

Get involved in Cybercity Wakefield!

You are invited to take part in Cybercity Wakefield a media art project imaginatively exploring the future of cities...



What is Cybercity Wakefield?

Over the coming year Beam and DLA Architecture will be running a number of free workshops and events to imaginatively explore what a future Wakefield might be like.

Your input will help inspire an architectural model, which DLA Architecture will be creating as the centrepiece of Wakefield's contribution to an international exhibition to be held in Germany at the end of this year. Models will also be contributed by Wakefield and Hemsworth College students and the final Cybercity exhibition will feature models from Germany, The Netherlands and Estonia as well as from Wakefield.

How to get involved?

We will be running a workshop session and also a drop in session where we would love to hear your thoughts and ideas, both sessions are free!

Cybercity Workshop: Weds 26th May 2010, 1.30pm-4.30pm
The Orangery, Wakefield

Cybercity Drop-in Session: Weds 26th May, 5-9pm (during Wakefield Artwalk)
The Orangery, Wakefield

What's happening?

The workshops will consider the physical and the digital city and will creatively explore some of the following questions:

- What does the future hold for the City of Wakefield?
- How can we maintain our sense of place and belonging in cyberspace?
- How could the city function without electricity?
- How do we express 'uniqueness' in an increasingly global culture?

The sessions will be a mix of presentations, facilitated discussion and a range of creative activities. Refreshments will be provided and there will be the opportunity to network with other participants and discuss your ideas for the future of Wakefield.

Who is it for?

Everyone who lives in Wakefield and is interested in imaginatively thinking about it's future and feeding into Wakefield's contribution to an international media art exhibition.

Students, artists, architects, planners, regeneration professionals, youth leaders, teachers – everyone is welcome!

How do I sign up?

- To reserve your free place at the **Cybercity Workshop** please contact cathy@beam.uk.net / 01924 215 550. Places are limited and will be allocated on a first come first served basis.
- There is no need to sign up for the **Cybercity Drop-in Session**, just turn up and take part! (during Wakefield Artwalk)
- Both events will be held at The Orangery, Back Lane, Wakefield, WF1 2TG

More Info...

For further information about the Cybercity project see <http://www.cybercityruhr.com/the-third-eye-eng.htm> or contact frances@beam.uk.net / 01924 215550

