What kind of workshops are there for me to attend?

Our current training courses are:
- Beginner- and advanced-level courses in Photoshop, Illustrator, InDesign
- Rhino(eros)
- Cinema4D
- Photography – theory and practice
- Model making
- Typography
- Printing

The workshops take place on the 4th floor, room 4170 C, vis-à-vis the Chair in Architectural Informatics. The entrance is beside the elevator in the stairwell that leads up to the Cafe Vorhoelzer. Please visit our website for news and a listing of our upcoming workshops. There you can register for a workshop, please keep your TUM user name/password at hand.

Where do i find ar:toolbox?

The ar:toolbox servicedesk is situated in room -1719, computer lab, in the basement in the north-eastern corner of the courtyard of the TUM main campus. There, you can make reservations, pick up and bring back devices. For current opening hours please check our Homepage.

What does ar:toolbox offer me?

In line with ar:toolbox, a constantly growing pool of rental devices is available. Renting a digital camera, styrofoam cutter, precision drill/grinder, laserdistancemeter, for example, is straightforward and easy. You just have to make a deposit and pay a small rental fee, in case you keep the device for more than one day. Frequent workshops give insight in how to use software applications, digital cameras or model making tools in a professional way. Our tutors even help you if you have any questions between workshops.

For TUM students of architecture ar:toolbox offers:
- Model making tools
- Multimedia devices
- Rental-laptops with preinstalled software
- Seminars for beginners and advanced learners
- Tutors that help with questions and problems
How do I get a rental laptop with preinstalled software?

You get a rental laptop on presentation of student card and personal ID at the service desk of ar:toolbox.

Two preparatory steps are essential:
Pick up the deposit form at the service desk. Then take the form to the TUM Zahlstelle and make the 200 Euro security deposit required. Bring your receipt!

Step by step:
- Request laptop at ar:toolbox servicedesk
- Pick up deposit form
- Make your deposit at TUM-Zahlstelle
- Bring your receipt, sign loan agreement
- Take the laptop
- Return laptop in time and undamaged.
- Extension of rental period possible, subject to availability
- Deposit will be refunded via bank transfer

How do I rent equipment?

The rental is for a maximum of five working days (styrofoam cutters max. 4 weeks), the devices are free for the first day and then cost two euros (or one euro) per day. The weekend is considered as one day.

You pick up and return the devices at the ar:toolbox service desk. Please bring your student ID!
A deposit must be made in cash, for multiple devices, the deposit will be the sum of each device's individual deposit. One can also pre-reserve a device at the service desk or per telephone (089) 289 22183 during service hours.

Our supply of rental equipment is constantly updated. Exact details and an overview of the currently loanable equipment as well as our service times can be found on our website.

What is offered in the areas model making / multimedia?

Model making tools currently available:
tool boxes, styrofoam cutters, small circular saws, jigsaws, scroll saws, cordless screwdriver, forcing case, precision drill/grinder, drill press, disc sander, belt sander, grinder, belt tensioner, round tenon cutter, hot glue gun, soldering iron, laser distancemeter.

Multimedia tools currently available:
Digital cameras and corresponding lenses, digital video-cameras, tripods, beamer, GoPro cameras, tool for color calibrating your laptop, graphics tablet, a lightkit and a black background for photography.

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