



6th "Anatomy of Islands" moves from Vis to the Island of Lastovo  
Workshop and Symposium "In Pursuit of the Public"  
16. - 24.09.2017.



## **PARTICIPATION CALL**

**Program "Anatomy of Islands" consists of symposiums and workshops focusing on themes involving island development.**

**Five-year cycle on the Island of Vis (2012 - 2016) has finished off. The new one, planned for 2017. to 2021., begins on Lastovo, the remotest inhabited Croatian island, a park of nature.**

**Experts from various disciplines are invited to participate: architecture, geography, archeology, anthropology, sociology, agriculture etc., as well as architecture design and urban planning students.**

**A Smart Island communities set of discussions and presentations has been planned for 16th and 17th of September.**



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## **SYMPOSIUM "IN PURSUIT OF THE PUBLIC" 2017.**

In Lastovo first year, it is an opportunity to define 5 - year span of research and discussions about islands. During your stay on Lastovo, it has been planned to agree on suitable forms of future activities, using positive and negative experiences from our Vis encounters.

This year's topic, "In Pursuit of the Public", starts on an island with a rich building tradition and tradition of cultivating the green space. (Over)Privatization of space, chaotic building processes and exploitation of natural resources has taken over the territory and has pushed out the Public. There have never been fewer inhabitants and, at the same time, the damage caused has never been bigger.

For the past few years Dobre Dobricevic Association, this year's co-organizer, has been using ex-open-air cinema that belonged to Yugoslav People's Army, has been organizing a number of concerts and other culture and entertaining events happening in public spaces such as public gardens, schoolyard, squares... Apart from events being free of charge, meaning everyone can participate, those are happening on an island with scarce culture life and on abandoned or neglected spaces that are state or municipality owned. Their affirmation positions those spaces in public consciousness, giving them collective emotional denomination.

We are interested and looking at other similar experiences and positive examples that have to do with activism and its architecture and aesthetic materialization, social dimension and other engaging consequences.

content of the application: title, abstract and short biography of the author(s)  
application deadline: 1st of June 2017.

\* Estimated cost of residence per person is 350 Euro (2.625,00 HRK). It includes breakfast, lunch, dinner (meal price is cca 7 Euro / 55,00 HRK) and accommodation during the whole symposium, an island tour, and farewell party. One-way catamaran ticket costs 6 Euro (50 HRK).



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## STUDENT WORKSHOP



The workshop location is Zaklopatica bay. It is situated on the north coast of the Island of Lastovo, 11 km from central island settlement. Since the last war, it has been built illegally with buildings that have mostly inappropriate characteristics: monotonous content - apartments, over built-up areas, impenetrability and over-privatisation of lungo mare, lack of parking space, chaos with yachts mooring, sewage pits with a direct taphole,...

In spite of the bad spatial condition, in the context of Lastovo, this bay represents most inhabited and most promising part. It has around 60 permanent inhabitants, 80 tourist apartments, which is at least 200 tourists per day in season, 5 restaurants, a diving club... The assignment is to identify problems and create smart solutions and proposals. The result is supposed to be a good quality probe that can be used later as a groundwork for the detailed urban plan.

For students, this is an educative training and for the local community, it is a useful basis for planning the usage of space and powerful motivation.

On this island, like on many other Croatian islands, the civilized tradition of space usage has diminished. In order to start a dialogue between urban planners and inhabitants, inhabitants are supposed to be engaged, empowered, educated, and heard... Therefore, a public presentation is scheduled for the end of the workshop.

\* Location analysis is in separate .pdf.

## STUDENT PARTICIPATION

application e-mail: [udrugabbb@gmail.com](mailto:udrugabbb@gmail.com)

application content: curriculum vitae and motivation letter

application deadline: 1st of June 2017.

participation details: 140 Euro (1.050,00 HRK)

includes breakfast, lunch and accommodation during whole workshop, an island tour and farewell party and tutor. One-way catamaran ticket costs 6 Euro (50 HRK).



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All additional information and applications should be sent on one of the following e-mail addresses:

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See you on Lastovo!

Best regards,

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