

British Science Festival for Everyone

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After couple of months of adaptation at a new place and familiarisation with new research project, Prototouch fellows got involved in MCA's (FP7 Marie Curie Actions) Outreach entails research. The goal of this activity is to create awareness among the general public about the research work performed in the MCA's and its implications for citizens. As well as raising the profile of MCA with the general public, outreach activities introducing also students from schools and universities to science, research and innovation.

Each September the British Science Festival transforms a different UK city into a vibrant celebration of science, engineering and technology. This year's Festival will take place in [Birmingham](#), in partnership with the [University of Birmingham](#), from 6 - 11 September 2014. Birmingham is recognised as being at the forefront of scientific and technological advancement and the presence of the British Science Festival will enhance this reputation.



The Festival offers an unrivalled opportunity for the region to showcase its science and technology credentials to the UK and around the world. ESRs from Birmingham (Brygida Dzidek) and Paris (S er ena Bochereau) will organise a talk with audio-visual support & hands-on demonstrations. The aim of this workshop is to illustrate important facts about human touch, present recent tactile technologies from a user perspective, and to understand the rationale and implications of using our touch sense in everyday activities. Program was been in the programme for a post-16 audience included.

Look for more information at:

<http://www.britishscienceassociation.org/british-science-festival>