

THE CITY OF WELLBEING

ARCHITECTURE AND URBAN ENVIRONMENTS THAT PROMOTE THE GOOD LIFE.

SYMPOSIUM AUGUST 29TH 2018



The symposium The City of Wellbeing will initially point out some trends that promote or hinder physical as social activity. Hereafter, it is the symposium's intention to trace their effect on space in the modern city and inspire examples that bring forth the good life and possibilities of it across ongoing research, development projects and practice.

The European city is facing many challenges, of which only a few can be displayed at the symposium: Densification, segregation of specific population groups by age, social and economic ability, a growing number of seniors, health inequality and physical inactivity.

The question is whether we today in order to reduce diseases or cure them through the built environment, rather should work towards new strategies aimed at promoting the good life? That modern urban planning, architecture and landscape art not only focus on a narrow classical concept of health, but more aim at promoting the overall well-being of the whole human being - The City of Wellbeing?

AUDITORIUM 6

he Royal Danish Academy of Fine Arts, Schools of Architecture, Design and Conservation.

Danneskjold Samsøes Allé 53
1435 Copenhagen K, Denmark

TARGET GROUPS AND LECTURERS

The symposium will contribute to the education and inspiration of among other professionals in municipalities, drawing offices, higher education, planners, investors and decision makers as a whole. The lecturers are leading researchers and practitioners from Canada, Europe and Denmark.

TIME AND PLACE

Wednesday, August 29, 2018,
Auditorium 6 at the Royal Danish Academy of Fine Arts, Schools of Architecture, Design and Conservation, Danneskjold Samsøes Allé 53, 1435 Copenhagen K, Denmark.

REGISTRATION

Symposium, lunch and coffee are free. In case of no-show, an invoice of DKK 375 will be sent. The symposium can only accommodate up to 90 participants after the first come first served principle.

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09:00 *WELCOME*

Associate Professor René Kural, KADK. *Welcome and introduction to the symposium's topics.*

CONSUMERATION AND INEQUALITY

09:05 **Giovanna Borasi, Chief Curator of the Canadian Centre for Architecture (CCA) in Montreal, Quebec, Canada.** *Imperfect Health: the urgent "demedicalization" of architecture.*

09:40 **PhD Elena Dorato, University of Ferrara.** *The Elderly Perspective. Towards an Active, Inclusive City.*

10:15 **Professor Deane Simpson, KADK.** *Young-Old and the intergenerational city.*

10:50 **City Architect Tina Saaby, City of Copenhagen.** *Public versus private interests.*

11:25 Break out sessions: Talk to the lecturer you want.

12:00 LUNCH

HEALING ENVIRONMENTS – FROM CURE TO CARE

13:00 **Associate professor Astrid Pernille Jespersen, Copenhagen Centre for Health Research in the Humanities and Center for Healthy Aging..** *Biking in the City – results and insights from the GO-ACTIWE project.*

13:30 **Post Doctoral Fellow Kamilla Nørtoft/PhD student Sidse Carroll, KADK**
Move the neighborhood – with seniors.

14:00 **Associate Professor Bettina Lamm, Assistant Professor Anne Wagner, PhD student Laura Winge, KU**
Move the neighborhood – with children.

14:30 COFFEE BREAK

15:00 **Professor Jens Troelsen, SDU.** *Physical activity in relation to urban environments cities worldwide: a cross sectional study.*

15:30 **Louise Vogel Kielgast, Gehl Architects.** *Planning for Health and Well-being in Cities.*

16:00 **Professor Bent Egberg Mikkelsen, AAU.** *Growing capacities – the Green Campus Community program revisited.*

16:30 16:30 til 17:00 Break out sessions: Talk to the lecturer you want.

The symposium is arranged by the international research network Active Cities Network (ACN) and the Danish network Activity- and health-promoting Physical Environments Network (APEN)

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