

Re- Thinking Tourism for a Planet in Crisis

Re-Thinking Tourism Symposium 03
Symposium & Exhibition

Symposium live stream • Thursday 07.05.2020 • 15:00 - 20:00 CEST
Exhibition launch • Thursday 07.05.2020 • 10:00 CEST

All over the world experts, residents, and cities have been advocating for alternatives to the devastating impacts of overtourism on local territories, societies, economies and global climate.

The ‘Re-Thinking Tourism for a Planet in Crisis’ symposium opens up a cross-disciplinary discourse on the possible futures of responsible tourism.

As the COVID-19 pandemic radically hits global tourism and the immediate environmental benefits become evident, a unique opportunity demands immediate response and fundamental redefinition of tourism worldwide.

Introduction

15:00 Tina Gregoric + Jakob Travnik ● Institute of Architecture and Design, TU Vienna, AUT

Panel 1

15:25 John Thackara ● Writer, advisor and bioregional designer, FR

15:50 Phineas Harper ● Open City, London, UK + Oslo Architecture Triennale, NO

16:15 Aljosa Dekleva ● AA nanotourism Visiting School, London, UK + Dekleva Gregoric architects, SLO

16:40 Oaza ● Art and Design Collective, Zagreb, CRO

17:00 Panel discussion

Panel 2

18:05 Timothy Morton ● Professor, Rice University, USA

18:30 Maria Finders ● Atelier Luma and Luma Arles, FR

18:55 Dean MacCannell ● Professor Emeritus, UC Davis, California, USA

19:20 Tina Gregoric ● Professor, TU Vienna, AUT + Dekleva Gregoric architects, SLO

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Introduction

- 15:00 **Re-Thinking Tourism for a Planet in Crisis**
Tina Gregoric + Jakob Travnik • Institute of Architecture and Design, TU Vienna, AUT

Panel 1

- 15:25 **Welcome To My Home: Urban-Rural Relations**
John Thackara • Writer, advisor and bioregional designer, FR
- 15:50 **One Way Ticket to Infinity and Back**
Phineas Harper • Open City, London, UK + Oslo Architecture Triennale, NO
- 16:15 **Implementing Nanotourism by On-Site Education**
Aljosa Dekleva • AA nanotourism Visiting School, London, UK + Dekleva Gregoric architects, SLO
- 16:40 **MADE IN - alternative production systems**
Oaza • Art and Design Collective, Zagreb, CRO
- 17:00 • Panel discussion

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- 18:05 **Cheap Holidays in Other People's Misery**
Timothy Morton • Professor, Rice University, USA
- 18:30 **No Culture without Hospitality**
Maria Finders • Atelier Luma and Luma Arles, FR
- 18:55 **The Moral Economy of Tourism**
Dean MacCannell • Professor Emeritus, UC Davis, California, USA
- 19:20 **Towards New Realities**
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Aljosa Dekleva ● Programme Head of AA nanotourism Visiting School, London, UK and co-founder of Dekleva Gregoric architects, Ljubljana, Slovenia



Oaza ● Art and Design Collective, based in Zagreb, Croatia



Timothy Morton ● Philosopher and writer, Professor and Rita Shea Guffey Chair in English, Rice University, Texas, USA



Maria Finders ● Curator of Luma Days, Co-artistic director Atelier Luma, Strategic Development, Luma Arles, France



Dean MacCannell ● Writer and Professor Emeritus at UC Davis, California, USA



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The seminar 'Re-Thinking Tourism for a Planet in Crisis' took place during winter semester 2019/20 at TU Vienna. Using the concept of nanotourism as a point of departure, the seminar focused on evaluating its characteristics through cross-disciplinary research, analysis and pattern thinking.

The exhibition documents the seminar's collection of reference projects, theories, texts and case studies through 9 visual essays, collectively hinting towards alternative forms of the study and design of tourism for a planet in crisis.

Participating students:

Exhibition group

Zaj nab Ali, Germany
Emma Kaufmann-LaDuc, USA
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Mentors: Univ.Ass. Jakob Travnik, Stud.Ass. Amanda Sperger

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One Way Ticket to Infinity and Back Phineas Harper

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Implementing Nanotourism by On-Site Education

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MADE IN – alternative production systems

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Creative collective, Zagreb, Croatia

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Towards New Realities

Tina Gregoric

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