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# 24 Hour “Macroscopes: Interactive Data Visualizations” Event

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## About

Over the course of 24 hours, scholars and practitioners from around the globe will present and discuss their work in a fun and accessible style. There will be presentations, panels, and a musical intervention. We will feature behind-the-scenes videos, demonstrate valuable tools and methodologies, and have fun exploring interactive data visualizations.

We hope the event will help kickoff the holiday season, create ever more excitement for the power and data and visualizations, share the pleasures of scientific discovery, and give good energy to all on this planet who are affected by the ongoing pandemic and raging wars.

## Saturday, Dec 9th 2023

Main times are in EST (GMT-5)

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### 12PM

5PM in London (GMT), 2AM in Tokyo (GMT+9)

#### Welcome by Organizers

With Katy Börner, Lisel Record, and Todd N. Theriault (*Indiana University*)

Click [here](#) to learn more about Macroscopes and the *Places & Spaces: Mapping Science* exhibit

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### 1PM

6PM in London (GMT), 3AM in Tokyo (GMT+9)

#### Panel: Macroscopes in Public Places

**Moderator:** Lisel Record (*Indiana University*)

**Panelists:**

- Stephen Uzzo (*National Museum of Mathematics*)
- Joe Heimlich (*COSI*)
- Kylie Pepler (*UCI*)

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## 2PM

7PM in London (GMT), 4AM in Tokyo (GMT+9)

### Forecasting and Visualizing Desirable Futures

**Moderator:** Todd Theriault (*Indiana University*)

**Presenter:** Katy Börner (*Indiana University*), author of [Atlas of Forecasts](#)

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## 3PM

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### Panel: History and Future of Macroscopes

**Moderator:** Todd Theriault (*Co-Curator, Places & Spaces, Indiana University*)

#### Panelists:

- Bonnie Jean DeVarco (*Co-Founder of Studio DeVarco*)
- Asako Okamura (*National Institute of Science and Technology*)
- Chaomei Chen (*Drexel University College of Computing and Informatics*)

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## 4PM

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### Macroscopes in Action

**Moderator:** Todd Theriault (*Indiana University*)

**Presenter:** Benjamin Wiederkehr (*Interactive Things*)

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## 5PM

10PM in London (GMT), 7AM in Tokyo (GMT+9)

### XI. Iteration: Macroscopes for Interacting with Science

**Moderator:** Todd Theriault (*Indiana University*)

**Presenters:**

- Katy Börner (*AcademyScope*)
- Kalev H. Leetaru (*GDELT*)

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**Links:**

- [AcademyScope Video](#)
- [Kalev Leetaru's Mapping Global News](#)
- [Mauro Martino Demos Charting Culture](#)

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## 6PM

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### XII. Macroscopes for Making Sense of Science

**Moderator:** Todd Theriault (*Indiana University*)

**Presenters:**

- Daniele Quercia (*Nokia Bell Labs*)
- Katy Börner (*HathiTrust Digital Library*)

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**Link:** [SmellyMaps](#)

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## 7PM

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### XIII. Macroscopes for Playing with Scale

**Moderator:** Todd Theriault (*Indiana University*)

**Presentations:**

- Macroscopic Demo Lightning Round: *Smelly Maps, Megaregions of the US, Opportunity Atlas, and Virus Explorer*
- Mauro Martino Demos *Charting Culture*
- Kalev Leetaru Demos *Mapping Global News*
- Making *Academy Scope*
- Elijah Meeks on *Orbis*
- CONDOR: Tool Demo with Peter Gloor

**Link:** [Megaregions of the US Demo](#)

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## 8PM

1AM in London (GMT), 10AM in Tokyo (GMT+9)

### Data Visualizations in Virtual Reality

**Moderator:** Andreas Bueckle (*Indiana University*)

With Mudrika Alla & Shreyas Sawant (*Indiana University*)

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## 9PM

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### XIV. Macroscopes for Ensuring our Well-being

**Moderator:** Katy Börner (*Indiana University*)

**Presentations:**

- See David Chavalarias (*Complex Systems Institute of Paris Ile-de-France*) interview at 10AM
- *Humanexus* 2013 Version
- Katy Börner on *Maps and Macroscopes*
- Andreas Bueckle on Living and Learning in the Metaverse
- Visit the Gallery: A Guided Tour of *Places & Spaces*
- CNS Introduction Video

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## 10PM

3AM in London (GMT), 12PM in Tokyo (GMT+9)

## XV. Macroscopes for Tracking the Flow of Resources

**Moderator:** Katy Börner (*Indiana University*)

**Presenters:**

- Abin Abraham (*Booz Allen Hamilton*)
- Will [Jiahao] Su (*Datadog*)

**Link:** [Refugee Flow](#)

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## 11PM

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## XVI. Macroscopes for Harnessing the Power of Data

**Moderator:** Katy Börner (*Indiana University*)

**Presenter:** Nikita Rokotyan (*Interacta*)

**Video:** Hans Rosling's *Gapminder*

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**Links:**

- [Andrew Levinson on the US Water Crisis Macroscopic](#)
- [Andrew Levinson: Getting the jump on election results data](#)
- [Andrew Levinson on the Virtues of Working Ahead](#)
- [Mauro Martino on Visualization and the Democracy of Knowledge](#)
- [Steven Ross on the Origins of the IBM Watson Explorer](#)
- [Nikita Rokotyan on Creating An Alternative Data-Driven Map](#)
- [Nikita Rokotyan on the Power of Dimensionality Reduction](#)
- [Alice Grishchenko on the Making of Nature 150](#)
- [Alice Grishchenko: Navigating the Worlds of Science and Art](#)

