## Lectures on Computational and Structural Origami

## January 22<sup>nd</sup> (Mon) 17:30—19:00 Room 242 (4<sup>th</sup> floor), Engineering Bldg. 2, UTokyo Hongo Campus

The concept of ORIGAMI is now being researched through a collaboration between various fields, including mathematics, computer science, engineering, biology, design, art, and education. This collaboration is leading to innovative engineering designs such as space structures, transformable robots, and folded architectures. Two lectures overview the theory and application of computational and structural origami.







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## Erik Demaine is a Professor

in Computer Science at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. Demaine's research interests range throughout algorithms, from data structures for improving web searches to the geometry of understanding how proteins fold to the computational difficulty of playing games. Together with his father Martin, his interests span the connections between mathematics and art. including curved-crease sculptures the in permanent collections of the Museum of Modern Art in New York, and the Renwick Gallery in the Smithsonian.

## Rupert Maleczek is an

Architect, Researcher and Consultant, currently working as Senior Scientist at the institute of design | structure and design (i.sd), at the University Innsbruck. He received his Architectural diploma degree from the University of Innsbruck in 2007, and finalized his PhD-Thesis about "Linear Folded Stripes" in April 2014 with distinction. Besides his expertise in structural origami, Rupert's research field is the relation between, architectural design, structure, self-organization, lightweight structures, computation and fabrication.



Check also:

- Structural Origami Exhibition @ Eng.2 Library (5<sup>th</sup> floor) 1/9--6/29 weekdays 9:30-17:30
- We have a party from 19:00.
  To attend, please fill in <u>https://goo.gl/forms/u7hla6Sa6QiWDtQ03</u> by Jan. 17<sup>th</sup>

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