

Word Salsa (a play on the term “word salad”) is an interactive, poetry-generating kiosk. Originally created for the 300<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the city of San Antonio, Word Salsa uses a database of San Antonio poetry and basic AI to create a unique poem which is read aloud and printed for each person who uses the kiosk.

Our Wikitopia application proposes to expand this idea to beautify the city of the future. For example, a new database could be created with words from Tokyo-based poets, and a new unmanned kiosk (or several!) designed with a style that matches the new location.

Each poem would be original, but based on the poetry we feed it. Combining art and technology, past and present, these kiosks can engage citizens and create beauty in parks, galleries, and more. More info at [wordsalsa.com](http://wordsalsa.com).



