

# Could robots make our public spaces better?

Wednesday, September 27<sup>th</sup>, 2023 15:00~18:00

The University of Tokyo, Komaba Campus, KOMCEE West K302

ethnography  
robotics  
design  
AI



## Robot City workshop @UT

This workshop features an introductory conversation between two roboticists on the cutting edge of research, Prof Gentiane Venture (University of Tokyo) and Prof Dana Kulic (Monash University). In an interactive panel, they will talk about the failures and successes of existing public space robots, and speculate about what's to come and the questions we should be asking of these technologies. Prof Shanti Sumartojo (Monash University) will then invite participants to experiment with robots in augmented reality, moving from the digital to the analogue world to hack these robots in creative ways. By speculating and creating analogue robot prototypes for themselves, participants will explore and express the public space robots they want and need.

This workshop welcomes everyone interested in or curious about the future of cities, design, ethnography, robotics, AI. It moves between digital and analogue settings to creatively explore the possibilities for the future of how we might live with robots. Registration mandatory ↓ ↓ ↓.

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