

**From:** Neil Gershenfeld [REDACTED]  
**Sent:** Sunday, December 8, 2013 2:28:18 PM  
**Subject:** Re:  
**To:** Jeffrey Epstein <jeevacation@gmail.com>

If you get a chance to read it, I wrote that paper as a manifesto for the project. The idea is to make software look like hardware, rather than hide the difference and pretend they're unrelated. Think of this as the substrate for brain-building.

Neil

On Sun, Dec 8, 2013 at 9:26 AM, Jeffrey Epstein <jeevacation@gmail.com> wrote:

I would like to hear more when you have time. computing as compared to calculating?. . relationships as compared to equivalence?. Hillis in the early days wanted a machine that was proud of him.

On Sun, Dec 8, 2013 at 9:22 AM, Neil Gershenfeld <neil.gershenfeld@cba.mit.edu> wrote:

Did I send you this paper:

<http://cba.mit.edu/docs/papers/11.12.Computing.pdf>

and talk:

<http://www-03.ibm.com/ibm/history/ibm100/us/en/ideas/oct2011watson.html>

? My real interest in thinking about thinking is the mechanisms -- I'm increasingly convinced that there needs to be a do-over of all of computing.

Neil

On Sun, Dec 8, 2013 at 9:17 AM, Jeffrey Epstein <jeevacation@gmail.com> wrote:

either is fine. what would you need to fulfill the popper definition of falsifiable. . masquerade is a deceptive strategy. easily proven to be a false signal. . again the observer, of the interaction. has the more difficult problem as he sees both. of determining, which image is real.

On Sun, Dec 8, 2013 at 8:54 AM, Neil Gershenfeld [REDACTED] wrote:

sure, although I was going to include him in an intro to the whole group we sketched, could follow from that

On Sat, Dec 7, 2013 at 8:16 PM, Jeffrey Epstein <jeevacation@gmail.com> wrote:

can you introduce me to noam

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