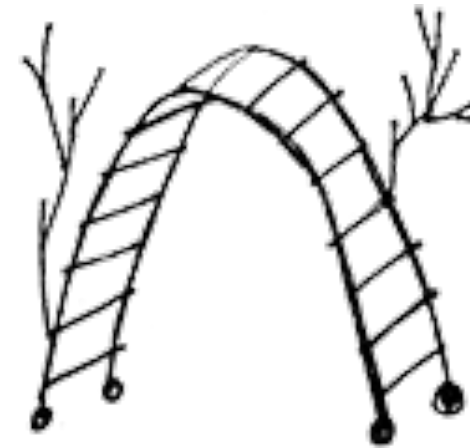


PRODUCTIVE FICTIONS

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Approaches at DS4SI

We are situated at the intersections of design thinking and practice, social justice and activism, public art and social practice and civic / popular engagement.

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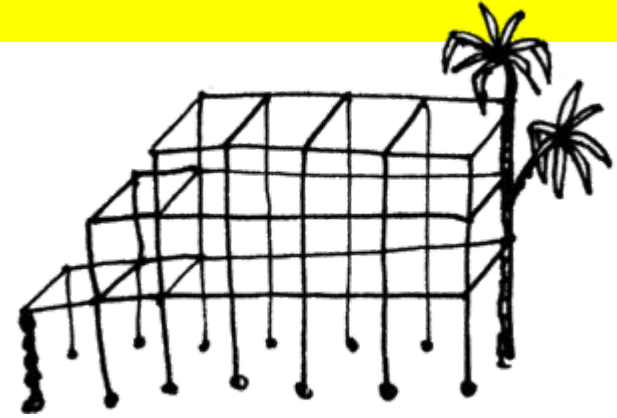
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Mission



The Design Studio for Social Intervention is dedicated to **changing how social justice is imagined, developed and deployed** here in the United States.

IN PRACTICE

We function as a **creativity lab for social justice work in the public sphere**. The Studio is a space where **activists, artists, academics** and **the larger public** come together to imagine new approaches to social change and new angles to address complex social issues. We also design social interventions that engage populations in imagining and designing new solutions to social problems.



PUBLIC KITCHEN

WATCH PUBLIC KITCHEN VIDEO

<https://youtu.be/rFTPYYVmF9-g>





If KICHENS were PUBLIC

like libraries,

how might that change

social life?





Productive Fictions:

**A DS4SI mechanic that
builds temporary
micro-spaces to create
room for people
to imagine**



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DANCE COURT



Go to the idea you think is fun

In small groups talk about the idea

>> Why do you like it?

>> Who would be attracted to it if it was in your community

>> Who would be so into it they'd volunteer to help

Productive Fictions

Magic Circle

Play Testing Experience

Thank you!

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