

THE RADICAL CITY

Dreamers, Makers, and Doers



A free public event at Dokk1 in Aarhus, Denmark

Saturday 13th April 10:00-16:00

Hosted by Burning Man Project, Maker Faire, and Dokk1

10:00

Fire Art from California to Copenhagen and how to create a Burning Man-inspired Art Space in a Commodified City

Dave X (Fire Art Safety Manager, Burning Man), Nicolas Padfield and Mads Hoby (illutron)

Hear about the history of fire art in California and the Burning Man arts groups and communities that carry the flame. Hear how Mads and Nicolas from illutron brought fire art to Denmark and their struggle to create a decommodified art space in gentrifying Copenhagen.

Main Hall

Burning Culture Quickie

Jurgis DID (Social Alchemist, Inspirational Troubadour)

An interactive musical experience focused on creative culture, co-creation, and community dynamics. Learn how to hack social systems using the 10 Principles of Burning Man.

Bastionen - Deck Outside Dokk1

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Welcome to "Radical City: Dreamers, Makers, and Doers"

Camilla Fabricius (Vice Mayor, City of Aarhus), Marie Østergård (Director, Dokk1 and libraries of Aarhus), Sabrina Merlo (Managing Director, Maker Faire), Meghan Rutigliano (ELS Event Director, Associate Director, Burning Man Project)

Kick-off your journey into this day-long "Radical Cities" event with leaders from Dokk1, Maker Faire, and Burning Man Project. They will discuss their commitment to community engagement and network facilitation, as well as describe the inspiration that brought this unique event to its culmination.

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Experimental Urbanism and Imagining Urban Futures

Peter Munthe-Kaas (Urban Development Researcher, Activist)

Presentation about future cities, urban utopias and how we can more imaginatively discuss urban development.

The Ramp - Level 1 and 2

A Breath to the World Workshop

Jorge Muñoz

This workshop contribute to the UN sustainability goals with the use of reuse materials. Participants create a wood product - an ornament they can see and touch and feel they have done something good for the world.

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Britta Riis Langdahl

Drawing Alphabet - drawing exercise.

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The Deck outside

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Harley K. Dubois (Burning Man Co-Founder, Chief Transition Officer), Stacie Ledden (Director of Innovations and Brand Strategy, Anythink), Stuart Mangrum (Director of Education, Burning Man Project)

Burning Man, Civic Engagement, and Maker Culture: Hear from Burning Man's Co-Founder and founder of the Black Rock Arts Foundation about the ways in which Burning Man supports civic art and artists who are actively engaging with their cities in meaningful ways. Harley will also talk about the relationship between Burning Man Project and the maker movement.

Everyone is Creative: At Anythink Libraries, one of the organization's core values is "everyone is creative." Hear from Anythink's Director of Innovation and Brand Strategy Stacie Ledden about how the organization has embodied this value by supporting the creativity of its staff and community through public art, partnerships, and experiences – and how it inspires public libraries worldwide to do the same.

Main Hall

Burning Man - principper og praksis

Lars Haahr (Denmark Burning Man Regional Contact), Jeppe Spure Nielsen (Aarhus Burns), Christian Dietrichsen (Denmark Burning Man Regional Contact), Carla Haahr, Emma Haahr, Sarah Jarsbo.

Kom og hør hvad der sker til Burning Man og hvordan du kan deltage. Vi indleder med fire korte oplæg om hvad børn og voksne har oplevet på Burning Man, og kaster derefter bolden op til spørgsmål og sjov.

The Ramp - Level 1 and 2

Introduction to the Platform Coop Movement

Juan Jose Keena

Platform Coops are a new business/organizational model that can benefit the future of work; protect, activate and empower citizens to take action while generating sustainable income through their labour and skillsets. This talk covers the history of the movement, practical tools and technologies used to develop platforms, examples of existing, successful platform coops in different industries, and further resources to learn more about the development of Platform Coop ventures.

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Tours on Wheels **the tour starts at 12 and takes 1 hour**

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Meeting Point - Inside Dokk1 by the Square

Tour of Sydhavnen, a Neighborhood in Transition

[Marc Sejr Eggen](#) (Kulbroen)

Curious about nearby Sydhavnen, a diverse neighborhood undergoing significant changes in the past, present, and future? Join this tour.

Meeting Point - Outside, on top of the Dokk1 steps

13:00

Gifting in a Radical City

[Theresa Duncan](#) (Director of Philanthropic Engagement, Burning Man Project), [Thomas Lütken](#) (Givisme, Habit Breaker Palace, Aarhus)

An in-depth conversation on the impact of gifting culture in Black Rock City, Aarhus, Burner communities across the world, and beyond.

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How Radical Can a City Be?

