

# Creative Participation

## Annie COOK

Annie is one of R-lab's guest speakers that will be hosting a workshop on Wednesday 29th of April 2021.

## Public Engagement for Scotland's AI Strategy | Citizen Engagement & Deliberative Democracy Festival

## Positive Energy

## Biography

Annie is a filmmaker, director, theatre practitioner, workshop lead and actor.

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8 years ago, Annie started directing stories through documentary. Annie has directed and produced promotional films, educational films, comedy sketches and films in between, some of which during the lockdown. At the heart of Annie's work and where her passion lies tends to be centred around people and their stories, she's strongly interested in stories that pack a punch and could invoke positive societal change.

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Just before the pandemic hit Annie was working in immersive theatre with Laugh and Let Die in Edinburgh, she has

experience in various formats; presenting, film and theatre. Annie is also an experienced facilitator, facilitating participatory budgeting workshops and events, Scotland's Citizen Assembly, Scotland's Climate Assembly, First Ministers' National Advisory Council for Women and Girls and Scotland's AI Strategy workshops.

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