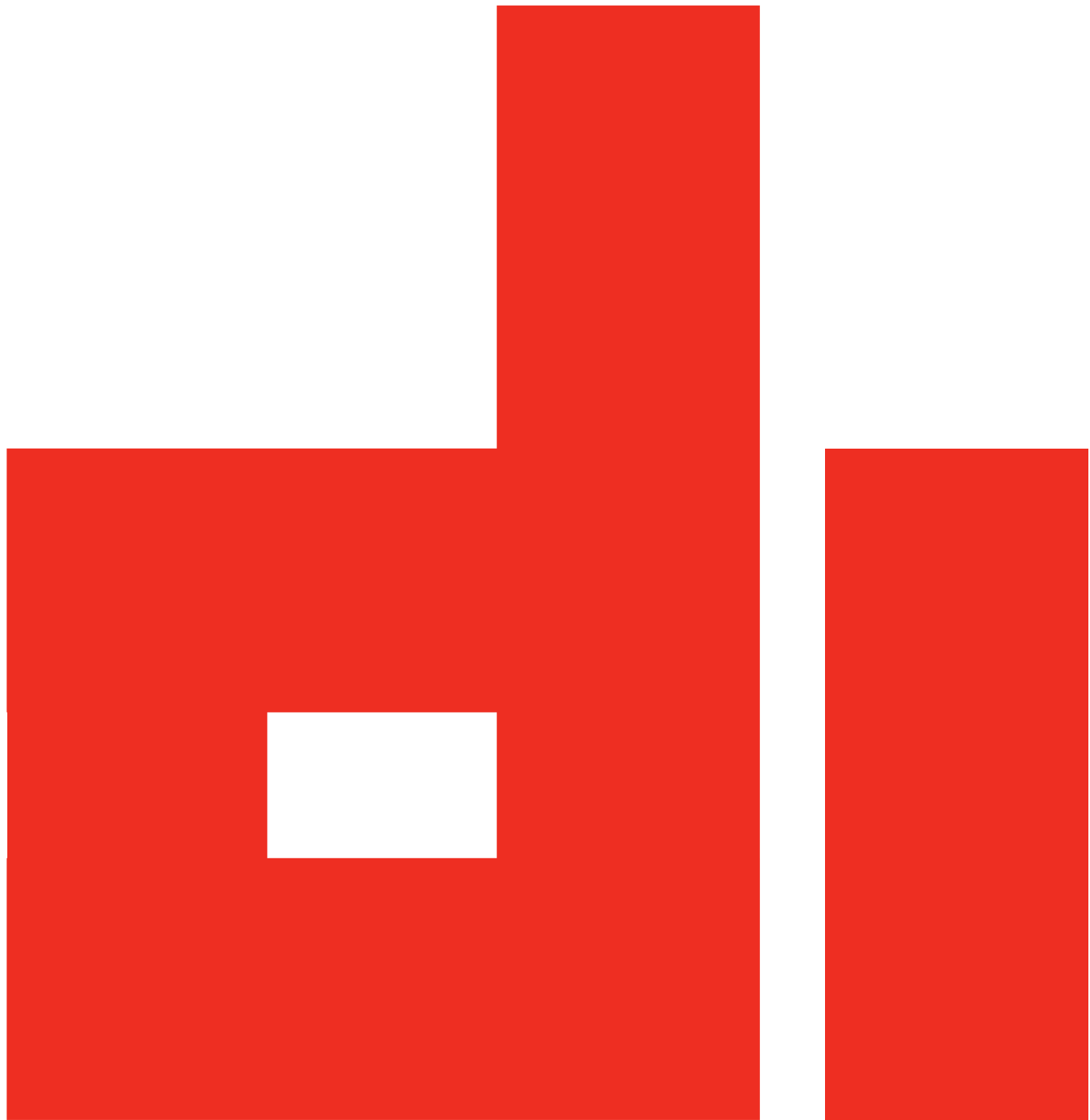
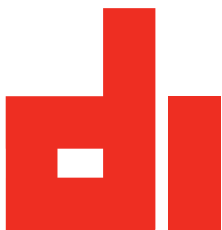


# A DIGITAL INTERVENTIONS SYMPOSIUM

**RMIT-IN3-UOC** JUNE 5 & 7 / MEDIATIC, ROC BORONAT, BARCELONA



This Digital Interventions Symposium is a collaborative venture between RMIT University, Melbourne and the IN3 Research Institute of the Universitat Oberta de Catalunya to share research experiences in the field of Digital Media and Social and Cultural transformations.



