Join Us at the Loeb Playhouse to Find Out
Tuesday, April 8, 5:30 – 6:30 pm
National Robotics Week

Rod Brooks has been Professor of Robotics at MIT, co-founder of iRobot, international scholar, and now chief evangelist at Rethink Robotics, Corp, where he is, again, revolutionizing robotics.

He revolutionized mobile robots with a little crawler called “Genghis” and transformed our living rooms with the “Roomba,” at iRobot. Now, he wants to revolutionize manufacturing.

Rethink Robotics has developed a new low cost robot that is being adopted in a variety of production environments. Their two armed 7 DOF per arm robot has been made available to researchers as they believe that once there are thousands of people with access to open source manipulators, those individuals will invent all sorts of new applications for robots.

From areas of need such as health care and elder care, the demographics of our world is demanding that such robots exist, so someone had better invent them.