

PARTICIPANT PACK

10 - 25
September

REFLECTION

ECOWEEK Prishtina
International Conference &
Workshops for Young Professionals

Table of Contents

1 Ecowee History

What Is Ecowee

Ecowee Network

2 Ecowee Prishtina



3 Workshop



k

4 Programme

Accommodation

Lectures

Exhibition

Extra excursion

k
a



5 Be a Participant

Information

How to apply

Deadline

Fees

ops



6 More info

Ecoweeek H

2005 Aegina, Greece

Week of Environment

2006 Aegina, Greece

Week of Environment. Keynote speaker: Alexandros Tombazis.

2007 Greece

Weeks of Environment.
Keynote speaker: Al Gore.

2008 Athens, Greece

Ecology + Environment + Architecture.
With AIACE. Keynote speaker: Ken Yeang.

2008 Cyprus

Week of Environment

2009 Beersheva, Israel

Green Initiatives in Civil Engineering

2009 Athens, Greece

Empowering Youth: Ecology + Leadership + Architecture. Keynote speaker: Shigeru Ban.

2010 Athens, Greece

Ecology + Community + Architecture.
Keynote speaker: Rural Studio.

2010 Middle East

Green Architecture + Community + Sustainability. Keynote speaker: BIG.

2010 West Bank

Green Architecture + Community + Sustainability. At IPCRI Conference.

2011 Thessaloniki, Greece

Urban Communities + Green Architecture. Keynote speaker: Francis Kere.

2011 Milano, Italy

Urban Communities + Green Architecture. Keynote speaker: Francoise-Helene Jourda.

2011 Athens, Greece

Urban Communities + Green Architecture. Keynote speaker: David Orr.

2012 Middle East

Urban Communities + Affordable Living + Green Design. Keynote speaker: Daniel Pearl.

2012 Thessaloniki, Greece

Urban Innovation + Green Design.
Keynote speaker: Gernot Minke.

2012 Krakow, Poland

Reunion in Green District.
Keynote speaker: MVRDV.

2012 Rome, Italy

Urban FOOTPRINT + Affordable Communities + Green Design. Keynote speaker: Kengo Kuma.

History

2012 Belgrade, Serbia

Green Design Architecture Urban Innovation. Keynote speaker: Francoise-Helene Jourda.

2013 Middle East

Green Design Architecture Urban Innovation. Keynote speaker: MVRDV.

2013 Copenhagen, Denmark

New Nordik Living.
Keynote speaker: Gehl Architects.

2013 Krakow, Poland

Design, Innovation, Experiment, Lifestyle.
Keynote speaker: Matthew Soules.

2013 Istanbul, Turkey

Istanbul '13 Lectures + Workshops.

2014 London, England

Design, Innovation, Experiment, Lifestyle at ARUP. Keynote speaker: James Soane.

2014 Prishtina, Kosova

Sustainability & Green Architecture.
Keynote speakers: Rural Studio, Francoise-Helene Jourda.

2015 Istanbul, Turkey

Contemporary Archeology. Keynote speaker: Anna Herringer.

2015 Prishtina, Kosovo

Glocal Architecture. Keynote speakers: Nicola Delon, Jean Robert Mazaud.

2015 Thessaloniki, Greece

Sustainability in Public Space. Keynote speaker: Einar Jarmud.

2016 Athens, Thessaloniki, Jerusalem, Bucharest, Sarajevo

One Week of Genius with 92Y in New York

2016 Crete, Greece

Public Space and Tourism in one Planet.
Keynote speaker: Chris Doray.

2016 Prishtina, Kosova

Reflection

2016 Middle East, Israel

Placemaking in One Planet

2016 Bucharest, Romania

2016 Thessaloniki, Greece

2017 NYP, Singapore

2017 Avans, Holland

ECOWEEK is an international non-governmental non-profit independent organization.

Its mission is to raise awareness on environmental issues, Climate Change and to promote the principles of Sustainability. Established in Greece in 2005, ECOWEEK is active in more than 15 countries with an international network of students and young professionals in more than 55 countries around the world.

ECOWEEK is about education, co-operation and sustainable design.



Ecociety

Ecociety is established in Prishtina. Our mission is to design and promote sustainable architecture, combined with awareness raisin with issues of urban planning and green housing.

Our Organization aims through the use of technology to design and build differently, trying to bring changes to the city and the community.

Since 2014, the organization is hosting the EcoWeek project. This event remains the only and the most developed event in Kosovo that encompasses the environment, sustainable architecture and urban planning in one space.

History of Prishtina

Prishtina has a central position in Balkans. The city is surrounded by slopes on three sides, creating a topographical amphitheater situation.

The political, social and economic changes for more than two last decades in Kosova, contributed to the urban structure of the city.

The city went through stages of restructuring, affected by different cultural and political actions, which have resulted in the loss of the spirit of the city.

Given the fact the country in general suffered severe war damage, the post-war period (1999) is characterized by a spontaneous tendency to promote the

development of private initiatives which helped mostly public spaces to be degraded, and also affecting the degradation of the urban development.

The urban development in Prishtina has been characterized by many architects as “turbo urbanism”, meaning the total chaos dominating, as opposed to order, environmental health, security, and basic architectural aesthetic.

