

## Materiality in the History & Theory of Architecture (Ghent, 17 Nov 22–27 Apr 23)

Ghent University, Belgium

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The History and Theory group of the Department of Architecture and Urban Planning is hosting a lecture series on "materiality". Over the course of the 2022-2023 academic year, five distinguished scholars will address the theme, presenting research from distinct epochs of architectural history.

Each lecture will take approximately 50 minutes, after which the discussion will be opened to the audience.

For questions or to register for one of the workshops, please write [elizabeth.merrill@ugent.be](mailto:elizabeth.merrill@ugent.be)

### Lecture Program

Simon Barker (Ghent University)

The processes between use and (re)use: carvers, builders, middlemen, and their roles in the Roman and late antique recycling industry

17 November 2022, 17:00-18:30 – VANDENHOVE

Christine Wall (University of Westminster)

Constructing Concrete: how oral histories reveal and inform architectural production

29 November 2022, 18:00-19:30 – VANDENHOVE

Hannah le Roux (University of Witwatersrand, Johannesburg)

Circulating Asbestos: Afterwards

15 December, 17:00-18:30 – VANDENHOVE

Fabio Barry (Warburg Institute, London)

Lecture: Painting in Stone: Reloaded?

1 March 2023, 17:00-18:30 – VANDENHOVE

Workshop: "Monumenting": Poetry and Architecture

2 March 2023, 11:00-13:00 – Kleine Vergaderzaal, Rommelaere

Réjean Legault (University of Quebec at Montreal)

Lecture: Brutalism and the Materialities of Postwar Architecture

26 April 2023, 17:00-18:30 – VANDENHOVE

Workshop: The Idea of Brutalism in Postwar Architecture

27 April 2023, 11:00-13:00 – Kleine Vergaderzaal, Rommelaere

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