



WOLF NKOLE HELZLE 2015_12

Face of Fraunhofer IIS: cordial invitation

For the 30th anniversary of the Fraunhofer IIS Social Media Artist Wolf Nkole Helzle has portrayed photographically employees of the various sites and regions of the Institute. In the exhibition, both all individual portraits can be seen as well as a face, which is formed by equal superposition of all those involved: „The Face of Fraunhofer IIS.“

On the balustrade at the entrance another work of the artist is projected, which represents thousands of different photographs of employees and developments of the Institute in a constantly changing 3D matrix.

A catalog accompanies the opening at **December 8, 6 p.m.**

„The Face of Fraunhofer IIS“ is a project in the exhibition series Art & Technology, which provides art and technology in interaction.

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I AM WE_IDENTITY

Once a year a group of people from different countries, who work with the Germany based social media artist Wolf Nkole Helzle, meet up to learn from each other. For the 5th meeting in 2016 Iris Bertz invited the group to come to Birmingham for a week with the theme of SHARING.

From 9. – 16th of May they will meet as many people as possible from different communities in Birmingham to exchange ideas, experiences and to learn from each other.

Wolf Nkole Helzle developed an accessible game called „I AM WE_IDENTITY“. In the meeting-workshops everybody will be able to upload his or her photos or photographed objects for his or her I AM WE_IDENTITY-CARD. This process will help to get know each other, break down boundaries, overcome language barriers and help us find resonances, themes that connect us. The photographs will also be part of a huge mosaic picture projected onto a wall at the culmination celebration at the end of the project.

On Saturday 14th of May, there will be a celebration with all the people and their families and friends at Birmingham City University, where all of us will: make art, eat, drink, dance, sing, make music; exchanging what we love and what makes us, learning from each other – in short: sharing.

We look forward to you all joining in! Be with us - be the community

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