Gërmia is a regional park located in the north-east of Prishtina. This mountain massif is a part of the Rhodope Mountains, which lie from the Black Mountain of Skopje to Kopaonik mountains. Gërmia's highest point, Butos' Peak, is 1050

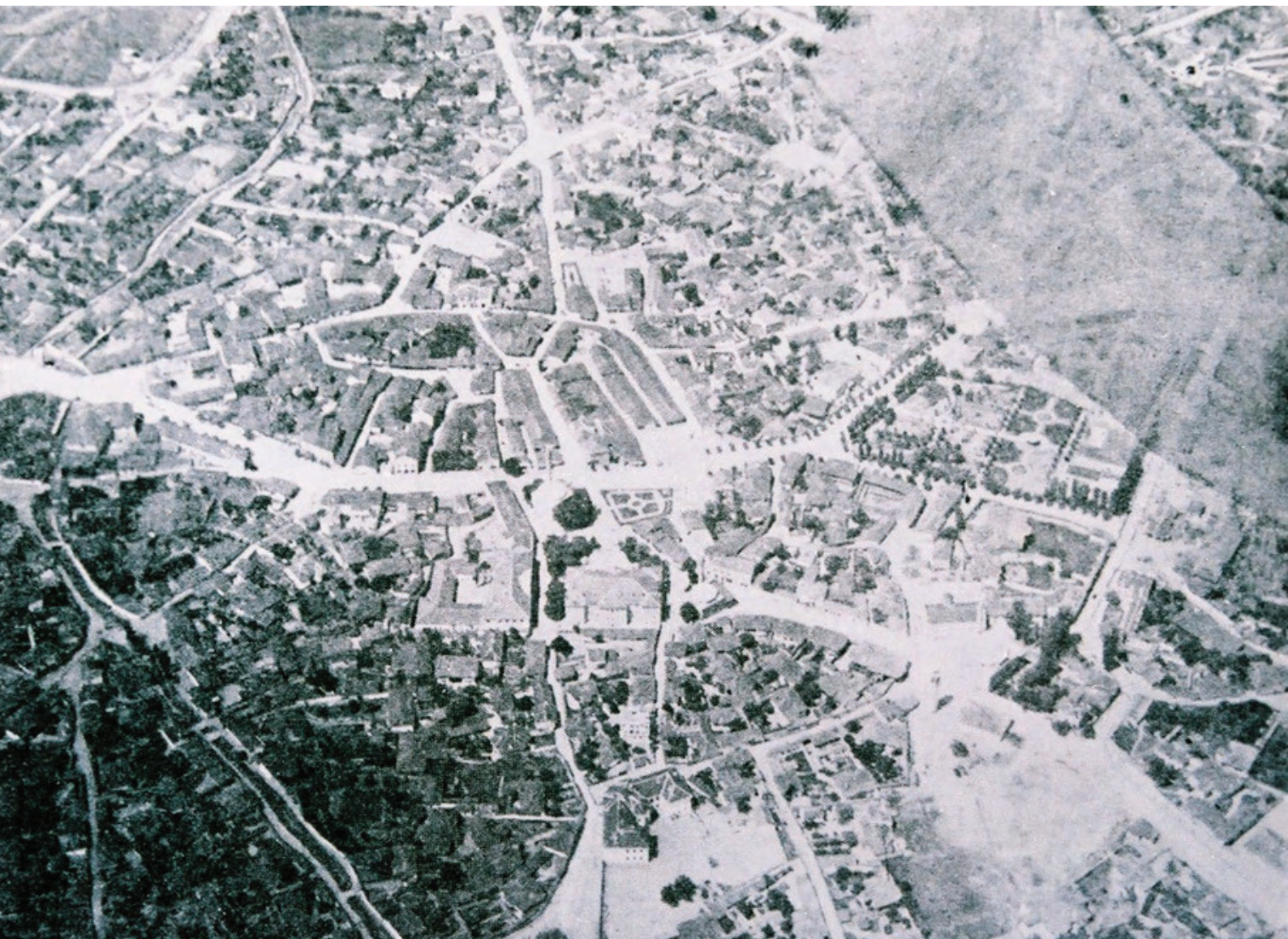


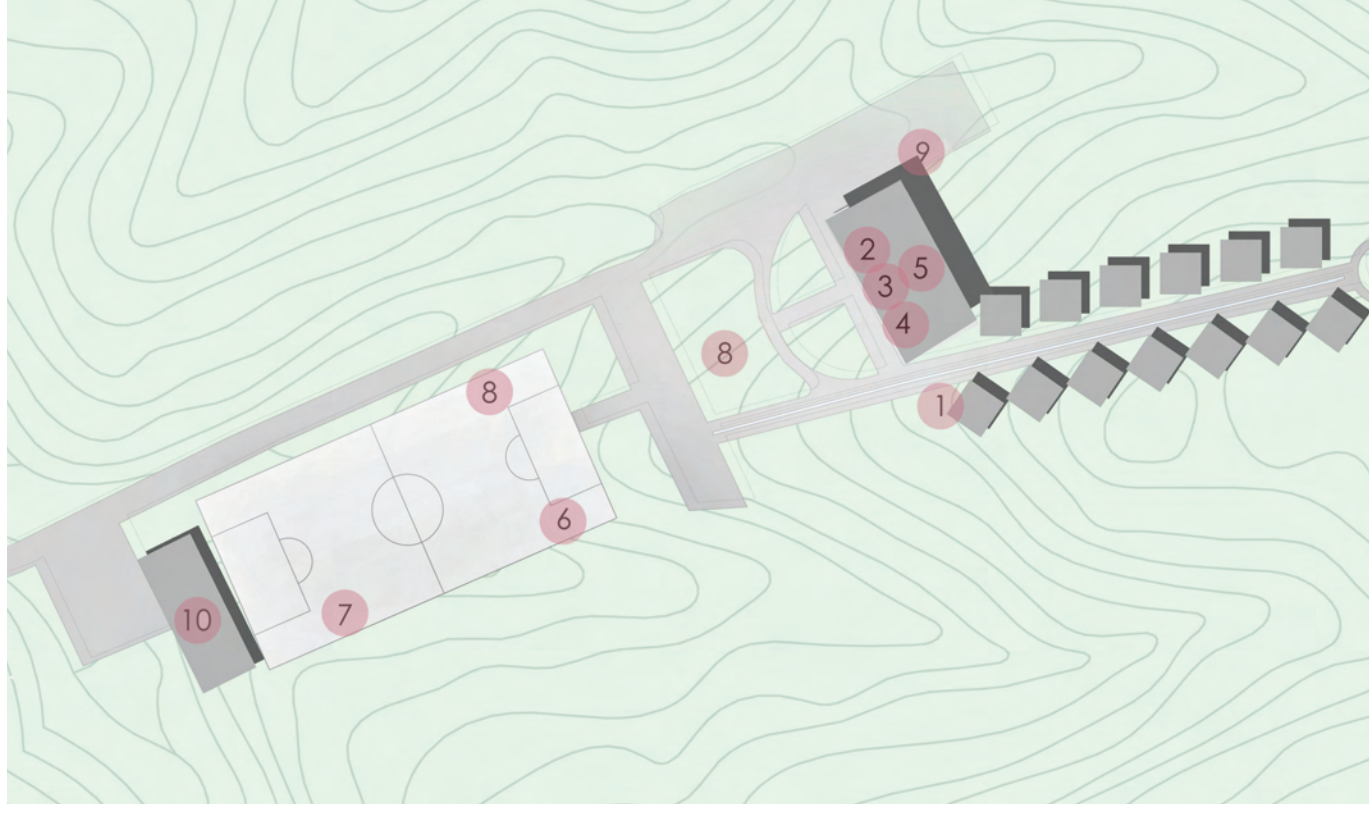
meters above sea level and its lowest is 663 meters above sea level. Due to its geographical position and climate conditions, Germia mountain massif has a rich fauna with 63 species of animals and a variety of about 600 species of flora.

Being one of the only areas with as much green in the city, Germia has developed many recreation areas. This area starts from the pool, and ends to the beginning of the ski lift. This whole area includes: the pool, a variety of sports terrains (such

