
AMW47

The Forty-Seventh Asilomar Microcomputer hypoWorkshop

April 28-30, 2021

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Wednesday, April 28 (all times Pacific!)

- 6:00pm** **Pandemic Greetings, Call for Volunteers & Gifts**—Robert G. Kennedy III PE (hereinafter just “RGK3”), *Ultimax Group*, General Chair
- 6:05pm** **Newcomers Raise Hands on Camera, give their Elevator Speeches**
- 6:15pm** **Zoomin Search Engine** (via chat)
- 6:30pm** **Evening Reception Opens** (virtual fire & tunes provided by OrgComm)

Thursday, April 29 (all times Pacific!)

- 6:00pm** **Open Discussion: A Rich Asilomar Tradition**—Kathleen Tuite, RAT Patroller
Ten-minute presentations on any subject you choose. Contact Kathleen immediately upon registration to request a time slot, first-come, first-reserved. All participants welcome!
<https://forms.gle/7Xcmk7QKFCsu9Ty87> *Don't dawdle; slots get grabbed up fast!*

Friday, April 30 (all times Pacific!)

- 9:00am** **Q&A about programs in "Saving the World"**—Mark Cummings, *Orchestral Networks*, Lead
- Farmers Helping with Global Warming—John Novitsky, *Co-founder, Aqua-Prawnics*
 - Overcoming Intermittency Associated with Renewable Power Generation—Paul Monus, *EnergyTransitionDynamics.com*
 - Evaluating Full Spectrum of Geoengineering Techniques for Mitigating Climate Change—RGK3 & his crew of the next generation of young geengineers, *Ultimax Group Inc.*
- 10:00am** **Break**
- 10:15am** **Q&A about programs in "Technology Diffusion"**—Ken Shoemaker, *Intel emeritus*, Lead
- Speed Bumps in Computational Thinking—Dennis Allison, *emcee-impresario, EE 380, Stanford University*
 - The Good and Bad of Additive Manufacturing—Mary Baker, *HP, Inc.*
 - The Doctor Will Hear You Now—David Weekly, *CEO, Medcorder*
- 11:15am** **Break**
- 11:30am** **Q&A about programs in "Tomorrow and Yesterday"**—Brian Berg, *Berg Software Design*, Lead
- What's New in Robotic Transport and Cities—Brad Templeton, *robocars.com*
 - The Entropy's the Limit—Paul Vixie, *Farsight Security, Inc.*
 - A Biography of the Pixel—Alvy Ray Smith, *Co-founder, Pixar*
- 12:30pm** **Thanks/Kudos, Call for Vols & Gifts, What's Coming @ AMW48**—RGK3

Stay tuned here: <https://amw.org/2021-workshop-update/>

Programs on YouTube: <https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLpP0ULBX1rqTppvldFDg3HVk4VIqfHi0J>

A Zoom link to the virtual hypoWorkshop will be emailed out to all registrants

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Wednesday 35 years ago, high levels of radiation resulting from the Chernobyl disaster are detected at a nuclear power plant in Sweden, leading Soviet authorities to publicly announce the accident.

Thursday Speaking of Sweden, 3 years ago that country officially confirmed via Twitter that their signature dish, Swedish meatballs, actually originated in Turkey. 65 years before that, the first experimental 3D-TV broadcast ("Space Patrol") occurred via ABC's L.A. affiliate KECA-TV.

Friday marks 124 years since J. J. Thomson of the Cavendish Laboratory announced his discovery of the electron as a subatomic particle, at a lecture at the Royal Institution in London. 97 years after that, CERN announced that the World Wide Web protocols would be free. On this day in 1939, NBC made the first public television broadcast in the US.

*Please join us who-knows-where? for AMW48: April 27–29 2022. Stay tuned to www.amw.org
Suggestions for speakers, participants, or session topics for AMW48: chair@amw.org*