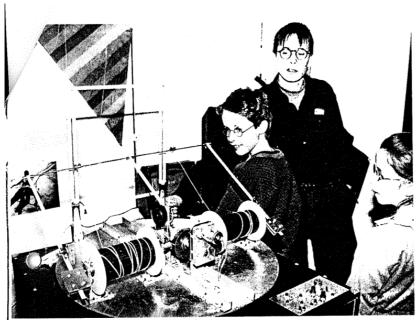


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"Mal eben schauen, was die Kollegen so machen": Jens-Steffen Glaser (l.). jüngster Teilnehmer des Wettbewerbes vor dem später preisgekrönten Modell eines computergesteuerten Lenkdrachen-Steuersystems.

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