



SHADOW

SEARCH

open call for proposals

Explore the use of natural-language search algorithms that are able to find people and activities that embody the self-understanding of the kind of art we are seeking without specifically using the word art or a related vocabulary.

In particular this search engine would allow prospectors in the world of information and databases to discover 'shadow art activities' that are partially hidden, off-the-radar, stealthy.

Cash prize: €1000

(the jury reserves the right not to award the prize if no submission fits the bill)

All submissions will be published online (with the exception of personal details)

The selection procedure will take place over several stages:

\* 15 October 2009 : Call goes out, submission forms can be downloaded at [n.e.w.s](http://n.e.w.s).

\* 15 November 2009: Closing date for entries

\* 20 November 2009: Final round submissions announced

\* 23 November 2009: Winner(s) announced

Please send:

\* a Pseudocode representation,

\* a plain text description no longer than 500 words,

\* if required you can add a graphical representation along with the text.

Please send all entries to: [shadow@northeastwestsouth.net](mailto:shadow@northeastwestsouth.net)  
To learn more, visit [n.e.w.s](http://northeastwestsouth.net/node/392) at <http://northeastwestsouth.net/node/392>

