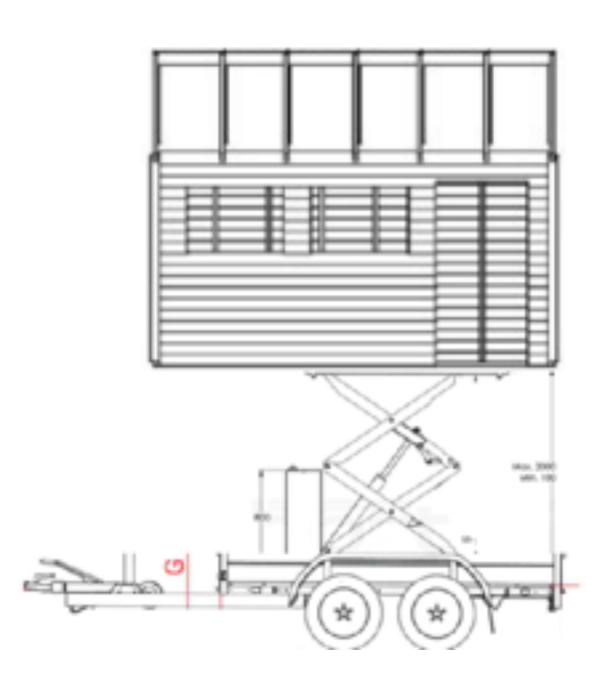
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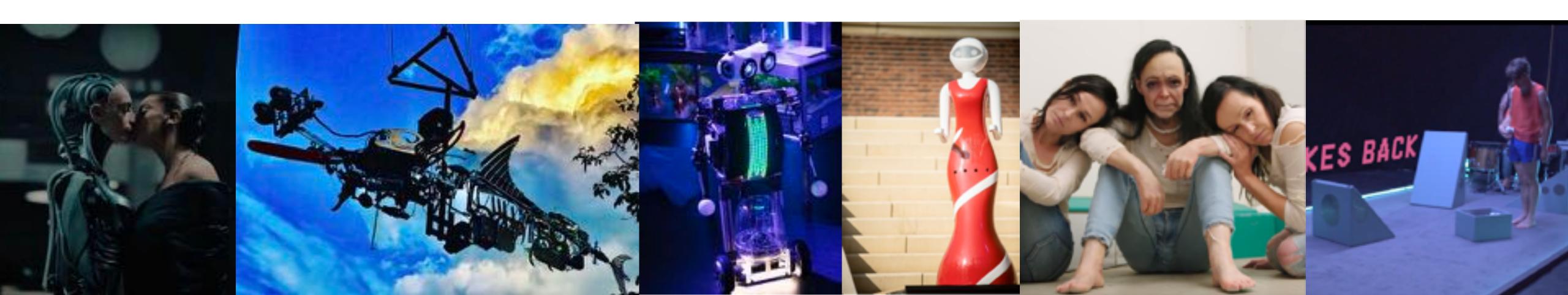


The Climate Nomads



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Idea (or the ingredients)



nonlinear theatre production living technology

tiny house on legs as character, stage and set addressing topics of climate, community and Al site-specific, mobile location theatre (pop-up) musical performance

leading, after 2024, to a more staged production



living (tiny) house

think up! + baba yaga + howl's moving castle + AT-ST with a dash of waterworld, steampunk and mad-max



Technology how to make a house walk?

- tandem-axle cart as base
- using caravan movers to drive (when not towed)
- double scissor lift to make two legs (used in garage)
- tiny house (light weight logcabin) on top
- solar panels, windmill, etc..



Story (setting)

after the big flood, coming to terms with a new status quo main characters survive (in a decidedly swampy Twente region) have to get in contact with others, the house has a mind of its own story about climate, community and AI - adapting to the new life



research question / goal

for this cross-TIC call

- develop a concept for extending a nonlinear theatre performance to other (for example the digital) domain, before and after a physical performance
- design (new) ways for audience interaction and participation (and develop the necessary technical means)
- how can audience host*, care for and connect with the house (and the performance).

