

EMPATHIC TECHNOLOGY

COLLABORATIVE WORKSHOP

performances, tech-demo, debate, and co-creation of new approaches for building empathy

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March 1st & 2nd

ACT Program,
Wiesner Room,
2nd floor
Bldg E15, MIT
20 Ames St.
Cambridge, MA

You are invited to come experience *The Machine to Be Another*!

Join MIT ACT Research Affiliate Daanish Masood and BeAnotherLab, along with practitioners and researchers from the fields of neuroscience, storytelling, virtual reality and peacebuilding as we experience *The Machine* in an open collaborative workshop to develop new methodologies, technology and applications for building empathy. You are also invited to make an optional presentation of your own work at the workshop.

**The Machine to Be Another* is an interactive system designed as a tool for embodied-immersive storytelling, using interaction protocols from neuroscience research in embodiment with performance and storytelling to give users the illusion of feeling themselves in the body of another person.

Please RVSP at beanotherlab@gmail.com

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THE **MACHINE**
TO BE ANOTHER

Agenda

2nd Fl, Building E15, The Wiesner Building, MIT

Sunday, March 1

11:00 - 11:15AM	Welcome/Introductions	The Wiesner Rm
11:15 - 12:00PM	Empathic Technology Examples	The Wiesner Rm
12:00 - 1:00PM	Tour de Table	The Wiesner Rm
1:00 - 2:30PM	Demos of <i>The Machine</i>/Lunch <i>everyone is invited to try The Machine Version I</i>	The Roth Rm
2:30 - 3:30PM	Breakout Session <i>Challenges and Future of Empathic Tech</i>	The Wiesner Rm
3:30 - 4:00PM	Debrief/Wrap up	The Wiesner Rm

Monday, March 2

11:00 - 11:15AM	Review of Last Day	The Wiesner Rm
11:15 - 12:00PM	Breakout Session <i>How do you want to use technology in your work?</i>	The Wiesner Rm
12:15 - 1:00PM	Group Share	The Wiesner Rm
1:00 - 2:30PM	Demos of <i>The Machine</i>/Lunch <i>everyone is invited to try The Machine Version II</i>	Basement
2:30 - 3:30PM	Breakout Session <i>How would you like to play with The Machine?</i>	The Wiesner Rm
3:30 - 4:30PM	Wrap up/The Future	The Wiesner Rm