

BERTO PADOLFO & RODERICK WALDEN

Digifacture

2010 | Sydney Design 2010

Digifacture comprised a number of different elements each producing different outcomes: a design studio developed and produced original objects, an exhibition presented the research to a wider community and a catalogue provided documentation. The focus of the project was a practice-led investigation of industrial design and advanced manufacturing technologies, specifically, Selective Laser Sintering (SLS) and Direct Metal Lasering Sintering (DMLS), technologies that enable rapid manufacture of objects in high performance materials and are predicted to challenge traditional manufacturing systems. Eight designers and artists (UTS researchers and external practitioners) participated: Douglas Nash, Stefan Lie, Shelden Vaughan, Bert Bongers, Jos Mulder, Adam Goodrum, Roderick Walden and Berto Pandolfo. The exhibition was held in collaboration with the Powerhouse Museum's design festival, Design10, at the Frasers Studios gallery, Sydney, August 5-10 2010, and was opened by Prof. Kees Dorst with guests from the design and manufacturing sectors, media and the general public.

Geometric complexity, part unification and customised product variants are advantages these technologies offer over the current set of manufacturing systems that industrial designers are typically trained to develop designs for. The research investigated how these advantages might manifest in future products, necessary changes to design processes, and the impact on manufacturing methods.

The research presented demonstrated innovative applications of SLS and DMLS, along with important insights for design and design for manufacture.

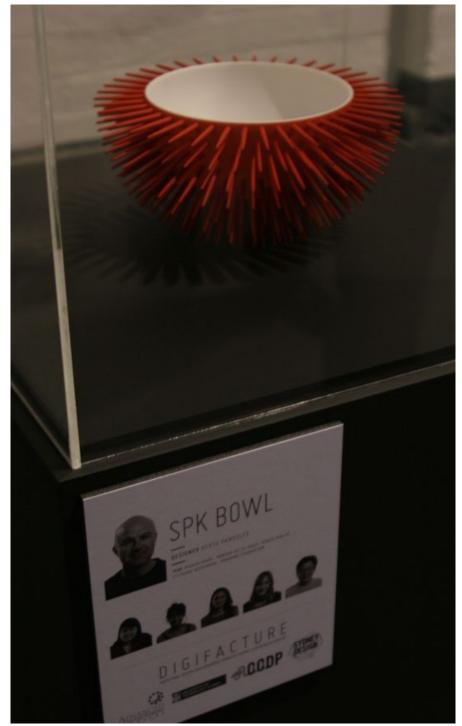
Digifacture received financial and in kind support from Advanced Manufacturing Services (an industry partner), the UTS Centre for Contemporary Design Practice (CCDP) and the Industrial Design Program at UTS.

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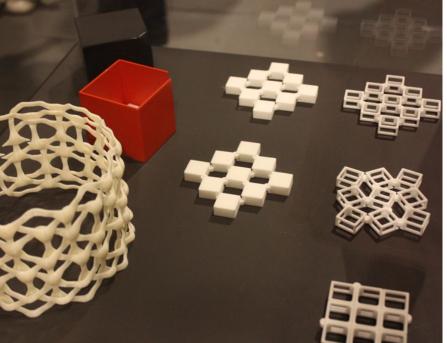
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- SPK Bowl
 SLS Prototype in Polyamide
 Designed by Berto Pandolfo
- 2. Mountain Bike Crank Arm DMLS Prototype in Stainless Steel Designed by Roderick Walden
- 3. 3.5 Coasters SLS Prototypes in Polyamide Designed by Adam Goodrum









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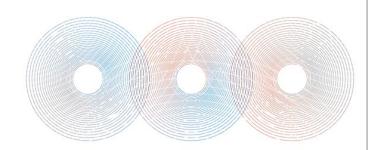
1.NSW Police Load Bearing Vest: Appointment Holster Design SLS Prototypes in Polyamide Designed by Shelden Vaughan

- 2. Individual Interfaces
 FDM Prototypes in ABS
 Designed by Bert Bongers and
 Jos Mulder
- 3. Cutlery
 SLS and DMLS Prototypes.
 Polyamide and Stainless Steel
 Designed by Douglas Nash
- 4. Eyewear SLS Prototypes in Polyamide Designed by Stefan Lie



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OPENING NIGHT THURSDAY AUGUST 5, 6:30 - 8:30pm

EXHIBITION OPEN DAILY 1 - 5pm UNTIL AUGUST 10

An exhibition of laser sintered (SLS) manufactured designs by the Industrial Design program at the University of Technology, Sydney and Advanced Manufacturing Services Pty. Ltd.

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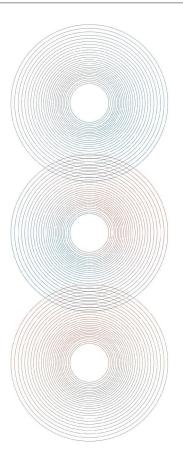
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- 1. Digifacture Catalogue Cover and spine
- 2. Digifacture Catalogue ISBN page
- 3. Digifacture Industry Invite

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SYDNEY DESIGN

DIGIFACTURE 31 July-15 August, Monday-Friday 9am-5pm Fraser Studio, Chippendale, free

One of the most exciting developments in manufacturing in recent times has been the process called selective laser sintering (SLS). This process allows designers to create solid complex objects quickly and with no tooling. It utilises a computer-controlled laser beam that fuses together plastic or metallic powder—one cross-sectional layer at a time.

This exhibition highlights the remarkable flexibility, complexity and joyous creativity unleashed by SLS. On display is a series of SLS design projects by the industrial design program at the UTS, Sydney, in collaboration with Advanced Manufacturing Services, Australia. The exhibition proposes future directions in industrial design and its relationship with manufacturing.

31 July-15 August, Monday-Saturday 10am-4pm, daily, free Talk: 3 August 6.30pm-8.30pm, \$10 Tusculum, 3 Manning Street, Potts Point. Bookings 9246 4055

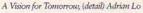
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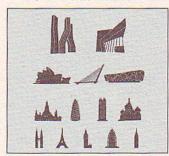
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When architects, design professionals and students were invited to create Advertisements for Architecture, the results included an array of tongue-in-cheek ads, ranging from a cigarette pack poster saying 'Architecture is Addictive' to a heavy-metal inspired t-shirt. Even the world's most famous fictional architect, Mike from The Brady Bunch, gets a guernsey in one of the ads. The 'mad men'-and women-who have created these faux advertising gems will discuss their work at a lively talk for architects, designers and the public.

Urchin, Berto Pandolfo











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- 1. Digitfacture Exhibition Poster (A3)
- 2. Sydney Design 2010 Catalogue page 97, published by the Powerhouse Museum.

Sydney Design 2010 Digifacture page. Includes a description of the exhibition, dates and location. http://www.sydneydesign.com.au/2010/index.php/exhibitions/rapid-manufacture-a-new-relationship-between-industrial-design-and-advanced-manufacturing

AMS is our Industry Partner for the Digifacture Project. Click on Digifacture on the right of the screen, under Downloads to open a .pdf version of the exhibition catalogue.

http://www.advancedmanufacturing.com.au/partners.html



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