

# RTG 2725 “Urban Future-Making”



June 19-23, 2023

Interdisciplinary Research Stay in Hamburg

## Agenda

	Sessions	Public Lecture	Outdoor Activities/ Exhibitions	Lunch/Dinner
Monday 19.06.23	Tuesday 20.06.23	Wednesday 21.06.23	Thursday 22.06.23	Friday 23.06.23
	09:15 - 12:00 <b>Picture Breakfast &amp; Preparation for the BarCamp</b>  BYO morning tea  Campus Tower: Project Room 01.06.01	10:00 - 12:00 <b>Roundtable Discussion</b>  Campus Tower: Project Room 01.06.01	09:00 - 12:00  <b>Zoom-In Session</b>  Campus Tower: Project Room 01.06.01	09:00 - 12:00  <b>Reflection and Official End</b>  Campus Tower: Project Room 01.06.01
	12:00 - 13:00 <b>Lunch</b> HCU Mensa	12:00 - 13:00 <b>Lunch</b> HCU Mensa	12:00 - 13:00 <b>Lunch</b> HCU Mensa	12:00 - 13:00 <b>Lunch</b> BYO food
13:00 - 15:00 <b>Official Welcome</b>  Campus Tower: Project Room 01.06.01	13:00 - 16:30 <b>BarCamp</b>  Campus Tower: Project Room 01.06.01	13:00 - 18:00  <b>Dérive</b>  Campus Tower: Project Room 01.06.01	13:00 - 15:30 <b>Architecture Site Visit: Oberhafen &amp; Jupiter</b>  Proberaum: Stockmeyerstraße 41	From 13:00  <b>Open End</b>
15:30 - 17:30 <b>HafenCity Walk</b>  Sustainability Pavillon: Osakaallee 9	17:00 - 18:30 <b>Public Keynote</b>  HCU Main Building: Holcim Auditorium	From 18:00  <b>Picnic</b> BYO food  TBA	From 18:15 <b>Optional Session: Input and Debate - Amphibisches Hamburg (German)</b> Arca Futuris: Sandtorhafen	
From 19:30 <b>Dinner</b>  PARKS: Bullerdeich 6	From 19:00 <b>Dinner</b>  Andronaco: Am Sandtorkai 44		From 20:00 <b>Dinner</b>  TBA	

# Session Descriptions

**Monday, 19.06.23**

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## **Official Welcome**

13:00-15:00 | Campus Tower: Project Room 01.06.01

*The Research Training Group 2725 Urban Future-Making is shortly introduced by Prof. Dr. Monika Grubbauer, spokesperson of the RTG. This is followed by a brief overview of the program for the week and some informal exchange. At the end of this session, there is a talk on strategic aspects of the HafenCity project, given by Dr. Joachim Thiel, Co-Spokesperson of the RTG as a preparation for the following session.*

## **HafenCity Walk**

15:30-17:30 | HafenCity: Osakaallee 9, 20457 Hamburg

*This city tour, which is offered by the HafenCity Hamburg GmbH, starts with a short thematic introduction about current projects and is then followed by a walk through the central and eastern areas of the HafenCity. Particular focus is given to sustainability issues within the urban context. The tour begins at 15:30 in front of the Sustainability Pavillon OSAKA9 (Osakaallee 9, 20457 Hamburg) and ends at 17:30 in the eastern part of the HafenCity. The tour is held in English.*

## **Dinner**

From 19:30 | PARKS: Bullerdeich 6, 20537 Hamburg – sign-up required

## Tuesday, 20.06.23

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### **Picture Breakfast**

09:15-12:00 | Campus Tower: Project Room 01.06.01, Outside

*After a short welcome, we have the opportunity to informally communicate our projects through pictures. More details during the breakfast. Remember to bring some breakfast/morning tea with you! Coffee is provided.*

### **Lunch Break**

12:00-13:00 | HCU Mensa

### **BarCamp**

13:00-16:30 | Campus Tower: Project Room 01.06.01

*Inspired by the open-space method, this mini-conference format is designed to provide the guest researchers with the opportunity to present and discuss their work. The session offers (1) an opportunity to connect around three jointly developed focus topics to present the research, and (2) receive feedback from the other guest researchers, RTG fellows and professors to further develop the ongoing work-in-progress and open research issues. The input presentations by the guest researchers (including slides) should not last longer than 15 minutes.*

### **Public Keynote**

17:00-18:30 | HCU Main Building: Holcim Auditorium

*This Public Keynote is given by Dr. Christine Neubert (from UHH), it is titled "Construction sites as urban practice: Negotiating everyday life". This keynote is part of the Lecture Series which is organized by RTG 2725 and takes place every two weeks.*