[MoKka](#) (Amsterdam Senior Urban Designer, Berlin Burner), [Jeppe Spure Nielsen](#) (Aarhus Burns)

Group discussion about what a Radical City means and what conditions need to be created in order for a Radical City to thrive.

Meeting Room 2

Art Bike Invasion

Giedrius Kavaliauskas (Lithuania Burning Man Regional Contact, Maker Faire Producer), Povilas Germanavicius (Lithuania Burning Man Regional Contact)

Learn about the Art Bike Invasion project, which has successfully been implemented in Lithuania cities, and discuss how to create similar civic activations in your city. Afterwards, artify your bike with participants from the project!

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Boring Magazine

Iga Izabela Górniak (Design School Kolding)

Discover alternatives to boredom through the world of imagination, creative expression and radical innovation through this co-created workshop.

The Ramp - Level 4

Mapping a Radical City

Trippi Longstocking (Associate Director of Placement, Burning Man)

Join Burning Man's City Planner for a behind-the-scenes look at what it takes to plan and map Black Rock City (population 70,000). Together we'll explore the question: "What lessons from our Radical City in the desert might be applied to year-round cities?" and talk through the many considerations that must be made to ensure incredible interactive experiences and good neighborly relations.

The Ramp- Level 5

City Remade (By Forfra): When the Desert Becomes an Ocean

Stine Tange and Martin Erstad (Creators, By Forfra - City Remade)

Explore how the ocean, like the Black Rock Desert, acts as a canvas for co-creation, art, sustainability, off-the-grid solutions and a safe, organic growing and floating city.

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Burning Man Network Showcase

Hosted by Diana Zan

Snapshot of three Burning Man communities and their local creative and community-driven projects in Europe.

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Improving Human Relationships and Connection: A Design Workshop **Please note that this session is 90 minutes long**

Carl Emmerik Rohde, Lars Jørgen Riisdal, and Máté Technical (University of Denmark-DTU, Copenhagen)

Interactive workshop exploring how we can increase human connection, decrease loneliness and social isolation, and improve the emotional health of a city. Please Note: Pre-registration for this 90-minute workshop is encouraged.

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Hands-on team building creative workshop focused on creating positive campaign strategies aimed at saving the world by making sustainability sexy again!

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Meaningful Engagement

Stacie Ledden (Director of Innovation and Brand Strategy, Anythink)

In a world that feels so disconnected, people are craving more than ever opportunities for meaningful engagement. Many times, they look to libraries as a safe place for dialogue with friends, neighbors and strangers. Hear from Anythink Libraries Director of Innovations and Brand Strategy about the ways this public library system engages its community, and the methods of engagement that inspire her organization.

The View

Land Value Capture: A Radical Funding Solution for Cities and Communities

Rob Blakemore (United Kingdom Burning Man Regional Contact, Coalition for Economic Justice)

Learn how Land Value Capture is a central issue addressing the growing divide between rich and poor. We will discuss how land value increases can be used for funding your community - whatever its size. We'll look at examples of deployments by National Government, and at the local scale for those planning and funding modern cities.

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Radical City Workshop: Participatory Budgeting for Urban Development

Torben Glock (Innovation & Democracy Department, City of Aarhus)

Public funds are allocated for projects and ideas developed and partly delivered by the citizens through this method. Learn from the City of Aarhus government about how this tool supports urban development

DOMEN - outside Dokk1

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15:00

Burning Nerds: Research on the Burning Man Frontiers by Graham St. John

Graham St John (University of Fribourg, Switzerland, Burning Progeny), Hugi Asgeirsson (Borderlands), Jukka-Pekka Hekkila and Elina Koivisto (Burning Stories)

Panel on research projects on the Burning Man movement, from its history, culture, people to event operations.

Main Hall

Panel Discussion about the Danish film "The Journey"

Carsten Holst (Executive Producer) and Pauline Asingh (Exhibition Curator) hosted by Lars Haahr (Denmark Burning Man Regional Contact)

We are proud to announce that the screening of "The Journey" will be followed by a moderated aftertalk with the creative minds behind the film and its exhibition in Aarhus during the 2017 European Capital of Culture Initiative.

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Event Organizer MeetUp: Burning Man Regionals, Maker Faires & Other Radical City Events

[Sabrina Merlo](#) (Maker Faire), [Meghan Rutigliano](#) (Burning Man), [Goku](#) (Vilnius Mini Maker Faire and Burning Man DPW)

This is a chance for Producers of cultural events across Europe to introduce themselves and their events. We will do a round of introductions, discuss a few ideas for collaboration, and break off into smaller regional groups to trade contact info.

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All presentations and activities last 45 minutes unless otherwise noted.

Program subject to change.