

REFLECTIVE PRACTICE IN URBAN STUDIES

THU 16.04.2015 | 9:00-17:00

OPENING LECTURES

FORUM OF YOUNG PROFESSIONALS

Model Project Partners critically
discuss the student presentations

FRI 17.04.2015 | 9:00-15:00

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Lectures by model project partners
Panel discussion

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Reflective Practice in Urban Studies

Reflecting current fields of attention that gravitate today's world of urbanism, the XV. International Model Project Forum outlines projects and topics which students from the Master's Programme "European Urban Studies" were involved in during winter term 2014/15 at international 'Model Project Partners'.

Permitting our students to develop skills and talents based on their previous studies and experience, the "Model Projects European Urban Studies" support students to deepen the self-understanding and to find orientation in a profession, that encompasses such a broad field as urbanism does.

Being inspired by the different creative environments of our international Model Project Partners our students get the possibility not only to take an active role and develop interdisciplinary and intercultural skills with professionals but also to reflect that role definition and to develop one more step in their own, individual professional and personal commitment to the 'urban', the built and unbuilt environments and forms of contemporary human settlement.

With the Model Project Forum we offer another platform to our students to reflect all these different aspects that form our urban realm and to critically rethink gaps between practice and theory to study with open eyes and open minds.

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Reflective Practice in Urban Studies

XV. International Model Project Forum 'European Urban Studies'

Institute for Europäische Urbanistik (IfEU), Bauhaus-Universität Weimar
Belvederer Allee 5, Weimar, 16.04. - 17.04.2015

Thursday 16.04.2015

OPENING

- 09:00 Registration**
- 09:30 Welcoming & conference outline**
Prof. Dr. Bernd Nentwig, Head of International Master Programmes, IfEU, Bauhaus
Philippe Schmidt, Conference Organizer
- 09:50 OPENING LECTURE: Going Beyond. The magazine as research tool**
Arjen Oosterman, Editor-in-Chief, Volume Magazine, Amsterdam
Discussion

FORUM of 'YOUNG PROFESSIONALS'

Presentations of Model Projects by students – each followed by a short discussion

SESSION A: From small step to larger adaptation 10:40 - 11:40, Room 007

Moderation: Srdjan Mandic, Bauhaus-Universität Weimar

- 10:40 Urban Development Practice through public participation — Flensburg city in motion, Schiffbrücke** | Yan Gao (China)
- 11:00 Reinvigorating Amsterdam through small steps** | Bibhup Prasad Telenga (India)
- 11:20 Urban Planning and design to set scientific research into action, addressing climate change in cities** | Gabriela Torres Morales (Mexico)

12:00 Lunch Break (Mensa)

SESSION B: The local and the extra-local: sets for different target groups 13:00 – 14:20, Room 008

Moderation: Dr. Bernhard Stratmann, Bauhaus-Universität Weimar

- 13:00 ReNew Lots - Creative Placemaking as a Tool for Neighborhood Revitalization** | Jan Dierk Stolle (Germany)
- 13:20 Performative Urbanism: challenges and opportunities for shrinking regions** | Monika Markova (Bulgaria)

13:40 **Tourism as a driving force for the city development: Agra as a case study** | Iana Korolova (Ukraine)

14:00 **Building with nature and tradition** | Aleksandra Blazhevaska (Macedonia)

SESSION C: Connectivity and mobility 13:00 – 14:20, Room 007

Moderation: Arjen Oosterman, Volume Magazine, Amsterdam

13:00 **Narrating the Realm of Possibilities** | Hoai Phuong Tran (Vietnam)

13:20 **The Interdependence between Spatial and Mobility Planning - the case of the Flemish Brabant** | Mazen Alazazmeh (Jordan)

13:40 **New approach to public space in ekaterinburg** | Iana Samakaeva (Russia)

14:00 **Urbanity by Analysis - Examples from London** | Priyambada Das (India)

14:30 Coffee Break

SESSION D: Urban linkages 14:50 – 16:20, Room 008

Moderation: Dr. Liza Wing Man Kam, Bauhaus-Universität Weimar

15:00 **In planning New Towns: How far can we bring changes to the Master Plan** | Tofeek Sulieman (Syria)

15:20 **Climate-Proof Rotterdam – “The integrated project: Zomerhofkwartier”** | Xuan Duong Bui (Vietnam)

15:40 **Roots (Routes) of Water – The rehabilitation of a transitory water network** | Gerti Gogu (Italy)

16:00 **The Transition: From Airfield to Airport City** | Abdelrahman Hegazy (Egypt)

SESSION E: Who sets the frame for whom? 14:50 – 16:20, Room 007

Moderation: n.n.

15:00 **Right to Build** | Ion Alexandru Retegan (Romania)

15:20 **Urban Planning and socio-natural hazards: Reconstructing Valparaiso after the fire in April, 2014** | Carla Ebel (Brazil)

15:40 **Metamorphosis of Saudi Arabian urban fabric: Impact of transit oriented development on the urban fabric identity in Arab-Muslim city: Riyadh, Saudi Arabia** | Iman Hegazy (Egypt)

16:00 **Generation of institutional base for future spatial and economic planning and social development in local levels** | Seymur Mammadrza (Azerbaijan)

16:30 End of Sessions

16:45 - 18:00 Guided Bauhaus-Tour (UNESCO World Heritage Site) starting at IfEU

20:00 URBAN NIGHT FLIGHT | Model Project Evening @ IfEU
"Zweitsemester" students from the Master Programme European Urban Studies are welcoming with International Specialities

Friday 17.04.2015

FORUM of MODEL PROJECT PARTNERS

Location Institute for European Urban Studies, Room **007**

09:00 Welcoming | Prof. Dr. Bernd Nentwig, Head of International Master Programmes, IfEU

09:20 Panel Discussion with model project partners
Realities between studying and practicing in the field of urbanism and urban research
Moderation: Prof. Dr. Bernd Nentwig, Philippe Schmidt, IfEU, Bauhaus-Universität Weimar

10:40 Coffee Break

Urbanist - Generalist?

Moderation: Prof. Dr. Bernd Nentwig, IfEU, Bauhaus-Universität Weimar

11:00 Integrated Planning as a challenge for the future: why urbanists need to be researchers on mobility and traffic planners and designers of urban environment. | Dr. Stefanie Bremer, Orange Edge, Stadtplanung und Stadtforschung, Hamburg

11:30 Brussels – recapture the city! | Riikka Tuomisto, KCAP architects & planners, Rotterdam

12:00 Lunch break

Planning toward urban design

Moderation: Dr. Stefanie Bremer, Orange Edge, Stadtplanung und Stadtforschung, Hamburg

13:30 Towards sustainable urban futures worldwide. GIZ's work on urban development. | Lena Weiler, Planner, Urban and Regional Development, Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH, Eschborn

14:00 Climate knowledge for advancing urban development in low-income countries | Dr. Nathalie Jean-Baptiste, Department Stadt und Umweltsoziologie Helmholtz-Zentrum für Umweltforschung GmbH – UFZ, Leipzig

14:30 East New York Rezoning Advocacy, Coalition Building for Real Affordable Housing | Josh Eichen, Pratt Center for Community Development, Brooklyn, New York

15:00 Closing remarks and end of Forum

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