### **Dinner**

From 19:00 | Andronaco: Am Sandtorkai 44, 20457, HafenCity, Hamburg

## Wednesday, 21.06.23

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### **Roundtable Discussion**

10:00-12:00 | Campus Tower: Project Room 01.06.01

*The session explores the topics of transformation and future-making with a focus on the city of Hamburg. The round table discussion invites guests from academia and practice to reflect on the challenges of urban transformation in different fields of professional practice and policy-making, such as mobility and energy transitions, citizen involvement, and climate change mitigation strategies. After brief inputs from our invited experts, we open for discussion among all the attendees.*

### **Lunch Break**

12:00-13:00 | HCU Mensa

### **Dérive**

21.06 | 13:00-18:00 | Campus Tower: Project Room 01.06.01

*During this session, the notion of 'the Dérive' is explored and executed. A Dérive is a form of wandering through the city invented by the French philosopher and critical geographer Guy Debord. A dérive, translated literally as 'drift' or 'wander', constitutes an unplanned journey throughout urban ambiences, whereby the sole goal is to discover how the physicality of the city affects the wanderer's emotional-psychological states. Following the Dérive, there is a collective reflection of how this method was experienced.*

### **Picnic**

From 18:00 | TBA

*Optional add-on after the derive. BYO food. We will find a spot in the park if it is nice and eat together. Maybe you might come across some delicious food during your derive. But if not, supermarkets are a 10-minute walk from the HCU.*

**Thursday, 22.06.23**

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**Zoom-In Session**

09:00-12:00 | Campus Tower: Project Room 01.06.01

*This session is intended to dive deeper into our research projects and explore commonalities in our research. The most pressing problems we face in our research are identified by exploring our individual PhD and research trajectories. More than in academic quantifiable outcomes, we are interested here in the intrinsic motivations, activist horizons and, possibly, deviations that inform and drive our research. To achieve this, we make use of different methods within the framework of the Liberating Structures.*

**Lunch Break**

12:00-13:00 | HCU Mensa

**Architecture Site Visit**

13:15-15:30 | Proberaum: Stockmeyerstraße 41-Halle 4b, 20457 Hamburg;

*The architecture site visit addresses the topics of temporary architecture, multifunctional use, and professional agency in practice. Three transformational projects, which try to create access to (temporarily) obsolete buildings, are explored: the Proberaum, the Gleishalle, and the Jupiter building. The three minimal interventions represent an alternative to total refurbishment which would require more time and economic investment and illustrate how the agency of architectural and other involved actors finds ways of transforming existing buildings and creating valuable space.*

**OPTIONAL SESSIONS - in the framework of [Hamburger Architektur Sommer 2023](#)**

**Option 1: Input and Debate - Amphibisches Hamburg - Herausforderungen des Planens, Bauens und (Über)Lebens im Klimawandel" (in German only)**

18:15 | Arca Futuris | Sandtorhafen / Traditionsschiffhafen Ponton 6/7, 20457 Hamburg

*The "Arca Futuris: Schwimmendes Hafенlabor" is a floating Laboratory which serves as an open space for research-based learning, encounter and exchange based on the topic of amphibious living (surviving), planning and building in times of climate change. The floating Laboratory is part of the "Architektursommer Hamburg 2023" and hosts various exhibitions, lectures, experimentation, and exchange formats. A lecture and a discussion start at 18:15.*

**Option 2: Exhibition Opening - Die ganze Stadt. Hamburger Wettbewerbe und Verfahren 2017-2023**

TBA | Schuppen 29 (Baakenhöft): Petersenkai, 20457 Hamburg

*The exhibition "Die ganze Stadt. Hamburger Wettbewerbe und Verfahren 2017-2023" is a walk-through installation which shows a huge spectrum of different planning ideas for the future of the Hanseatic City Hamburg. The exhibition is based on a collection of many contributions to various competition and planning processes of the City of Hamburg - all of them rich in ideas and individual solutions and very important for the urban discourse.*

*You can use the free time slot on Thursday afternoon/evening to join one of the events mentioned above. This is an optional offer which is not organized by the GraKo. Attendance and participation are therefore voluntary.*

**Dinner**

From 20:00 | TBD

## **Friday, 23.06.23**

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### **Reflection and Official End**

09:00-12:00 | Campus Tower: Project Room 01.06.01

*The final official session is intended for reflecting on the whole week. The goal is on the one hand to look backwards and consider the journey. On the other hand, we want to look forward and ask ourselves how we want to keep the conversation going. There is the possibility to form small working groups to enable a final exchange among each other.*

### **Lunch Break**

12:00-13:00 | Picnic (bring your lunch), location: t.b.a.

### **Open End**

13:00 | Campus Tower: Project Room 01.06.01

*The afternoon is opened ended. The Project Room is at your disposal for academic or informal work and exchange.*