HOUSING & URBANISM: Housing and the informal city (Term 2)
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Lectures:

SESSION 1:

Housing: Mimesis and the Loss of Identity


SESSION 2:

**Housing Policy and the Crisis of Modernisation: Abandoning the House**


SESSION 3:

**Housing Policy and Structural Adjustment: Abandoning the Poor?**


SESSION 4:

**Housing Policy and the Search for Scaling-up: Towards a New Generation of Policies, Programmes and Projects**


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SESSION 5:

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SESSION 6:

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SESSION 7:

**Seminar: The Changing Place of “Communities” - From Territory to Identity**

SESSION 8:

**Seminar: Ghettos, Enclaves and Enclosures – the Question of Connectivity**

SESSION 9:

**Seminar: Multisectoriality, Space and Scaling-up**

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