SOCIAL IMPACT
SUMMER SCHOOL

OVERVIEW
The social impact of technologies is typically thought about fairly late, if ever, in the design process. Indeed, it can be difficult at design time to predict what effects technologies will have. Nevertheless, design decisions can inadvertently “lock in” particular values early on. Moreover, the values and experiences incorporated in the development of new technology continue to be those of dominant social groups. In this workshop, we will draw on science & technology studies, technology design, and the arts to analyze the values embodied in technology design and to design technologies to promote alternative perspectives and positive social impact.

LOGISTICS
Rising college seniors and graduate students at any stage from a variety of disciplines are invited to attend, including informatics, computer science, science and technology students, communication, product design, and visual arts.

Travel, food, and lodging will be covered. The workshop will be restricted to twenty (20) students.

WHEN
June 18-22nd 2018
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Ithaca, NY

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