

Biodigital lives: making, consuming and archiving the lives of technoscience

14 July 2009, 8.30am - 6.30pm, Educational Development Building (EDB 315), University of Sussex,

UK

8.30-9.00	Registration and coffee EDB 315
9.00-9.15	Welcome and introduction Adrian Mackenzie and Kate O’Riordan
9.15- 11.00	Biographies – chair Margaretta Jolly
Arthur, Paul	Distributed Selves: Digital Identity and Biography
O’Riordan, Kate	Personal Genomes and Biodigital Publics
Smith, Mary Kathleen	The Bloodline: Genealogy, Uncertainty and the Politics of bio-histories
11.00-11.15	Coffee Break
11.15-1.00	Feminisms – chair Lizzie Thynne
Bassett, Caroline	A Mutual Cancellation? Firestone, Technology and Utopia
Haran, Joan	<i>Life</i> : A symptomatic reading of biodigital / biographical disruptions
McNeil, Maureen	Heroes of Genetics and of Feminism
1.00-2.00	Lunch EDB 315 and top floor of EDB
2.00-3.45	Ethics and agencies – chair Sharif Mowlabocus
Zylinska, Joanna	The Politics and Ethics of Biodigital Enhancement
Parikka, Jussi	Cuddling With the Biodigital: Lynn Hershman’s <i>Teknolust</i> and Embodied Non-Human Agencies
Forero, Oscar	Natural resources management planning: challenges and opportunities brought by the digitalisation of bio-geographical indigenous knowledge
3.45-4.15	Break
4.15-6.00	Encounters – chair Kirk Woolford
Mackenzie, Adrian	Bacto-kidneys, designer vaccines and biosensors: contagious intensity and biotechnological subjectification in a synthetic biology talent competition

Ikoniadou, Eleni

Biodigital art ensemble: virtual encounters between science,
technology and art

Dumitriu, Anna

Bacteria and Artificial Life

6.00-6.30

Plenary discussion

6.30-8.30pm

Reception top floor of EDB