

International Keynote Speaker

Topic:

"Virtuality" – from thinking to making



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Abstract:

'Virtual Reality' is a term that everyone is familiar with today. A so-called "weasel word" – if you try to grasp it and define it, it becomes difficult to pin down. Most people will consider the "virtuality" to be a modern phenomenon, but it is not. The idea of a world alongside the world we see and act in is old. Even the first concrete description of VR glasses is almost 100 years old. Technical attempts were made 65 years ago. Even the devices and procedures of 30 years ago have nothing in common with today's possibilities. However, the fact that the concept of 'virtual reality' became widely known and emerged from the laboratories of specialised scientists can only be explained by the fact that VR became a topic of popular culture. How this happened, I will explain in my lecture.