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Following the government’s recommendations, Ada X will close its doors for a 28-day period starting tomorrow. The exhibition *A Harlem Nocturne* is open to the public today until 5pm. We will soon announce online mediation activities and we are still evaluating the possibility of accomodating members in our laboratory during this period.



Programming



exhibition

A Harlem Nocturne, Deanna Bowen
Curator: Kimberly Phillips
⇓ 4001 Berri (OBORO, Ada X & GIV)
September 12 – October 17 (now until October 1st)
[Reserve here](#)

“Bowen’s aim is to posit a powerful counterpoint to common narratives that oversimplify historical narratives of Canada’s complex and vibrant Black presence. She reminds us that even seemingly insignificant documents can be rich repositories for unintended readings, and for questioning who has been charged with writing our histories and why.”
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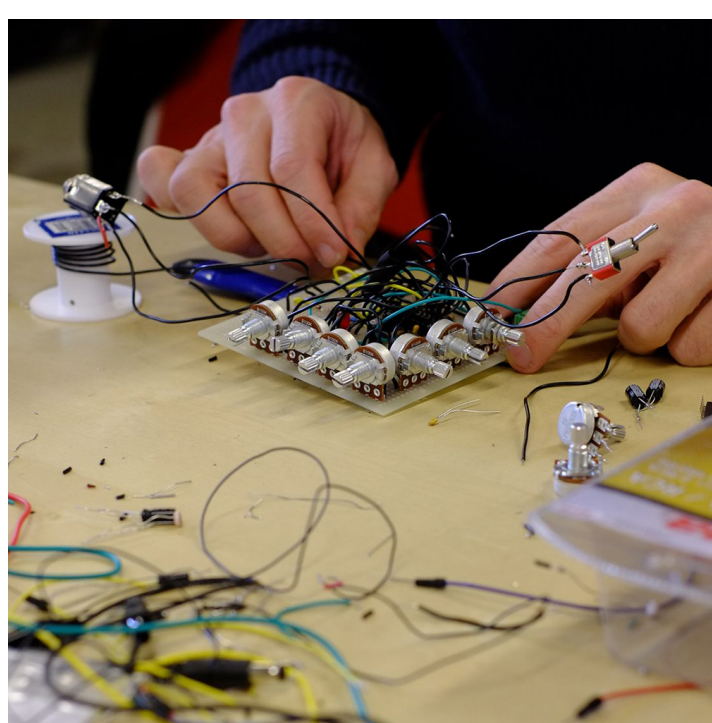
discussion

Book club: *Kindred* by Octavia Butler
with [Anastasia Erickson](#)
Thursday October 8 and 15, 7pm – 9pm
⇓ Online

In dialogue with the exhibition *A Harlem Nocturne* by Deanna Bowen, Anastasia Erickson’s book club invites readers to discuss Octavia Butler’s 1979 novel *Kindred*. The group will engage with Black exploration of, and intervention in, ancestral histories, as well as the shared impulse in the exhibition and novel to investigate heritages through reformatted shapes of time. The discussion will open up questions around intergenerational healing, advocacy, recuperation, and legacies found both in the novel and in Bowen’s work. [READ MORE](#)



Workshops



DIY electronics
October + November 2020
⇓ Online

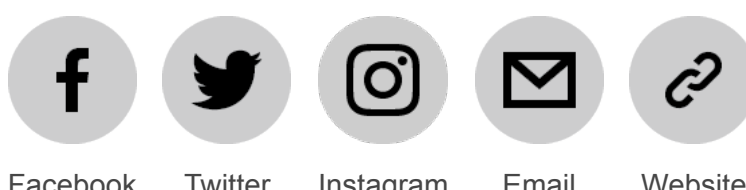
Participants will explore physical phenomena related to electricity, such as electromagnetism and electrochemistry, in the spirit of Do-It-Yourself creation. [+ INFO](#)



Mapping Vidéo
Fall 2020 (postponed)
⇓ Ada X

This hands-on workshop introduces participants to video mapping techniques using the open-source projection mapping software Map Map, alongside Madmapper. [+ INFO](#)

→ These workshops will be in a form adapted for physical distancing measures. Contact ateliers@studioxx.org to register.



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