

## The Housing Question: Nomad Seminar in Historiography (San Diego, 12–3 Mar 15)

University of San Diego, Mar 12–13, 2015

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The Housing Conference: Nomad Seminar in Historiography  
Department of Art, Architecture + Art History  
University of San Diego  
March 12-13, 2014

Keynote address featuring Reinhold Martin, GSAPP, Columbia University

Co-Chairs: Juliana Maxim, Can Bilsel, and Connelly Meschen

THURSDAY, MARCH 12, 2015

9:30 am

Camino Hall 43

Welcoming Address

Noelle Norton, Dean, College of Arts and Sciences, University of San Diego  
Carmen Popescu, Université Paris I-Sorbonne

10 am – 12 pm

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Panel One – Battlegrounds

Michael McCulloch, University of Michigan

“Glass and Stones: Materials of Race and Neighborhood Violence in 1920s Detroit”

Sheila Crane, University of Virginia

“Dwelling in the State of Exception: Housing as Weapon in the Battles of Algiers”

Emrah Altınok, Istanbul Bilgi University

“To Have Or Not To Have, That Is The Question: The Unseen Dimensions of Housing Question in Turkey. The Case of TOKİ, İstanbul in Post-2000 Period”

Respondent: Patricia Morton, UC Riverside

1:30 pm – 3:30 pm

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Panel Two – Imaginaries

Ana María León, MIT

"Modern Architecture Will Help You. Buenos Aires, 1949"

Daria Bocharnikova, Harvard University

"After Solving Housing Crisis in the USSR: NER Diagram for Future Settlements"

Respondent: Sylvia Lavin, UCLA

4 pm – 6 pm

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Panel Three – Discourses / Territories

Sabrina Shafique, University of Kansas

"Catherine Bauer and the Housing Question: The Social, Economic, and Humanitarian Turn in Design, 1934-1964"

Andrew Herscher, University of Michigan

Dan Monk, Colgate University

"Humanitarianism and the Housing Question"

Kenny Cupers, University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign

"Human Territoriality and the Downfall of Public Housing"

Respondent: Michael Osman, UCLA

6:30 pm

Manchester Conference Center Auditorium

Keynote Address

Opening Remarks: Andrew T. Allen, Vice President and Provost, University of San Diego

Reinhold Martin, Columbia University

"Housing and History: The Case of the Specific Intellectual"

with an introduction by Can Bilsel, University of San Diego

FRIDAY, MARCH 13, 2015

9 am – 11 am

Camino Hall 43

Panel Four – Types / Communities

Clare Robinson, University of Arizona

"Class, ethnicity, and the mid-century subdivision: re-examining Pueblo Gardens "

Kimberly Zarecor, Iowa State University

"The Red Levittowns: Socialist Housing Estates as a Suburban Typology"

Kıvanç Kılınç, Yasar University, Izmir

"Nomadic Modern/Modern Vernacular: Social Housing Projects in Izmir (1950-1970)"

Respondent: Susanne Schindler

11:15 am – 1:30 pm

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Panel Five – Crises / Exclusions

Nandini Bagchee, CCNY, CUNY

“Housing and Activism in New York City”

Şebnem Yücel, Yasar University, Izmir

“Gentrifying Urla: Gated Communities and “Landscapes Of Privilege”

Anooradha Iyer Siddiqi, Bryn Mawr College

“Humanitarian shelter and the making of the emergency subject.”

Respondent: Juliana Maxim, University of San Diego

Closing Remarks

Can Bilsel, University of San Diego

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