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Embodied Placemaking in Urban Public Spaces, Part I

Symposium Program

Friday, October 8, 2010

Curricular Guide:

speaker info, abstracts, background readings

9 am

Welcomes

Richard Grusin (C21)

Arijit Sen (Architecture)

9:15 - 10:45 am

Politics of Place

Swati Chattopadhyay (UC-Santa Barbara):

Visualizing the Body Politic

Joseph Sciorra (Queens College):

Vernacular Exegesis of the Gentrifying Gaze: Saints, Hipsters, and Public Space in Williamsburg, Brooklyn

Moderator: Arijit Sen

11:00 am - 12:30 pm

Making Jewish Space

Jennifer Cousineau (Parks Canada):

Rabbinic Urbanism as an Index to Popular Belief in Late 20th-Century London

Charlotte Fonrobert (Stanford):

Marking Boundaries: The Politics of Mapping Neighborhoods

Moderator: Lisa Silverman (History)

12:30 - 1:30 pm

Lunch

1:45 - 3:15 pm

Civic Performances

James Rojas (Latino Urban Forum):

Interactive Planning: Engaging the Public in Placemaking

Karen E. Till (Virginia Tech):

Witnessing and Performing Place: Memory Traces of Displacement in Wounded Cities

Moderator: Ryan Holifield (Geography)

3:30 pm

Plenary Discussion



Photo: Arijit Sen

[Map/Directions:](#) Curtin Hall, Hefter Conference Center, Kenilworth Square Apartments



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