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FCX2013, the annual Free Culture Conference, brings together student leaders, creators, entrepreneurs, policymakers, scholars, and educators, who are contributing to a more free, open, and participatory culture. Through panels and keynote speakers and workshops, FCX 2013 will explore current issues in intellectual property law, open access, maker culture, and technology policy and advocacy.

SATURDAY, APRIL 20th, 2013 • 8:30am - 5:30pm • Auditorium

Keynote: Benjamin Mako Hill (Berkman Center for Internet and Society)

Keynote: James Vasile (Open Internet Tools Project, New America Foundation)

Getting Past Gridlock:

What does Tangible Copyright Reform Look Like? How can copyleft advocates and copyright reformists make progress in effectuating change in United States copyright laws?

Speakers: Parker Higgins (Electronic Frontier Foundation), Pat Aufderheide (Center for Social Media), Karen Sandler (QuestionCopyright.org, GNOME), Sherwin Siy (Public Knowledge)

Makers, Hackers, and the World They Build:

This panel explores how maker and hacker culture puts into practice free culture ideals, as well as how makers and hackers build community and work towards social good.

Speakers: Trystram Spiro-Costello (Rutgers University), Catarina Mota (NYU ITP/openMaterials), Alicia Gibb (NYCResistor/Open Source Hardware Association), Daniel Reetz (DIYBookScanner)

The Future of Open Access Advocacy:

What is the impact of OA on academic research and publishing? What are the core principles behind OA? How can people effectively advocate for open access causes?

Speakers: Adi Kamdar (Electronic Frontier Foundation), Nicole Allen (Student PIRGs/Make Textbooks Affordable), Nick Shockey (SPARC/Right to Research Coalition), Timothy Vollmer (Creative Commons)

The Changing Landscape of Online Speech and its Regulation:

Should online speech be regulated? If so, who should regulate? Panelists will discuss whether Internet service providers should be held liable for user-generated content, and what such liability would mean for free expression online.

Speakers: Jennifer Baek (New York Law School), Molly Land (New York Law School), Gabriel Rottman (American Civil Liberties Union), Ari Waldman (New York Law School)

SUNDAY, APRIL 21th, 2013 • 10:30am - 5:30pm

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Free Culture & Civic Engagement
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Lightning Talks/Presentations

SFC General Body Meeting

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