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The event brings together scholars and practitioners from different fields and academic disciplines to explore the connections between creativity, innovation and the city. The idea is to analyze how digital media are entangled in current urban and lifestyle transformations, from the lives of contemporary people and grassroots movements to urban, cultural and economic policies, and how we, as academics from diverse perspectives, participate in such endeavors. The event is open to academics and researchers who wish to critically engage in this debate.

## PLAYFUL INTERVENTIONS

### As We May Play:

#### What To Expect From The Gameful World

**Presenter:** Steffen Walz, Senior Research Fellow, RMIT University

**Respondents:** Dani Aranda, CNM Communication & New Media Research Group, IN3-UOC, and Daniel Riera Terrén, GRES-UOC, Enginyeria del Software

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## EVERYDAY INTERVENTIONS

### Digital Media in Everyday Life

**Presenter:** Sarah Pink, Design and Media Ethnography, RMIT University

**Respondents:** Elisenda Ardevol, mediaccions, Digital Culture and New Media Research Group UOC and Juliet Webster, GENTIC, Gènere i TIC, IN3-UOC // Ana Gonzalez Ramos

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### Mobile phones in an Indian slum: connection or consumerism?

**Presenter:** Jo Tacchi, School of Media and Communication, RMIT University

**Respondents:** Mireia Fernández-Ardévol, CMES, Comunicació mòbil, economia i societat Research Group IN3 and Adela Ros, Migration and Network Society Programme, Internet Interdisciplinary Institute (IN3)

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### The buzz and the thrill:

#### Researching lifestyle activism in the everyday

**Presenter:** Tania Lewis, School of Media and Communication at RMIT University

**Respondents:** Ismael Peña, I2TIC, Investigació interdisciplinària sobre les TIC, IN3 and Israel Rodríguez Giral, ATIC, Tecnologia i acció social, UOC

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## MEDIA INTERVENTIONS

### The social documentary

**Presenter:** Jenny Weight, School of Media and Communication, RMIT University

**Respondents:** Antoni Roig, mediaccions, Digital Culture and New Media Research Group UOC / David García Solórzano, ITOL Interactive tools for online learning environments

The full day symposium is organized through three main themes: Everyday interventions; Urban interventions; and Media interventions.

We will devote an earlier opening evening seminar to a fourth topic: playful interventions, with videogames and coding at its core.

Each topic will be introduced by the RMIT participants through their own ongoing research, the IN3-UOC participants will respond to these topics, and then we will open the discussion to the floor.

### Storycircle: action research in narrative exchange, digital technologies and citizenship

**Presenter:** Richard L. MacDonald, Dept Media and Communications, Goldsmiths, University of London

**Respondents:** Jordi Sánchez-Navarro, CNM Communication & New Media Research Group and David García Solórzano, ITOL Interactive tools for online learning environments

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### Performing the (Digital) Archive: The Circus Oz Living Archive project

**Presenter:** David Carlin, RMIT University

**Respondents:** Laura Solanilla, IDENTI.CAT, Llengua, cultura i identitat en l'era global Research Group, UOC and Gemma San Cornelio, mediaccions, Digital Culture and New Media Research Group UOC

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## URBAN INTERVENTIONS

### Free Public Wi-Fi and Civic Infrastructure: Australian and European comparisons

**Presenters:** Ian McShane and Denise Meredyth, RMIT

**Respondents:** Eduard Aibar, GADE, eGovernança: administració i democràcia electronica, IN3, and David Megías Jiménez, KISON, K-riptography and Information Security for Open Networks

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### At crossed purposes

**Presenter:** Mark Burry, Design Research Institute, RMIT

**Respondents:** Pau Alsina, GRECS, Estudis de cultura i societat, UOC and Àgata Lapedriza Garcia,, SUNAI, Scene understanding and artificial intelligence lab, UOC

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### Spatialising Stories of Place

**Presenter:** Marsha Berry, School of Media and Communication, RMIT

**Respondents:** Ramon Ribera-Fumaz, T.URBA Transformació urbana en la Societat del Coneixement, IN3, and Pep Vivas, T.URBA Transformació urbana en la Societat del Coneixement, IN3