

City, Public Space and Body Conference

International Conference, Goldsmiths University of London, 14-15 December 2021

Tuesday, 14 December 2021

09:00 **Introduction and Welcoming Address by Chien Lee, the Conference Organising Committee**

09:10 **Keynote Address by Dr Tomoko Tamari**

09:40 Discussion

10:00 **Session 1: Mapping the City**

Moderator: João Leiva Filho, Goldsmiths University of London

- Natalie Garrett Brown, University of East London
Emma Meehan, Coventry University

Moving and Mapping: Exploring Embodied Approaches to Urban Design and Planning

- Guilherme Giolo, Erasmus University Rotterdam
Yorgos Paschos, University of York

Mapping the Urban Unconscious: Towards a Hybrid Application of Deep Mapping and Sentiment Analysis

- Viviane Riegel, Escola Superior de Propaganda e Marketing

Using Cartography to Study Mediations of Immigrants Living in Global Cities

10:45 Discussion

11:00 **Coffee Break**

11:10 **Session 2: Politics and the City**

Moderator: Asma Mehan, Leiden University

- Ozgur Sahin, Western Sydney University

Politics and Space: The Transformation of Public Squares in Istanbul

- Katharina Ciach, Friedrich Schiller University Jena

Atmospheres of (Counter) Terror in European Cities

- Conor Moloney, Queen Mary University of London

Playful Pop-ups and Public Things: Extinction Rebellion, the Marble Arch Mound and Antepavilion

11:55 Discussion

12:10 **Coffee Break**

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Session 3: Docile/Defiant Body

Moderator: Asma Mehan, Leiden University

- Alexandra Pereira-Edwards, Canadian Centre for Architecture

Public Bodies: On Cities, Infrastructures and Intimacies

- Maryam Foroughi

Beautiful! Bad! Or Revolutionary? State of Representation of the Disobedient Body of Middle Eastern Woman in the Street at the Revolutionary Moment

- Cansu Sonmez, Gran Sasso Science Institute

Affective Resettlement and Sense of Place: Embodied Experiences of Infrastructural Developments in Hasankeyf Town, Turkey

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Discussion

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Lunch Break

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Keynote Address by Professor Les Back

Moderator: Chien Lee, Goldsmiths University of London

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Discussion

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Session 4: The Pandemic City

Moderator: Mahsa Alami Fariman, Goldsmiths University of London

- Kristyna Ilek, University of Amsterdam

Solitude and Loneliness: Significance of Affects in Reshaping of Private Places in Performance Art Practices

- Angela Denore Lopez, Universidad Carlos III de Madrid

Natalia Botonaki, Universidad Carlos III de Madrid

Public Space and its Narratives: A (Non) Random Distribution

- Fabio Bertoni

Youth in Danger/Dangerous: The Governability of Nightlife in the Pandemic City

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Discussion

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Coffee Break

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Session 5: The Experiential City

Moderator: Mahsa Alami Fariman, Goldsmiths University of London

- Katalin Halász, Brunel University London

Wearing as an Act of Citizenship

- Elena Cologni, Anglia Ruskin University

The Journey From Home to Work through the Experience of The Venice Weaving Factory's Workers

16:20

Discussion

Wednesday, 15 December 2021

09:00 **Introduction and Welcoming Address by Mahsa Alami Fariman, the Conference Organising Committee**

09:10 **Keynote Address by Dr Aya Musmar**

09:40 **Discussion**

10:00 **Session 6: [De]Colonial City**

Moderator: Gary Hall, Coventry University

- Francisca Elizabeth Pimentel Fuentes, Pontificia Universidad Católica de Chile
Decolonise Femininity in Public Monuments, Santiago of Chile

- Elliot C. Mason, Uppsala University
Building Black Against Architecture

- Laura Linsi, Central Saint Martins, University of the Arts London
Weak Monument

10:45 **Discussion**

11:00 **Coffee Break**

11:10 **Session 7: Innovative Methodologies**

Moderator: Sabine Coady Schäbitz, Coventry University

- Immanuel Koh, Singapore University of Technology and Design
Elissa Gowika Hartanto, Singapore University of Technology and Design
Neuro-Participatory Design: Neuroarchitecture with Natural Language Processing & Eye Tracking

- Olivia Butler, Uppsala University
Towards a New Taxonomy of Space

- Constanza Contreras Saffie, University Diego Portales
Sensitive Tool with Gender Perspective for the Identification of Vulnerable Landscapes: The Importance of Experience in Urban Landscape Planning and Modification

11:55 **Discussion**

12:10 **Coffee Break**

12:20 **Session 8: Performance and the City**

Moderator: Mel Jordan, Coventry University

- Gloria Calderone, University of Florence
Urban Bodies and Human Spaces: Questioning The Possibilities of Resignifying Neighbourhood Places Through Performing Arts in Florence

- Helen Stratford, Sheffield Hallam University

Feminist Performative Architectures: Making Space in and with Public Space

- Laura Lamas-Abraira, Universitat Oberta de Catalunya

Joan Pujolar, Universitat Oberta de Catalunya

Alba Colombo, Universitat Oberta de Catalunya

Silent Choirs: Space, Body and Identity

13:05 Discussion

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Lunch Break

14:00 **Session 9: Sensing the City**

Moderator: Siegrun Salmanian, Goldsmiths University of London

- Nima Bayramzadeh, Islamic Azad University of Tabriz

Identify the Pleasant Sounds in the Public Spaces: the Case of Mellat Riverside Park, Urmia, Iran

- Jake Williams, Birmingham University

Shazam Walks and Voice Notes: Soundscape, Urbanism, and Sonic Territories

- Diti Bhattacharya, Griffith University

Travelling within the Confines of Stereotype: Oscillating Between the 'Sexualised Gaze' and 'Ignorance' as A Solo Travelling South Asian Woman in Rural Australia

14:45 Discussion

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15:10 **Session 10: Bodies on the Move**

Moderator: Nirmal Puwar, Goldsmiths University of London

- Pravah Khandekar, Sir JJ College of Architecture

Atimanyu Vashishth, Sir JJ College of Architecture

Eben Felix

Varanasi: An inquiry into Space, Performance and Bodies

- Mohammad Nazarpour, Tarbiat Modares University

The Lived Body: How Cycling Can Change Urban Experience?

- Krish Nathaniel, University of the Arts London

Jaywalking is a Fantasy Crime: The Sad Story of De-risking the City

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Session 11: The Making of Cityness

Moderator: Ahmadreza Hakiminejad, Coventry University

- Mel Jordan, Coventry University
Gary Hall, Coventry University

The City Does Not Exist

- Tabassum Ahmed, University of Huddersfield

Urban Commoning Practices and Community Resilience: Reflections from Spatial Reappropriation Initiatives in a Northern British Town, Todmorden

- Riccarda Cappeller, Leibniz Universität Hannover

The Performativity of Urban Space as Instrument: Culture-led and Social Design Processes

17:05

Discussion and Closing Remark

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