as tennis or basketball), children playgrounds, inns, skiing areas, picnic spots etc. Though given the fact the area had few to none parking lots, and a lot of visitors, there had to be a regulation of parking lots, thus, the recreational area was a little reduced.

In 1987, the “Germia” complex was taken under protection by Prishtina’s Municipal Assembly in the category of the Regional Nature. In 2015 Germia is designated as a protected landscape.







1. Accomodation
2. Working Space (Ground Floor)
3. Buffet (Ground Floor)
4. information Center (Ground Floor)
5. Ecoweeek Office (First Floor)
6. Bar
7. Projection Area (Movies)
8. Events Area
9. Climbing Wall
10. Toilet

Reflection

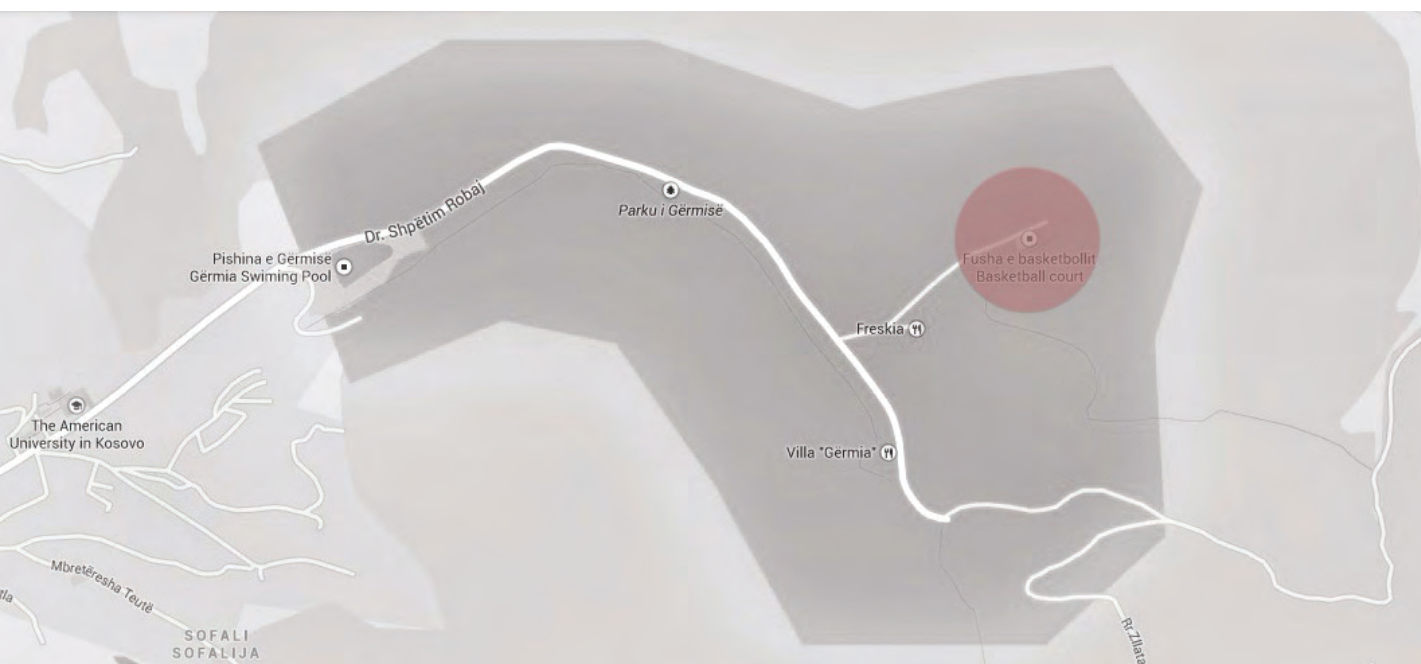
Change in cities is inevitable. How do we reflect as processes of change reach the places we know and love? How do we reflect when the changes come to our society and state? What is the role of planners, architects and designers, intervene in this process?