# Sunday, Dec 10th 2023

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## 12AM

5AM in London (GMT), 2PM in Tokyo (GMT+9)

## Improvisation, Creativity, and Innovation Fireside Chat

**Moderator:** Dan Qaurooni (*Indiana University*)

**Presenters:**

- [Monika Herzig](#) (*Accomplished Jazz Musician & Professor of Artistic Research and Dean of Music Education at the Jam Music Lab University, Vienna*)
- Katy Börner (*Indiana University*)

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**Links:**

- [Keith Jarrett - The Köln Concert](#)
- [TEDxTucson George Land: The failure of success](#)
- [TEDxBloomington Monika Herzig: How to reclaim your genius level of creativity](#)

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## 1AM

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**Videos: Macroscopes—Behind the Scenes**

**Moderator:** Dan Qaurooni (*Indiana University*)

**Presentations:**

- Mauro Martino Demos *Charting Culture*
- Elijah Meeks on *Orbis*
- Kalev Leetaru Demos *Mapping Global News*
- Nikita Rokotyan on *An Alternative Data-Driven Country Map*
- Making *Academy Scope*
- CONDOR: Tool Demo with Peter Gloor
- *Amatria* Installation at Luddy Hall
- Macroscopic Demo Lightning Round: *Smelly Maps, Megaregions of the US, Opportunity Atlas, and Virus Explorer*

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## 2AM

7AM in London (GMT), 4PM in Tokyo (GMT+9)

**Videos: Research Talks****Presentations:**

- Filipi Nascimento da Silva: *Interactive visualization of large complex networks based on Helios-web*
- David Kouřil: *You've Visualized It but Now What? Navigating and Making Sense of Large 3D Visualizations*

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## 3AM

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### Videos: Maker Interviews

**Moderator:** Dan Qaurooni (*Indiana University*)

#### Presentations:

- Andrew Levinson on the *United States Water Crisis*
- Mauro Martino and Steven Ross on the *Watson News Explorer*
- Interview with Ward Shelley
- Alice Grishchenko on *Nature 150*
- Ingo Günther on Data Science from an Artist's Perspective

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## 4AM

9AM in London (GMT), 6PM in Tokyo (GMT+9)

### Videos: Research Talks

**Moderator:** Dan Qaurooni (*Indiana University*)

#### Presentations:

- Rongqian Ma: *How are Visuals Worth a Thousand Words: Visualization as a Point of Departure to Investigate Research Culture in Digital Humanities*
- Pirita Tolvanen: *Data Visualization in Children's Nonfiction Picture Books*

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## 5AM

10AM in London (GMT), 7PM in Tokyo (GMT+9)

### Videos: Foundations and Inspirations

**Moderator:** Dan Qaurooni (*Indiana University*)

#### Presentations:

- Katy Börner at TEDx Bloomington: "Maps and Macroscopes"
- Visit the Gallery: A Guided Tour of *Places & Spaces*

- CNS Introduction Video
- Andreas Bueckle at TEDX Bloomington: “Living and Learning in the Metaverse”
- *Humanexus* 2013 Version

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## 6AM

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### Videos: Research Talks

**Moderator:** Dan Qaurooni (*Indiana University*)

#### Presentations:

- Jessica Roberts: *Toward the Development of Museum Exhibits for Public AI Literacy*
- Melanie Martini & Marcus John: *Data Driven Foresight with KATI*

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## 7AM

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### XVII. Macroscopes for Placing Data in Space

**Moderator:** Todd Theriault (*Indiana University*)

#### Presentations:

- Andrew Levinson on the *United States Water Crisis*
- Mauro Martino and Steve Ross on the *Watson News Explorer*
- Alice Grishchenko on *Nature 150*
- Nikita Rokotyan on *An Alternative Data-Driven Country Map*
- Ingo Gunther on Data Science from an Artist's Perspective

#### Links:

- [John Friedman on Opportunity Atlas](#)
- [Eugene Chen on Opportunity Atlas](#)
- [Fabian deKok-Mercado on Virus Explorer](#)

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## 8AM

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## XVIII. Macroscopes for a New Perspective

**Moderator:** Todd Theriault (*Indiana University*)

**Presenters:**

- Jan Willem Tulp (*TULP Interactive*)
- Esteban Moro (*Universidad Carlos III de Madrid*)

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## 9AM

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### Debut: XIX Macroscopes as Digital Atlases

**Moderators:** Todd Theriault, Lisel Record, and Katy Börner (*Indiana University*)

**Presenters:**

- Raúl Sánchez González (*elDiario.es*)
- Hanna Shumway (*MIT*)
- André Skupin (*San Diego State University*)

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## 10AM

3PM in London (GMT), 12AM in Tokyo (GMT+9)

### Data Storytelling

**Moderator:** Katy Börner (*Indiana University*)

**Presenters:**

- David Chavalarias (*Complex Systems Institute of Paris Ile-de-France*)

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## 11AM

4PM in London (GMT), 1AM in Tokyo (GMT+9)

### Panel: Visions for the (AI) Future

**Moderator:** Dan Qaurooni (*Indiana University*)

**Panelists:**

- Soumya Ghose (*GE Health Care*)
- Yong Yeol Ahn (*Indiana University*)
- Naoki Abe (*IBM*)
- Hiroaki Kitano (*Sony AI*)
- Katy Börner (*Indiana University*)

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**12PM**

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**End of Event**

Thanks for going with us on this journey!

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## Previous 24-Hour Events

- **2022:** [Human Reference Atlas Event: Let's map the human body at single-cell resolution!](#)
- **2021:** [Science Map Event: Let's learn about maps!](#)

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