TALLINN UNIVERSITY

Department of Social & Cultural Anthropology

Anthropology Lectures

Wednesday 2 February 2011

M-134, 18:00-19:30

Juan-Gil Lopez (Member of ESCOITAR)

'Sound Walk, Talk'

Escoitar.org is a sound art collective made up of anthropologists, ethno-musicologists, musicians, artists and web designers. For the last years they have been doing research about sound/place connections as well as their cultural and aesthetic meanings.

Escoitar are in Estonia to produce a sound-walk for the KUMU Gateways exhibition. They are working with "noTours", a locative system designed by them, based on open source code (Android) using GPS and digital compass technology. This system displays audios and interviews creating geo-located stories focusing on the cultural meanings of sound. Throughout this week, they have been carrying out technical and conceptual sound workshops at KUMU.

For more information on the group see:

http://www.escoitar.org/

http://www.notours.org/

All welcome!! We look forward to seeing you at this event.