

Design Research in Alternative Contexts

Seminar & Exhibitions at the Royal Institute of British Architects

Wren Room + Hawksmoor Room, 66 Portland Place

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SEMINAR PROGRAMME

From 9:30	Exhibition opens coffee, tea and mini-pastries
Morning Session 10:00-12:00	Design Research: A Global View Chair: François Penz, Professor of Architecture and the Moving Image, University of Cambridge Opening speech by Xiaowei Xiang, Minister-Counsellor for Cultural Affairs, Embassy of the PRC in the UK & Andong Lu, Professor in Urbanism, Nanjing University Presentations: 10:20-10:45 Jeremy Till, Head of Central Saint Martins and Pro Vice-Chancellor of University of the Arts London 10:45-11:10 Murray Fraser, Professor of Architecture and Global Culture, Vice-Dean of Research, Bartlett Faculty of the Built Environment, UCL 11:10-11:35 Felipe Hernandez, Lecturer, Chair of Cities South of Cancer (CSC), University of Cambridge 11:35-12:00 Ingrid Schröder, Director of MPhil in Architecture and Urban Design Lecturer, University of Cambridge
12:00-14:00	Lunch RIBA Deli Box for invited guests and pre-booked guests

<p>Afternoon Session 14:00-16:00</p>	<p>‘Investigate It’ & the Alternative Context Chair: Helen Castle, <i>Editor of the Architectural Design</i></p> <p>Speech by Stephen Hodder, <i>MBE, PRIBA, FRSA</i></p> <p>Presentations: 14:20-15:10 Report on the Investigate-It Workshop by Andong Lu, <i>Professor in Urbanism, Nanjing University</i> 15:10-15:35 Wowo Ding, <i>Dean of the School of Architecture and Urban Planning, Nanjing University</i> 15:35-16:00 Chen Zhao, <i>Professor in Architectural History, Nanjing University</i></p>
<p>16:00-16:30</p>	<p>Coffee Break <i>coffee, tea and biscuits</i></p>
<p>16:30-17:30</p>	<p>Roundtable and Review of the Investigate-It Chair: Murray Fraser, <i>Professor of Architecture and Global Culture, Vice-Dean of Research, Bartlett Faculty of the Built Environment, UCL</i></p>
	<p>Other Guests <i>Nicholas Bullock, Professor, University of Cambridge</i> <i>Ling Zhou, Professor in Architecture, Nanjing University</i> <i>Matias del Campo, Associate Professor, University of Michigan</i> <i>Tilo Amhof, Senior Lecturer, University of Brighton</i> <i>Catalina Mejia Moreno, Senior Lecturer, University of Brighton</i></p>

EXHIBITIONS

Investigate-It Workshop – 10 projects, Hawksmoor Room

Curated by Andong Lu, Lu Feng & Pingping Dou

Including: *Yao Ding* (Tianjin University), *Lu Feng* (Wuyang Architecture), *Jiang Feng* (South China University of Technology), *Yimin Guo* (Southeast University), *Xinggong Li* (China Architecture Design Institute), *Andong Lu* (Nanjing University), *Keyang Tang* (Renmin University of China), *Bin Zhang* (Atelier Z+), *Li Zhang* (Tsinghua University), *Ling Zhou* (Nanjing University)

Design Research in South America, Wren Room

Curated by Felipe Hernandez

Design Research at Cambridge, Wren Room

Curated by Ingrid Schröder
