

De expositie en film *Born at Night* nemen je mee in een verkenning van 's werelds grootste electronicamarkt in Shenzhen, China. Daar werken ontelbare mensen die gespecialiseerd zijn in de handel van elektronica-onderdelen; van transistors en usb-poortjes tot en met micro-chips. Waar overdag in de markt de focus ligt op de verkoop, experimenteren de arbeiders in de avond vanuit thuis met nieuwe toepassingen. Zo ontwikkelde het ecosysteem van de markt zich in de afgelopen jaren als productinnovator. Born at Night benadert het ontwerpproces vanuit een heel ander perspectief en stelt het Westerse denken over design, innovatie en individueel auteurschap ter discussie. Via een scala aan artefacten – van bizarre lichtdisplays, tot karaoke-microfoons, en mobiele telefoons op maat – krijg je een indruk van hoe de Chinese ‘bottom-up benadering’ ontwerpprocessen zou kunnen veranderen of verrijken. *The exhibit shows an investigation into the world's largest electronics market in Shenzhen, China. This market is home to an ecosystem which in recent years has developed itself as a product innovator. Where during the day the focus is on sales, at night products are created that question the Western way of thinking about design, innovation and individual authorship. As the first foreign creative director of Design Academy Eindhoven, Joseph Grima is an important new stakeholder in the Eindhoven field of design. That's why we invited him to introduce himself through his vision on design. He proposed the high-profile research that he conducted -in collaboration with Martina Muzi- within Space Caviar.*

EXHIBITION Discover a different perspective on design and innovation, free entrance

MOVIE free entrance, 35 minutes, continuously screening

CURATOR Joseph Grima and Martina Muzi

EXHIBITION DESIGN Daphna Laurens

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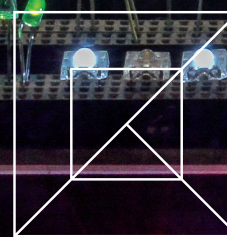
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