

Summer School - Torino Summer Conference 2017

ARCHITECTURAL & URBAN DESIGN

Beyond the University Dorm

Cities and Universities discover the power of collaboration

MONDAY 04TH - FRIDAY 15TH SEPTEMBER 2017

What do universities as “learning hubs” signify for the cities of the future?

Driven by the demands of diversifying knowledge-based and globalized economy, university hubs need a close collaboration with city and local business as platform of innovative change. The 21st-century university city necessitates openness and partnership satisfying new way of working and living.

This transformation passes through the student housing: campuses are being redeveloped around a new idea of community.

With the increase of freelancers, contract workers and other “global nomads”, young employees are much less tied to specific locations and working hours. On a side, a new itinerant workforce that can work almost from anywhere is rising up. On the other side, because the workspace has been eliminated as a site of social interaction, many such people are struggling to make meaningful connections. Co-living platforms are an important way to fill up this necessity, recreating the traditional neighborhood communities in a compact building.

This summer school focuses on how university dorm is becoming an experimental ground for innovative ways of living. It implies architectural and urban design. The site is in an historical area of Turin: Piazzale Amelia Piccinini. Students will be asked to design a residential dorm with functions defining social interaction with the city and outdoor public spaces.



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SUMMER SCHOOL SCHEDULE

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All the activities will be held in English

LECTURES BY

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FINAL CRITIC

- Lorena Alessio - Politecnico di Torino
- Makoto Shin Watanabe - Hosei University
- Guido Montanari - Vice Mayor, Torino City Council
- Liliana Mazza - Town Planning Manager, Torino City Council
- Walter La Gamma - Ceur Foundation
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- Riccardo Roselli - King Roselli Architetti

PARTICIPATION FEE

- A participation fee is required for:
 - Workshop participation
 - Materials

- PoliTo students: 150,00 €

- Other Applicants: 700,00 €

OPEN TO: 3rd year Undergraduate students and Graduate students in Architectural and Urban Design field.

Please visit the Summer Schools website for detailed information on modalities and timing for the online application: http://international.polito.it/courses/summer_schools

APPLICATION DEADLINE: JUNE 15TH 2017 - Results by June 30th 2017

STUDENTS WILL RECEIVE 4 ECTS upon successful completion of final work.

The students will be asked to collect images, texts and any other material for book publication about the workshop activities.

ACCOMMODATION

Accommodation costs are not included;

For reservation at Camplus Lingotto refer to: lingotto.guest@camplus.it specifying "Beyond the University Dorm - Summer School"

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