

The Media Technology MSc program presents

Masterclass Creative Research

Saturday April 18th 2009
10:00 - 16:00

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Introduction

On Saturday, April 18 2009, the Media Technology MSc program of Leiden University organizes a full-day masterclass about Creative Research, a concept that is central in the Media Technology program.

Prof. dr. Bas Haring: *"Scientific research is often characterized by large scale projects which are carried out in a highly structured fashion. I consider it important to create a place for small scale projects which might be considered as rather whimsical."*

Program

Lectures on several topics which are essential for Creative Research by dr. Maarten Lamers and Prof. dr. Bas Haring.

- Boundaries of science
- Asking the right questions
- Finding the right answers
- Research across disciplines

Lunch

Lecture by Prof. dr. Wubbo Ockels

Assignment and feedback from lecturers

Discussion about Creative Research

Registration

This Masterclass is open for students and PhD's from all disciplines. Registration open until April 9th, 2009. Students and PhD's can register for free. Contact Annebeth Simonsz: asimonsz@liacs.nl. More information about the Media Technology program: www.mediatechnology.leiden.edu
You could bring your laptop, but it's not compulsory.

About the lecturers

Wubbo Ockels is professor Aerospace for Sustainable Engineering and Technology at the Delft University of Technology. He has overseen the Nuna projects. He has also proposed the development of a Superbus, a new method of high speed (250 km/hour) public transportation by road. Currently Wubbo Ockels is involved in his "LadderMill" sustainable energy program.

Maarten Lamers is an assistant professor within the LIACS computer science institute of Leiden University. He teaches the course 'Creative research' at the Media Technology MSc program. He wishes to deliver modern scientists that are capable of finding new, interesting and unexpected areas of research.

Bas Haring is extraordinary professor at Leiden University and teaches several courses like 'Creative Research' at the Media Technology MSc program. The Media Technology program was initiated by him. He is also a philosopher and writes books. His latest book is called 'Voor een echt succesvol leven'.