Our involvement It is very important when the changes come to our environment.

How can we learn from the past, on sustainability, on construction skills, on natural materials and on cultural and social background?

REFLECTION will attempt to explore a deeper understanding of the relationship between the natural to the man-made world and to provide preliminary tools for wise, sustainable decisions, in a time of significant ecological changes and challenges.

Reflection is a very wide notion and everyone can interpret it differently. Just ask yourself what is your contribution for having a better environment around you?





13



workshops



1. Re- flecting on the Park

Tutor: Sean Martindenale

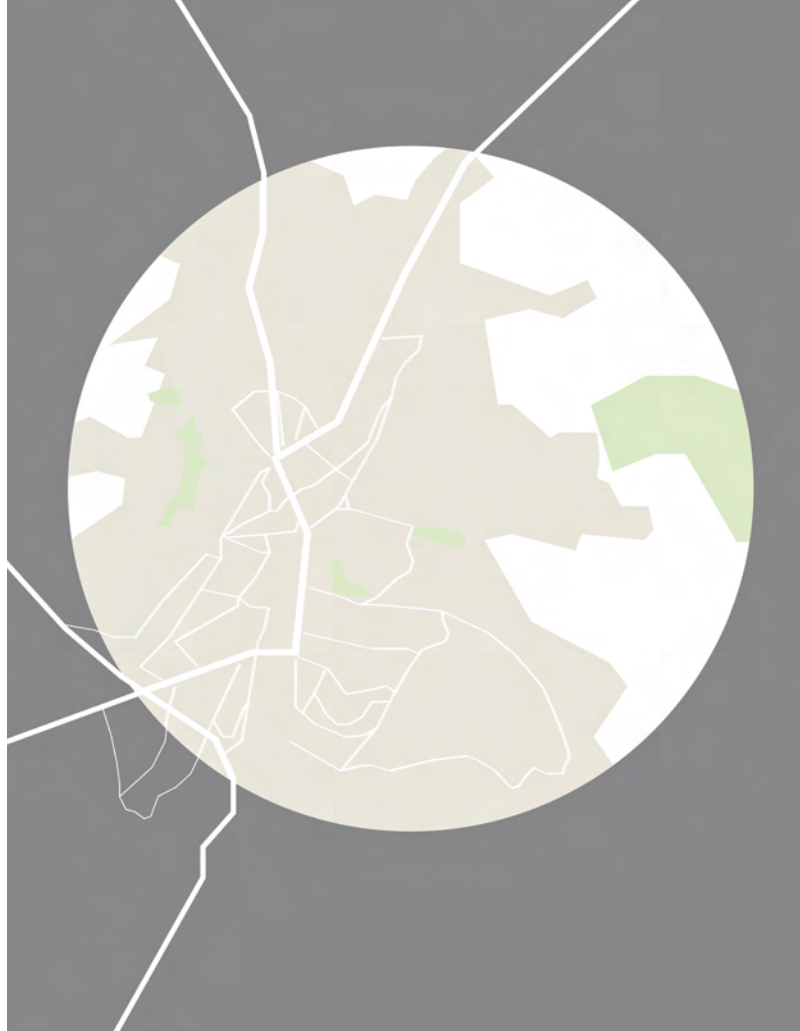
This open-ended workshop will engage with Gërmia National Park and its newly protected status. Martindale will collaborate with workshop participants and explore ways of using natural and upcycled materials to create site-specific sculptural installations. The art and design workshops will offer opportunities to consider sustainability as a group, encouraging experimentation and an exchange of ideas between the artist and participants. In Prishtina, he is interested in drawing the public's attention to the need to create and preserve more spaces like Gërmia National Park. Martindale's workshops aim to expand the public's imagination and collaboratively introduce new possibilities for Prishtina.



