

THEORY AND URBAN PROJECTS:

HONORING MANUEL DE SOLÀ-MORALES



30 October 2013 - 20h
SIAMU Auditorium

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PROGRAMME

The professional practice Manuel de Solà-Morales (1939-2012) constitutes today one of the most solid and singular visions on architecture and urbanism, setting the basis for a new theoretical approach to city design at the verge of the new millenium: material matters, intellectual reflection, academic practice and strategic thinking coming together through built form.

Professors and architects Carles Crosas, Jens Aerts, Kris Scheerlinck and Jorge Perea, former collaborators engaged in his professional practice, approach this major figure in a poliedric way. They will reflect on his work by introducing the professional, academic, and theoretical aspects of his career. These presentations will lead into Marcel Smets' lecture "The insights I gained from Manuel Solà".

The conclusion of the evening will take form of a broad discussion conducted by Prof. Nadia Casabella, examining the repercussion of his work on contemporary city making.

PRACTICAL INFO

When:

30 October 2013, 20h00

Where:

SIAMU Auditorium

(entrance through the gate in front of rue du Frontispice 39)

Price:

Free entrance, please make your reservation by mail to masterclass.archi@ulb.ac.be

After the lecture:

You are kindly invited to join the staff and lecturers for informal discussions after the lecture, at Flamingo Café, rue de Laeken 169.

Organisation:

Louise (ULB) and Cosmopolis (VUB), with the support of the Secretary of State in Charge of Urbanism for the Brussels-Capital Region.