

Inhabiting public space – dossier introduction

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Public space, as the place for human action and interaction, builds a network of collective meanings, in what concerns experiencing and understanding of the city. Those who experience "being" in the city commit themselves to the place, dialogue with their neighbours, identify themselves with the surrounding landscape, making it part of themselves. Through a series of conferences, held by landscape architects, the seminar "Inhabiting public space" analyses the impact of public space on the dynamics of cities and their inhabitants. The aim is to understand how public space is experienced and perceived by its users, and how it influences their relationship with the urban environment, as being, simultaneously, essential to activate and consolidate the collective memory.

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