

LANGUAGE LAMP

Combining the technologies of advanced oral translation tools and the sound shower we introduce the Language Lamp, an urban translator application for increasing international urban communities.

Language can act as a significant barrier between different people or cultures in the city. With the Language Lamp, new inhabitants or tourists can use the app to easily communicate with native speakers, or people of other nationalities.

The sound shower technology allows the ones standing within the app area to speak their language and hear the translation, making the app private, yet informal and accessible. It is an interactive application created with the purpose of transforming both the physical and social surrounding environment.

An app like this can create a positive attitude towards new technology in urban space and break down cultural barriers by making conversations between people of different nationalities easy and fun. It might also be the most fun way to learn a new language!

