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# 11th Awareness and Responsibility of Environmental Risk **International Summer School**

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Now in its eleventh edition, the School started in 2008. It is dedicated to graduate students and graduates in architecture, urban design, planning, engineering, geography, geology, sociology, environmental studies as well as business and political science.

The school gives an opportunity to argue on design and environmental risk factors along with their management. While working on a case study, students will be guided and supported by an international and multidisciplinary team of experts and tutors.

The idea of the school derives from the believe that awareness shall not be left aside by knowledge: to analyse, elaborate, reason, decide and act, knowledge is an essential scientific presupposition. To choose deliberately what, where, why, when, for whom, and how we design is the basis of any design process.

# aims

The aim is to raise the awareness of design, management, and planning issues regarding territories vulnerable to environmental risks.

# case study / topic

Pre-disaster planning and design are intrinsic to risk preparedness and risk mitigation. As a result, so is *charting the path* (Harvey, 1973) or mapping possible scenarios of social and spatial transformation of the urban areas, with understanding the nature of contemporary patterns of urban restructuring, and then, on that basis, analysing their implications for actions (Brenner, Marcuse, Mayer, 2017) being the first step. It seems impossible to re-build cities and villages in safer areas and displace entire communities. Hence, integrated programs and evacuation plans that have been applied so far, were and are based on soft rather than hard measures. Unfortunately, as far as high-risk areas among which coastal ones are concerned, some extreme measures must be introduced, too, in order to protect people from natural hazards.

Among the lessons learned from the 2011 Great Tohoku Earthquake and Tsunami, there is the one regarding anti-tsunami towers and buildings a desperate measure to be applied when alternatives are lacking or all other measures fail. Is it possible, however, to build them without ruing the landscape? To avoid them turning into a sort of unfinished, obsolete version of Follies designed by Bernard Tschumi for the La Villette park in Paris in the 1980s? Is it possible to turn areas of low density and even lower quality into areas of both high density and high quality? High and high-rise buildings are controversial and questionable as a solution in the areas of high seismic risk, in both pre- and post-disaster context. The city of L'Aquila where the school will take place is a good example — being rebuilt as it was, where it was, with only slightly a chance of not making all the same mistakes again.

# 6th Young Researchers' Round Table **International Scientific Conference**

It is a conference and workshop for doctoral students, postdoctoral scholars and junior researchers intended an open forum where participants can discuss their interests, work, and plans. There isn't any thesis to agree or disagree with apart from general keywords of awareness, responsibility, environment, environmental risk, vulnerability, resilience and the general topic of the school to which the conference is the tribute, no rigid formula but a space where young researchers who share a common future can meet. It is obligatory for the participant of the school to attend all the conference sessions.

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# programme

1st day – Friday, August 23 09:00 opening 14:00 urban walkscape

### 2nd day – Saturday, August 24

09:00 urban gaming simulation 13:00 lunch break 14:00 case study introduction

- 16:00 coffee break
- 16:30 high-rise buildings in areas of seismic risk

# **3rd day – Sunday, August 25**

09:00 field survey and meetings with local community

### 4th day – Monday, August 26



This summer school will be an opportunity to face the above-mentioned dilemmas under the supervision of experts in various fields among which meteorology, structural and hydraulic engineering, urban planning, architecture, and psychology.

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- 09:00 meeting with local authorities 09:30 lectures
- 13:00 lunch break
- 14:00 workshop

### 5th day – Tuesday, August 27

- 09:00 lectures
- 13:00 lunch break
- 14:00 workshop
- 16:00 intermediate presentations

# 6th day – Wednesday, August 28 Young Researchers' Round Table International Scientific Conference

### 7th day – Thursday, August 29 09:00 lectures

13:00 lunch break 14:00 workshop

# 8th day – Friday, August 30

09:00 workshop 13:00 lunch break 14:00 final presentations 20:00 party

# 9th day – Saturday, August 21

09:00 Cultural Heritage and Disaster Mitigation: **Does Participation Work?** interactive session 12:00 closing ceremony

# lecturers

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