2. Tree- house

*Tutor: Dustin Fieder, Visar Geci
Blerim Lutolli*

Living in trees is not only environmentally low impact it also gives a powerful inspiring message to the world of living minimally and in close communion with nature. On this workshop you will learn how to create a treehouse structural foundation for your DIY treehouse dream home. The tutors will be releasing his open source modular treehouse structural platform system and tree connection hardware as well. Throughout the work shop learn how to properly connect to a tree, tree climbing techniques, useful knots, treehouse rigging, and proper assembly of the open source structural platform system



3. Re- thinking Prishtina

*Tutor: Abbas Sbeity, Malak Rahal,
Ramona Abdallaha*

The workshop is designed to showcase the stories behind Prishtina and the Germia Park through its people and users. The workshop will be divided into 2 sections, a theoretical part and a practical part. In the first part, they will learn about the basics of the workshop then get the chance to apply what they learned and do a field work by interviewing local people, doing design research, and engaging with the community. The re-mapping will be a translation of the local stories by the creative methods of the participants. The participants will get to learn different methods for creative mapping, the relation between storytelling and design and architecture. They will also get a hands on experience on community engagement and the participatory approach in the human centered design methods. Each participant will get the chance individually or by group to execute based on his own methodology.



4. White Sheets

*Tutor: Despoina Kouinoglou,
Johannes Peter Steidl*

In our workshop we will see the sites of interventions as white blank papers. We will cut them out and at the fringe of those sheets we will reflect the social, environmental, historical and spatial drivers of the context. We will dissect the rough diamonds, combine them with new elements, transform, interpret and implement them back into their nature. We will start from a theoretic strategy and will come to a handmade 1:1 scale. Let's see the public space as a playground, let's draw lines and connect spaces in the park, let's paint all white! Let's find the correlation of the site with its natural habitat. Let's find ways to make it a place where people could use it day and night!

5. Re- turning Public

*Tutor: Dastid Feratii, Lulzim Nuza
Aleksandra Poljanec,*

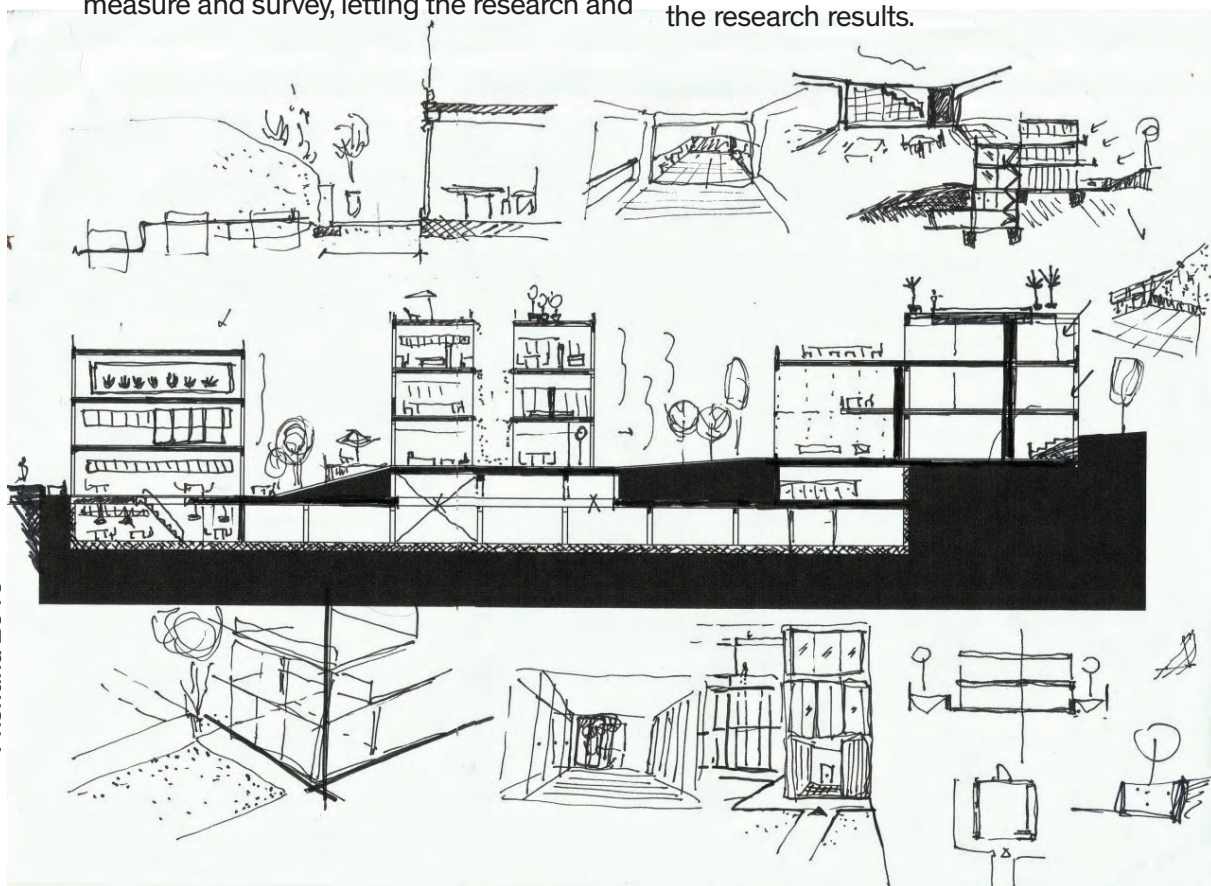
Lively Cities, a contemporary concept of city planning, is linked with pedestrian activities in city space. One of the most significant activities are the staying activities, notably sitting. The number of people staying and length of their stay are signs of how good the city space has been designed respectively how welcoming it is.

