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Urban Communication: “Creating Sites for Connection and Action”**Sponsor:**

Seminars

Schedule Information:

Scheduled Time: Wed, Nov 15 - 8:00am - 5:00pm **Building/Room:** Convention Center / Room 102 B
Title Displayed in Event Calendar: Urban Communication: “Creating Sites for Connection and Action”

Session Participants:

Chair: Gary Gumpert (Communication Landscapers)
Chair: Susan Drucker (Hofstra University)
Chair: Gene Burd (University of Texas at Austin)
Participant: Harvey Jassem (Loyola University)
Participant: Leo Jeffres (Cleveland State University)
Chair: Daniel Makagon (DePaul University)
Participant: S Diane McFarland (Buffalo State College)
Participant: Casey Lum (William Paterson University)
Chair: Timothy Gibson (George Mason University)
Chair: Eric Gordon (Emerson College)
Participant: Louis William Rutigliano (University of Texas, Austin)
Participant: Jack Barwind (Zayed University)
Participant: Kevin Carragee (Suffolk University)
Participant: Kevin Amos Clark (Oregon State University)
Participant: Greg Dickinson (Colorado State University)
Participant: Janis Edwards (University of Alabama)

Participant: Victoria Gallagher (North Carolina State University)

Participant: Irina Gendelman (University of Washington)

Participant: Garth Jowett (University of Houston)

Participant: Michael Kock (Ohio University)

Participant: Dong-Hoo Lee (University of Incheon)

Participant: Matthew Matagasnis (University of Southern California)

Participant: John Monberg (University of Kansas)

Participant: James C. Morrison (Emerson College)

Participant: Timothy Simpson (University of Macau)

Abstract:

The study of urban communication is based on the assumption that cities are inherently places of and products of communication. The city is a communication context in which the dynamics of people and objects are fashioned by cultures of difference and similarity. This seminar grows out of the conference theme examining urban (and by implication suburban and rural) sites of social interaction and political action. Participants will be required to distribute copies of position papers to all other members of the seminar prior to the meeting in San Antonio.