

MobileUK

Perspectives on the Social Impact of Mobile Technology

Wednesday 23rd January 2002

Diskus

Transport House, 128 Theobalds Road, London WC1

1.30 – 5.30 (followed by drinks)

Mobile phones are the most successful computer-based consumer product of the age, and yet very little is known about how mobile technology is changing the way people interact and cooperate with each other, and how this change can be analysed.

– Wireless World, Digital World Research Centre

MobileUK, a half-day seminar hosted jointly by The Industrial Society's iSociety research project and the Digital World Research Centre examine the existing social impact of second generation mobile phones, and the potential social uses and effects of future mobile technology.

Panel 1

Did The Future Just Happen?

The Social Effects of Pervasive Mobile Telephony

Professor Jim Norton

Max Nathan

Richard Harper

Sadie Plant (tbc)

Richard Reeves

Deutsche Telekom

Industrial Society

Director, Digital World Research Centre

Author

Chair

Panel 2

Whatever Next:

The Potential Social Impacts of 3G and other future technologies

Mike Short

Andrew Grantham and George Tsekouras

Phil Stenton

Tom Standage (Chair)

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