The target of this workshop is to improve the quality of city space in Prishtina for staying activities. Before designing, it is essential to identify the local behavior and needs, to measure and survey, letting the research and

its results determine the solution, hence this workshop will be research-based along with design which will consist of three stages.

First the participants will research about the methodology of survey, terminology/local mechanism, criteria and data to be collected, locations and timing. As a second phase, the participants will have to do field survey and measurements, including interviews and questioners. Once the survey has been completed, the data will be analyzed and structured in order to have the results and conclusions. Based on these conclusions some proposals will be designed and implemented in certain place as a showcase which represents the third stage. Once the design and implementation has been completed, a second survey will be done for data comparison, as a scientific way of measuring the success of it.

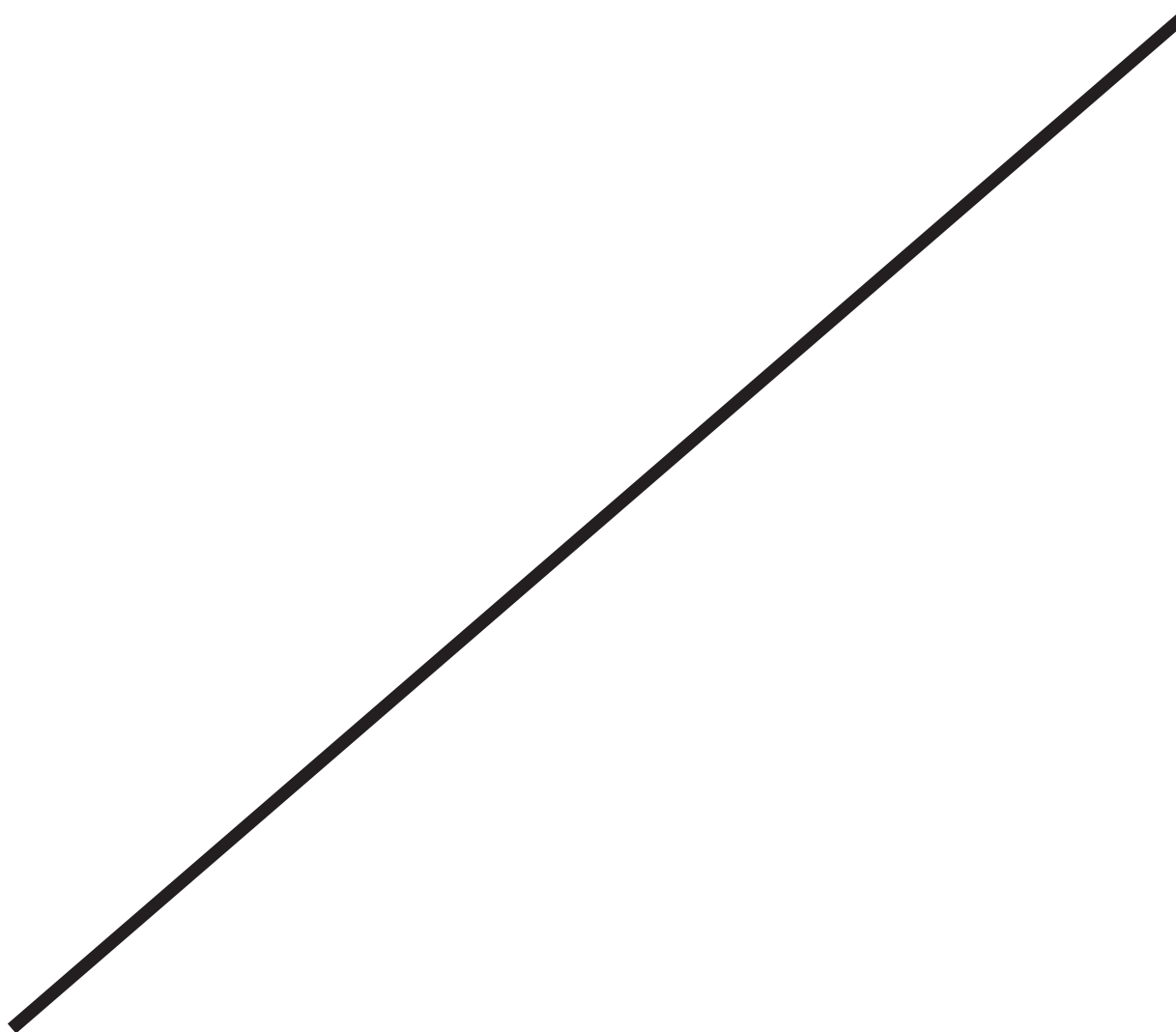
It is expected that this workshop's outcome will contribute in several fields. The participants will have the opportunity to be further informed about different research methodologies and problem approaches. The research and the implementation will try to increase the awareness of people for public usage, at the same time inform local designers about the research results.



