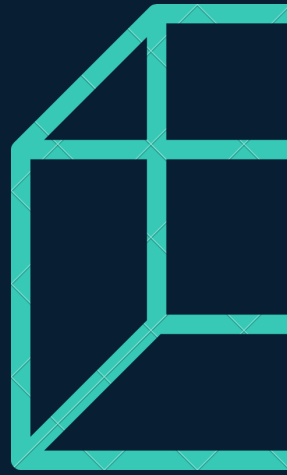# WORKSHOP AT NIT SILCHAR

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CONCEPT NOTE

This workshop takes on the question of what the future of 'human' means, and the bridging of the (post-)humanistic condition with technological and economic advancement. While elaborating on technology as an object of politics, democracy and the public face of science, this workshop seeks to understand: what sort of entanglement of materials and histories occur 'when species meet'? (c.f. Haraway); how does technologic intermediation occur and how does it define us? (c.f. Hayles); and what sort of agency is present in objects or 'things' (c.f. Barad)?

REGISTRATION

Fee: Students: 500/- | Faculty: 1000/-
Please pay the requisite fee online to the account of the Director, NIT Silchar (A/C No. 10521277057, Bank: State Bank of India, Branch: NIT Silchar, IFSC: SBIN0007061). Next, fill in the registration from available at: https://goo.gl/forms/B6tAPv8GsUxIJl9C2

LOGISTICS

Outstation participants will be accommodated at the Institute Guest House/hostels upon payment (subject to availability). No TA/DA will be paid to the participants. However, this event is organized under the aegis of TEQIP III. This implies that participants from TEQIP-complaint institutes will be able to reimburse the expenses from their home institutes.