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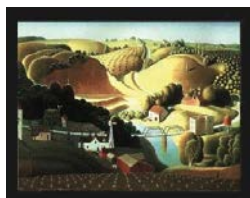
Planum. The Journal of Urbanism is pleased to present you the new magazine publication: 'Living Landscapes (Landscapes for Living) Conference Proceedings', edited by Camilla Perrone, University of Florence, and rewarded by AESOP - Association of European Schools of Planning with the Excellence Teaching Award 2013. The Conference Proceedings are published on the number no.27, vol.II (2013).

Living Landscapes is the title of a series of seminars aimed at creating a scientific arena for arguing on contemporary research's challenges related to landscapes as places to live-in, produced by living alongside planning practices. Current global and local forces are reshaping physical and social urban and regional landscapes, and the relationship between their own defining features. There is evidence that over the past decades a far-reaching change has been taking place in the very nature of the urbanization processes along with the landscapes shapes. It might be defined as a shift from a metropolitan mode of urban development to a post-metropolitan era.

It opens up a new discourse on the ongoing planning challenges such as policies to manage the emerging issues on climate change and resilience; strategies to address a new approach on landscape planning that takes into account "beauty" in itself and "ordinary beauty" as a result of the everyday life practices; tools to include the "diversity" in the urban policy making, etc.

The collection of papers presented in the following pages intends to provide a path for analysis and figuring out that might contribute both to the planning theory's debate on landscape and to practices' domain as well. Basically all of the contributions and suggestions brought together in this anthology suggest a plural and cross-cutting concept of landscape and build up on the traditional theories. They include different meanings of landscape(s) and propose diverse planning perspectives. They give a picture of the contemporary research efforts of young and senior researchers on landscapes for living.

LIVING LANDSCAPES (Landscapes for Living) CONFERENCE PROCEEDINGS



SECTION 1 | LIVING

Preface with contributions by Camilla Perrone, Gabriele Corsani, Giancarlo Paba

The relationship between home and population has changed dramatically in recent years. International migration, changes in family structure, the emergence of new lifestyles have transformed the very idea of home. However, the conquest of a house, or many pieces of home all over the world, still remains an objective of populations.



SECTION 2 | RIGHT TO HOUSING

Contributions by Barbara Pizzo, Chiara Belingardi, Angelo Sampieri, Sabina Selli, Andrea Rosada, Nadia Caruso, Elisabetta Capelli, Marvi Maggio, Corrado Marcetti, Sabrina Tosi Cambini, Anna Lisa Pecoriello

A variety of social, independent, grassroots practices of self-organization claim their presence within the urban sphere, and their active role as social agents able to generate various and alternative social practices. These practices are affirmed as a right to live the city in its various (housing, working and aggregative) forms as a way to overcome pressing economic difficulties and as a way to rediscover a sense of sharing or, as it was called in the recent past, of "good neighborliness".



SECTION 3 | LOCAL HOUSING

Contributions by Maura Benegiamo, Elisa Bertagnini, Michele Morbidoni, Leonardo Lutzoni, Giovanni Lonati, Chiara Ortolani, Rita Biconne, Elena Tarsi

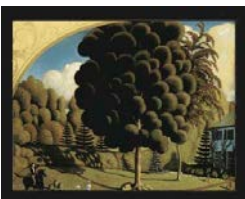
The papers of this section, by exploring the possible ways in which the global changes the local, propose some interpretations on different ways in which the local responds to globalization. The search for new models of living in a globalized society addresses some authors to suggest models of inhabiting places which can be considered as "alternative" or "new" in respect to the mainstream results characterizing contemporary urban spaces.



SECTION 4 | LIVING-MOVING THROUGH PLACES

Contributions by Emanuela Nan, Jacopo Zetti, Rosalba D'Onofrio, Massimo Sargolini, Silvia Minichino, Fabrizio Esposito, Emanuela Morelli, Enrico Brighi, Maurizio Morandi, Luna d'Emilio, Daniel Screpanti, Piernicola Carlesi

Urban sprawl represents a dominating trend in contemporary European territories. The functioning of these territories is difficult to understand, according to classical town planning approaches. The papers aim to develop these topics on different levels, questioning on new interpretative tools and on analytical approaches required to understand them: what are their dynamics, their localization? Does the observation of these territories allow a critique to modern urbanism? In which way the notion of planning is called into question?



SECTION 5 | LIVING DIFFERENCES

Contributions by Camilla Perrone, Azzurra Muzzonigro, Camillo Boano, Andrea Giraldi, Michele Morbidoni, Paola Briata, Nausica Pezzoni, Claudia Roselli, Francesco Careri, Adriana Gori Mazzitelli, Azzurra Muzzonigro, Francesca Boccia, Dariuche Dowlatchahi

Planners, local authorities and policy-makers are called today to deal with new needs (temporary or permanent) and new living meanings, to understand the contact space between differences that can allow their recognition. The papers propose a path that from theoretical and conceptual framework about the meaning of "city", "differences" and some variations of their interactions will lead us to understand the dynamics of spontaneous settlements.



SECTION 6 | LIVING BODIES

Contributions by Giancarlo Paba, Sara Bartolini, Viviana Petrucci, Fabio Converti, Ivan Severi, Claudia Roselli, Chiara Belingardi, Elisabetta Forni, Matteo Giuseppe Romanato

In the session the selection of papers tried to answer some questions: what it means to plan and design an accessible, welcoming city, open to everyone in every moment of life? What it means to plan spaces made for differences? How is it changing the story of the city through the emerging of new cultural and social groups?



SECTION 7 | LIVING THE CHANGING CITY

Contributions by Adriano Cancellieri, Elisa Bertagnini, Sara Bartolini, Stefano Sabatino, Giuseppe Scandurra, Marco Cremaschi, Giulia Setti, Giulia Menziatti, Flavia De Girolamo, Giuseppe Roccasalva, Antonio Spinelli, Luca Di Figlia, Cecilia Caldini, Luca Di Figlia, Matteo Scamporrino

The new scenarios of economic, social and cultural sphere as well as forming new planning paradigm and of new theories for urban design have led to a change in the way of thinking and intervening on both the existing city structure and on new expansion areas. Papers have examined this change with several point of view: social and cultural, physical, up to the exploration of borders between artificial and natural environments, the edges of port cities and waterfronts.



SECTION 8 | LIVING TERRITORIES

Contributions by Enrico Anguillari, Bernardino Romano, Serena Ciabò, Elena De Santis, Mauro Fabrizio, Francesco Zullo, Serena Ciabò, Silvia Guerra, David Fanfani, Claudia Roselli, Antonella Piras, Paolo Mestriner, Raffaella Pé

What elements could help planners and designers hypothesize their research field and interpret their operational ground? What are the analysis methods, planning processes and design tools that should be explored in order more effectively implement regional planning? The papers explore both the regional approach in planning and design concerning methods, procedures and operational knowledge and the planners' and designers' roles in regional transformations.

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