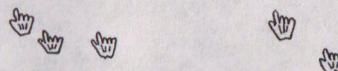


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society

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*In the title of this workshop.
CODE is a verb.
CODE SOCIETIES.*

—Melanie Hoff



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Can a computer exist
at a place that's
neither under or
over the people
that use them?

—emma rae norton

The origin of all theory
is direct experience.

—Max Fowler

How do we
encrypt our bodies
from bullets?

—Simone Browne

Who gets
reproduced
is political.

—Melanie Hoff

YOU ~~ALWAYS~~ KNOW
WHAT YOU'RE DOING,
YOU ~~ALWAYS~~ DO.

—FELICITY

Being able to
name problems
is a powerful
place to be.

—Ruha Benjamin

*History doesn't
repeat itself,
it quotes us
when we have
not been wise.*

—Simone Browne

*How to meaningfully
differentiate tools
that differentiate us?*

—Ruha Benjamin

What are the
ideological stakes
of attempting
a refusal?

—Simone Browne

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—Mélâñiê Hð££

~~WOMANHOOD~~
~~IS AN ABSURDITY~~
~~AND WE SHOULD~~
~~DESTROY IT.~~

—ANONYMOUS
ZEPHYR
PARTICIPANT

WHEN AN ADVERSARY
HAS YOUR INFORMATION,
YOU NEVER GET TO
SET THE CONTEXT
IN WHICH YOU'RE
BEING EVALUATED.

—HARLO HOLMES

You don't need to
protest on the street
to be radical,
as soon as you
walk out this door,
you can be radical.

—Ruth Benjamin

The only "hope" is to find the
"Order," a human need in the
face of unlimited textuality.

—Mario Aquitina

structurelessness
becomes a way of
masking power.

—Jo freedman
via Dan Taeyoung

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WHERE DO EMOJI GO
WHEN THEY DIE?

—TINA NGUYEN

If inequity is encoded into
the very fabric of society
then each twist, coil, and code
is a chance for us to weave new
patterns, practices, and politics.
Its vastness will be its undoing
once we accept we are patternmakers.

—Ruha Benjamin

therē'ſ a lot of mēcūting
in thē Worlđ, bñt wē hñvē
to chooſē to ſee it.

—flw&t

We code space
and are coded
by spaces
we inhabit.

—paraphrasing
Dan Tae young

Race didn't come to
science and technology,
it came THROUGH
science and technology.

—Neta Bomani

*Racism is productive.
It produces things
of value to some,
even as it wreaks
havoc on others.*

—Ruha Benjamin

Äll þómþutáttidn
ísl mêtáphðr.
—émmå ráê nðrtðn

Allow yourself
to wander
with no goal.

—Kameelah
Janan Rasheed

Asking hard questions is magic. To ask is to imply answers are possible. If we believe answers are possible, we're much more likely to find them—to find the capacity within ourselves to propose new ways of being in relation with each other.

—Melanie Hoff