Pro _____

19

_____ gram



09-24 Sep

Participant Pack

| | Friday, 09.09.2016 | Saturday 10.09.2016 |
|-------|-------------------------------------|--|
| 9:00 | All day — Arrivals, Check in | |
| | | |
| | | |
| 10:00 | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| 11:00 | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| 12:00 | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| 13:00 | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| 14:00 | | 14:00 – 14:30 Introduction and Welcome |
| | | 14:30 – 15:30 Lecture 1 |
| 15:00 | 15:30 – 15:45 Break on your own | |
| | 15:45 – 16:45 Lecture 2 | |
| 16:00 | 16:45 – 17:30 Lecture 3 | |
| | 17:30 – 17:45 Break on your own | |
| 17:00 | 17:45 – 18:30 Lecture 4 | |
| | 18:30 – 20:00 Panel discussion | |
| 18:00 | | |
| 19:00 | 20:00 – 21:00 Get together, Coctail | |
| 20:00 | | |
| 21:00 | | |

| Sunday 11.09.2016 | Monday, 12.09.2016 |
|---|--|
| | 09:00 – 09:30 Ecoweeek On-Site Registration Venue: Gërmia park Registration only |
| | 09:30 – 10:00 Meet your group Ecoweeek Desgin Workshops |
| | 10:00 – 12:00 Walking tour, Sketching Session TBA Registration only |
| | 12:00 – 13:00 Lunch Break |
| | 13:00 – 19:00 Ecoweeek Design Workshops |
| 14:00 – 15:00 Lecture 5 | 19:00 – 20:00 Dinner Break |
| 15:00 – 16:00 Lecture 6 | 21:00 Welcome Party |
| 16:15 – 17:15 Lecture 7 | |
| 17:15 – 18:15 Lecture 8 | |
| 18:15 – 18:30 Break on your own | |
| 18:30 – 20:00 Presantation 1, Presantation 2, Presantation 3, Presantation 4, Presantation 5, Presantation 6 | |
| | |
| | |
| | |

| | Tuesday, 13.09.2016 | Wednesday, 14.09.2016 |
|-------|--|--|
| 9:00 | 09:00 – 10:00 Morning exercise / Yoga / Meditation | 09:00 – 10:00 Morning exercise / Yoga / Meditation |
| 10:00 | | |
| 11:00 | 10:00 – 12:00 Ecoweek Design Workshops | 10:00 – 12:00 Ecoweek Design Workshops |
| 12:00 | 12:00 – 13:00 Lunch Break | 12:00 – 13:00 Lunch Break |
| 13:00 | | |
| 14:00 | | |
| 15:00 | | |
| 16:00 | 13:00 – 19:00 Ecoweek Design Workshops | 13:00 – 19:00 Ecoweek Design Workshops |
| 17:00 | | |
| 18:00 | | |
| 19:00 | 19:00 – 20:00 Dinner Break | 19:00 – 20:00 Dinner Break |
| 20:00 | 20:00-21:00 Movie Night | 20:00 Band Night |
| 21:00 | Bar | |

| | Thursday. 15.09.2016 | Friday, 16.09.2016 |
|--|---|--|
| | 9:00 – 12:00 Study tour Optional Registration only Prishtina | 09:00 – 10:00 Morning exercise / Yoga / Meditation |
| | | 10:00 – 12:00 Ecoweeek Design Workshops |
| | 12:00 – 13:00 Lunch Break | 12:00 – 13:00 Lunch Break |
| | 13:00 – 19:00 Ecoweeek Design Workshops | 13:00 – 19:00 Ecoweeek Design Workshops |
| | 19:00 – 20:00 Dinner Break | 19:00 – 20:00 Dinner Break |
| | 20:00 Bar | 20:00 Bar |

| | Saturday, 17.09.2016 | Sunday, 18.09.2016 |
|-------|--|--|
| 9:00 | 09:00 – 10:00 Morning exercise / Yoga / Meditation | 09:00 – 10:00 Morning exercise / Yoga / Meditation |
| 10:00 | | |
| 11:00 | 10:00 – 12:00 Ecoweek Design Workshops | 10:00 – 12:00 Ecoweek Design Workshops |
| 12:00 | 12:00 – 13:00 Lunch Break | 12:00 – 13:00 Lunch Break |
| 13:00 | | |
| 14:00 | | |
| 15:00 | | |
| 16:00 | 13:00 – 19:00 Ecoweek Design Workshops | 13:00 – 19:00 Ecoweek Design Workshops |
| 17:00 | | |
| 18:00 | | |
| 19:00 | 19:00 – 20:00 Dinner Break | 19:00 – 20:00 Dinner Break |
| 20:00 | Bar | 20:00-21:00 Movie Night |
| 21:00 | | Bar |

| | Monday, 19.09.2016 | Tuesday, 20.09.2006 |
|--|--|---|
| | 09:00 – 10:00 Morning exercise / Yoga / Meditation | |
| | 10:00 – 12:00 Ecoweek Design Workshops | |
| | 12:00 – 13:00 Lunch Break | |
| | 13:00 – 19:00 Ecoweek Design Workshops | 13:00 – 19:00 Workshop presentation |
| | 19:00 – 20:00 Dinner Break | |
| | 20:00 Bar | Get together / Final party |

| | Wednesday, 21.09.2016 | Thursday, 19.09.2016 |
|-------|----------------------------|----------------------|
| 9:00 | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| 10:00 | | |
| | | |
| | | |
| 11:00 | 10:00 – 12:00 Check Out | |
| 12:00 | 12:00 Extra Excursion | |
| 13:00 | | |
| | | |
| 14:00 | | |
| | | |
| 15:00 | | |
| | | |
| 16:00 | | |
| | | |
| 17:00 | | |
| | | |
| 18:00 | | |
| | | |
| 19:00 | | |
| | | |
| 20:00 | | |
| | | |
| 21:00 | | |

Friday, 23.09.2016

Tuesday, 20.09.2006

19:00
Exhibition Opening:
Ecoweek Workshop Project Proposals

19:00
Exhibition
Ecoweek Workshop Project Proposals

Accommodation

The Ecoweeek workshops are going to take place in Gërmia, thus, you will be accommodated in the villas close to the areas where the workshops are going to be working throughout the weeks.

