

ARCHITECTURE AT WORK: INSTITUTIONAL LANDSCAPES OF SOCIALIST DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION

WEDNESDAY 14 SEPTEMBER –
FRIDAY 16 SEPTEMBER 2022
BAUHAUS-UNIVERSITÄT WEIMAR
Hybrid Format

Convenors:

Oxana Gourinovitch
Ksenia Litvinenko
Jenny Price

Workshop support:

Aliaksandr Shuba
Helin Can

DAY 1:
WEDNESDAY 14 SEPTEMBER

Marienstraße 13c, Hörsaal D

17.00–
17.15

Registration

17.15–
17.45

Welcome and Introduction

18.00–
19.30

Keynote Lecture by **Vladimir Paperny** “How I Was a Designer”

20.30

Dinner, Venue TBA

Workshop venue:

The exact location will be sent to the registered participants

Online Participation:

Call-in details will be sent to the registered participants

DAY 2:
THURSDAY 15 SEPTEMBER 2022

SESSION I
Knowledge Exchanges
Marienstraße 13c, Hörsaal B

09.00-
09.15

Welcome

**Christina E. Crawford &
Claire Zimmerman**

09.15-
09.30

Detroit-Moscow-Detroit: Exploring the Prehistory of Socialist Architectural Exchange

Yichi Zhang

09.30-
09.45

Forming the Lingnan Architectural School: Adopting German Modernism in Socialist China

Yan Geng

09.45-
10.00

“Silk Curtain” Mapping the Transcultural Tendencies in Chinese Socialist Architecture

Michael Brinley

10.00-
10.15

Soviet Icons: Materiality, Expert Knowledge, and the Social Pact in Soviet City Planning Documents in the 1960-70s

10.15-
11.15

Q&A and Discussion
Session Chair: **Ksenia Litvinenko**

11.15-
13.00

Lunch Break

SESSION III
Institutional Histories
Marienstraße 13c, Hörsaal B

**Stefanie Brünenberg &
Sophie Stackmann**

13.00-
13.15

Processes of work and negotiation within and outside of architects collectives in the GDR

Nini Palavandishvili

13.15-
13.30

Building of the former Ministry of Automobile Roads of Georgia, 1975. Currently Bank of Georgia Head Office

Ljudmila Djukic

13.30-
13.45

Institutional Fabric of Socialist Urban Planning and Construction in Serbia and Former Yugoslavia

Lucia Mlynčková

13.45-
14.00

Evolution and transformation of state projection and construction companies

14.00-
15.00

Q&A and Discussion
Session Chair: **Liliana Iuga** (requested)

16.00-
21.00

Excursion Erfurt

16.00

Meet-up at Weimar Hbf Railway station

SESSION II
Spaces of Interaction
Marienstraße 13c, Hörsaal D

Aliaksandr Shuba

09.15-
09.30

The Working Group “History of Town Planning and Constructing in Historical Cities” and the Alfred Toepfer Foundation with its Herder Prize as the Triggers of Architectural Contacts between the West and East

Anna Kats

09.30-
09.45

Design Professionals Across Three Worlds: Union Internationale des Architectes and Socialist Architects’ Unions, 1948–1981

Ye Liu

09.45-
10.00

The Tropical Odyssey: Chinese Socialist Building System in Tension

Boris Chukhovich

10.00-
10.15

Made-in-Moscow-National-Style: How institutional struggles shaped the “oriental modernism” of Tashkent in the 1960s and 1980s

10.15-
11.15

Q&A and Discussion
Session Chair: **Kirsten Angermann**

SESSION IV
Experiment and Innovation
Marienstraße 13c, Hörsaal D

Nikolai Erofeev

13.00-
13.15

Manufacturing khrushchevki: reconstructing experimental design practices

Frida Pashako

13.15-
13.30

Manifesto of Albanian socialist architecture: a building and an apartment

Jannik Noeske

13.30-
13.45

From Plans to Networks? Information Technology in GDR Urban Planning

Daria Bocharnikova

13.45-
14.00

Institutions of Socialist Modern: Organizing Housing Research and Experimental Design in the Soviet Union

14.00-
15.00

Q&A and Discussion
Session Chair: **Ksenia Litvinenko**

16.30-
19.30

Walking Tour by Mark Escherich Building Socialist Friendship: Socialist Exchange Projects in the Community Centre Rieth; Community Centre Berliner Platz; Community Centre Moskauer Platz

20.00

Return to Weimar

DAY 3:
FRIDAY 16 SEPTEMBER 2022

SESSION V
DIY and Cooperatives
Marienstraße 13c, Hörsaal B

09.00–
09.15

Welcome

Jérôme Bazin

09.15–
09.30

Self-made buildings in the socialist institutional landscape

Matas Šiupšinskas

09.30–
09.45

Substitute for a summer house. Collective garden house architecture in Soviet Lithuania

Marija Drėmaite

09.45–
10.00

Co-operative Housing as a Field of Semi-private Architectural Experimentation in Lithuania, 1960s–1980s

Antje Kirsch

10.00–
10.15

The cooperative “Kunst am Bau” and the synthesis of architecture and visual art

10.15–
11.15

Q&A and Discussion
Session Chair: **Jenny Price**

11.15–
13.00

Lunch Break

SESSION VII
Centres and Peripheries
Marienstraße 13c, Hörsaal B

Zayra Badillo Castro

13.00–
13.15

The Uzbek Ideological Project of the 1960s and the Tashkent Institute of Experimental Design

Zhenya Molyar

13.15–
13.30

Experimental ceramic laboratory of Nina Fedorova: rethinking Ukrainian folk art for Soviet architecture

Benjamin Eckel

13.30–
13.45

The Path of a female Architect in the GDR— In Conversation with Sigrid Schaller

Katya Ruskevich

13.45–
14.00

Republican Artistic Funds as a regulating body for the public art production

14.00–
15.00

Q&A and Discussion
Session Chair: **Oxana Gourinovitch**

15.00–
16.00

Concluding Remarks

17.00–
18.30

Keynote Lecture by **Alla Vronskaya** Architectural Design Industry under State Socialism: A Gender Perspective

18.00

End of Workshop

SESSION VI
Heritage Preservation and Destruction
Marienstraße 13c, Hörsaal D

Rugile Rozene

09.15–
09.30

To Demolish in Order to Construct. Soviet Urban Plans and Their Implementation in Historic Settlements

Helka Dzsacsovzski

09.30–
09.45

The Third ICOMOS General Assembly in Budapest

Liliana Iuga

09.45–
10.00

Claiming a Place for Heritage: Institutional (Re-) Organizations of the Department for Historic Monuments in Socialist Romania

Nadezhda Beliakova & Vera Kliueva

10.00–
10.15

Grassroots initiatives for the preservation of cultural heritage in the late USSR: a case of student restoration teams

10.15–
11.15

Q&A and Discussion
Session Chair: **Carola Neugebauer**

SESSION VIII
Self-management and Participation
Marienstraße 13c, Hörsaal D

Lea Nienhoff

13.00–
13.15

Welding oil tanks, building the future pulse of the city: A short history of the Workers' politics in constructing Schwedt/Oder

Tamara Bjažić Klarin

13.15–
13.30

Constructing self-managing socialism—the case of the Zagreb based company „Tempo“

Constanze Kummer

13.30–
13.45

Variables Wohnen—Ein partizipativer Planungsansatz im industriellen Wohnungsbau der DDR

13.45–
14.45

Q&A and Discussion
Session Chair: **Aliaksandr Shuba**