

Dream or Nightmare?

Designing Future Scenarios for Implants & Wearables



Technology is becoming an increasingly important part of who we are. Wearables already track our health, while future implants may restore or enhance senses and connect the human body directly to digital systems. As a result, the boundary between humans and machines is becoming less clear.

This creates opportunities for health, safety, and connection, but also raises questions about privacy, autonomy, equality, and what it means to be human.

Next Nature Museum explores the relationship between nature, technology, and the future through speculative design and immersive experiences.

Imagine a future where technology is everywhere: on our skin, in our clothing, and even inside our bodies. Will implants and wearables improve our lives, or fundamentally change what it means to be human?

We challenge you to bring this future to life through an engaging and thought-provoking exhibition piece for Next Nature Museum!

"How might we create interactive exhibits that stimulate museum visitors to reflect on future applications of implants and wearables and their impact on human life?"



Criteria

- The exhibit presents a future vision of wearable technology as either a **dream or a nightmare**.
- The envisioned future is translated into a **tangible object** that stimulates interaction.
- The design is **accessible and understandable** for a broad museum audience.
- It provokes **curiosity, discussion or reflection** about the future of wearable technology.
- It includes at least one **interactive or working feature** that demonstrates the envisioned functionality.