

**i- Soapbox**

The i- Soapbox is a project that continues the themes of the other design projects in the Leverhulme “Spaces of the Media’ research programme. It looks at (re-)locating media so that one speak from a place about a place rather than with the dislocated, disembodied voice of a global network (internet). The i- Soapbox sets location for a speaker and the argument/speech they may make. It inter- connects different location of speeches (particularly political) to draw together a solidarity of concerns and also set in relief disagreements and contradictions.

The i- Soapbox is in development:

**Upcoming Exhibition:**

The Digital Media and Promotions team at Amnesty have asked the Pi – studio to be involved in their October conference; exhibiting/demonstrating/using the soapbox. Delegates to the conference will be able use the device to log, locate and spatialise their views. The soapbox will be shown at Amnesty HQ in Old Street.