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Pontificia Universidad
Católica del Ecuador

THEMATIC SEMINAR

School of
Architecture

URBAN STRATEGIES TOWARDS SUSTAINABILITY

Integrating nature, energy and spatial planning

9 | 14 October 2024

14.30-18.30 | Room 401

Santa Teresa

Department of Architecture

Via della Mattonaia 8, Firenze

21 October 2024

9.00 – 19.00 | Aula Seminari

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2 CFU * | Cod. B021651

*The seminar is mandatory for participants in the study trip to Quito selected through a specific call, who will be awarded a total of 6 CFU (code B020765).

TEACHERS

> DIDA

Francesco Alberti
(*Scientific coordinator*)

Giulio Giovannoni
Cristina Piselli
Giulio Hasanaj

> TUTOR

Eleonora Giannini

> PUCE

Michael Davis
Jaire Cagigal

THEME

The main objective of the seminar is to offer master's students from the School of Architecture the opportunity to engage with the themes of sustainability and ecological transition, through an integrated, interdisciplinary and multiscalar approach to urban planning and design. The starting reference point is the New Urban Agenda adopted by the UN conference on "Housing and Sustainable Urban Development" (Habitat III) in Quito, Ecuador, in October 2016. Students will be called to reflect on how the "sustainability paradigm" must be adapted, taking into account, on one hand, contributions from various expert fields, and on the other hand, the specific characteristics of local contexts, which are very different in the countries of the Global North and South. The seminar includes the contribution of professors from the Pontificia Universidad Católica del Ecuador (PUCE), with which DIDA established a scientific collaboration agreement in 2023.

BENEFICIARIES

Students enrolled in the academic year 2024-2025:

- in the 4th and 5th year of the single-cycle degree program in Architecture
- in the Master's degree program in Architecture (including the English curriculum)
- in the Master's degree program in Planning (including the English curriculum)
- in the Master's degree program in Landscape Architecture
- in the Master's degree program in Design

LANGUAGE

Italian and English (a minimum of B1 level proficiency in English is required).

REGISTRATION

max 10 students

Online enrollment sending an email to:

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by October 4, 2024.

