

people doing strange things with electricity

The 37.8.4-th dorkbot-nyc meeting and 10th ANNIVERSARY PARTY will take place from 7-10PM on Wednesday, December 1, 2010 at Location One in SoHo. THIS IS OUR 10TH ANNIVERSARY! COME HELP US CELEBRATE! The meeting is free and open to the public (\$15 suggested donation, no one turned away). Wear a homemade suit! Wear a crazy dress! Wear your jeans and a t-shirt! DOESN'T MATTER! Bring a cake?!? Bring some blinky lights! Just bring yourself?!? WHATEVER YOU WANT!

Featuring the time-traveling hijinks of:



Brian Whitman: Cut Bait

I've been making software and hardware to make music instead of actually making music for ten years and I blame dorkbot. "Scared Straight" style, I'll show you the things I presented exactly ten years ago at the very first dorkbot-nyc and then do some group therapy to try to convince at least one of you to put away the italian microcontrollers with python interpreters running Conway's Game of Creative Death and go make something beautiful that your mother will love. She misses you, you know. http://notes.variogr.am



R. Luke DuBois: A More Perfect Union

A More Perfect Union looks at American self-identity through the medium of online dating services and the metaphor of the decennial U.S. Census. Using data from over twenty online dating sites, the work is organized according to the same heuristics as the U.S. Census, sorting online dating profiles by Congressional District and subjecting the imagery and text to statistical analysis. Online dating forces us to engage in a vulnerable act of articulating our self-identity in a semi-public forum for the express purpose of being wanted, and to read a thoughtful dating profile or view a profile photo is to view the precarious expression of someone else's desires. The work contains several parts, which will be presented along with some ten-year-old software called Jitter, or something. http://lukedubois.com



Tali Hinkis and Kyle Lapidus: LoVid

Before there was LoVid there was Viduo and before that there was Ladies and Gentlemen, Mark Your Doors. It's been so long we forgot how to get to The Lazy I (Tali even forgot what and where The Lazy I is). But we still have the wood Penguin from Clyde Jones who predicted the birth of our children. In honor of the occasion, we'll mix the VHS tape we showed at our first dorkbot with some other time-capsule faves (if we can find another VHS deck????) We'll also VJ requests if you bring them on VHS, so let's get busy home-video0.2 style.

http://lovid.org

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