Biomaterial Prop Maker: Expressions of Interest

Produced Moon are looking to meet designers, prop makers and fabricators working with Biomaterials for an upcoming project - Glory Mold: 2084.

Glory Mold: 2084

We're looking for collaborators to work on our speculative sci-fi project Glory Mold, about a future world where humans live alongside a slime mold artificial intelligence. With Glory Mold we challenge the widespread adoption of AI in its current form, using immersion and play to explore how AI could develop differently.

Glory Mold: 2084 is an immersive installation that invites audiences to interact with the character of Glory Mold through touch, sound, movement, light and more. Glory Mold responds and plays like a slime mold - in deep connection with the environment, and in a multi-sensory, pluralistic and decentralised way. They tell stories about the future they have shaped, for better or worse. By interacting with Glory Mold we want audiences to sense, feel and experience an alternate reality.

We've already R&Ded the installation at the Watershed, Bristol so you'd be joining our team which includes creative technologists, and an installation designer. Watch a video here.

This project does involve the use of Al large language models, which are reflected on critically in the work. If you'd like to chat to us about Al in this project do get in touch.

What we're looking for

We want to connect with designers, makers and fabricators who are interested in collaborating with us to specifically develop the representation of the character of Glory Mold, with the aim of creating tactile slime-mold inspired tentacles and tendrils.

We'd love for the tentacles to:

- Be tactile and sensory
- Be made of biomaterials
- Be robust enough to be used in a touring installation.

We're interested in meeting makers and designers who:

- Are working with biomaterials
- Have experience in interactive installation design
- Have connections to fabricators / fabricate pieces themselves

If you are interested in hearing more about the project and talking with us, please send us an email to leonie@producedmoon.co.uk with the subject line - Glory Mold Biomaterials with a link to your website / portfolio / work and we'll be in touch. Looking forward to hearing from you!

Deadline: 12th November 4pm