Each villa is fit for five people in total, and are located in a villa complex where all the participants are going to be accommodated in.





Lectures

All the lectures will be held in the campus of “University of Prishtina”, Faculty of Architecture.

Exhibition

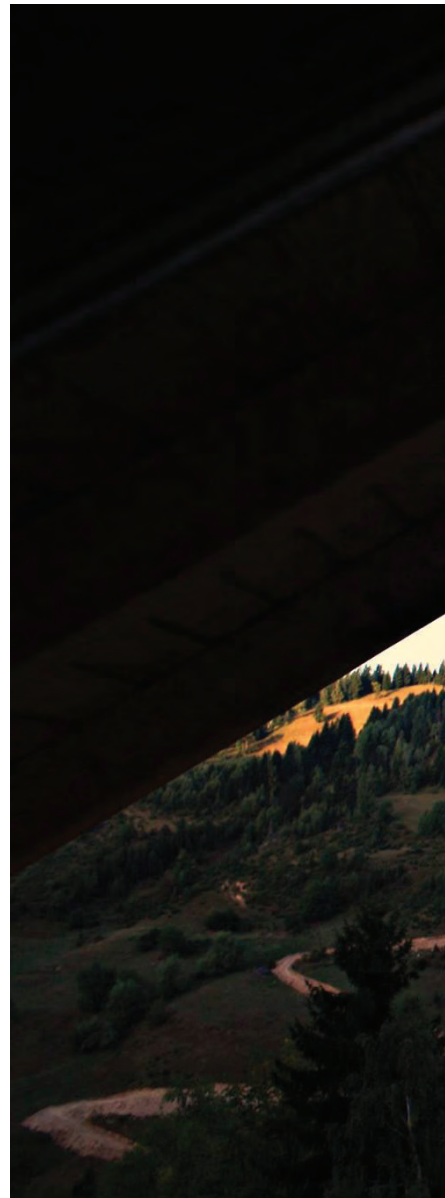
The exhibition is going to be held in an open space, and it will show all the work that has been done by participants in the workshops directed by their tutors throughout Ecoweeek.

Extra Excursions

Appart from the Ecoweeek experience you would be getting from the lectures, workshops, and activities, there's an extra excursion planned for those who would be interested to be attending activities such as hiking, and camping.

The excursion will take part in a region which is suitable for hiking, skiing, mountaineering, paragliding, and picnics, thus, the visitors of these alps visit the area for activities during all four seasons.

Given the fact the nature is exceptionally beautiful in this area, hiking is preferable in all four seasons. This is going to last for two days.



Fee

31

15 E

The fees are to be paid at the info point.



Participant Pack

Be a partici- pant

REFLECTION

By being a participant in Ecoweeek, apart the memorable times, you would be getting much closer to the idea of architecture and public design, and you would also get to learn from experienced architects, designers, and landscape designers. This would get you much closer to the family of architecture, and also expand your horizons and ideas about the future of architecture as a whole.

Every participant contributes to the running of the event. This means that every workshop has its own duties like serving food and cleaning up the area during the event.

What to bring:

Laptops

Sleeping bags

Bed sheets

Blankets

Cups and plates

Bath towel

Protection from the sun

A swimsuit

How to apply?

- To apply at our workshops you need to be graduated or up to the 3rd year of the faculty. You will need to send us a proof of your student status or graduated.
- As the theme of EcoweeK this year is “Reflection”, you would have to design a poster related to that theme. The poster should be A3 format, and the three best posters will be excluded from the payment. The design of the poster is free, you can do it by hand, pc programs, photography etc.
- Become a member of the ECOWEEK.NET

Deadline

There are going to be three deadlines for sending the posters for applying to the EcoweeK workshops .

1. Early Registration

2. Regular Registration

3. Late Registration

Fees

Early Registration

Deadline: 20/08/16

40€ for participants from Kosova

65€ for International participants

Late Registration

Deadline: 03/09/16

85€ for participants from Kosova

120€ for International participants

Regular Registration

Deadline: 28/08/16

60€ for participants from Kosova

90€ for International participants

Payment Deadline: 06/09/16

<http://ecoweeK-ks.org/registration/>

More info

ECOWEEK:

<http://ecoweeek.org/>

ECOWEEK NET:

<http://ecoweeek.net/>

ECOWEEK Book#1: 50 Voices for Sustainability:

https://issuu.com/ecoweeek/docs/ecoweeek_the_book_part_1

ECOWEEK Prishtina:

<http://ecoweeek-ks.org/>

https://www.facebook.com/ecoweeek.prishtina/?ref=aymt_homepage_panel

<https://www.instagram.com/ecoweeekprishtina/>

ECOCIETY:

<http://ecociety-ks.org/>

ECOWEEK Prishtina Catalog:

https://issuu.com/ecociety/docs/1._final_ecoweeek_prishtina_katalogu

<https://issuu.com/ecociety>

Ref lec tion

PARTICIPANT PACK

ECOWEEK Prishtina
International Conference &
Workshops for Young Professionals

ECOWEEK
2016 ... habits change ... climate change