

Schedule of Lectures

„Urban Culture, Society and Space (UCSS)“

winter term 2015/16

for students of the third semester

Overview – Third Semester WS 2015/16

Urban Culture, Society and Space				
No. of Module	Title of the Course	Lecturer	Time Schedule	Type of course
8B	Advanced Module – Urban Culture, Society and Space (students choose two of the following courses)			
8B.1	Cultural Governance in urbanen Systemen – Zur Steuerung in und durch Kooperationen, Partnerschaften, Netzwerke in Kulturpolitik und Kulturmanagement (de)	Scheytt	7. Januar 2016 (Do) (13 bis 17 Uhr) 25. und 26. Februar 2016, jeweils 10 bis 17 Uhr)	Blocks
8B.2	Die Kommune als politisches Subjekt – Aktuelle Herausforderungen (de)	Wermker	14.1.2015 ; (10-14 Uhr, Rathaus Essen, Zi 7.41) 22.1.2015 ; (14-18 Uhr; Wirtschaftsschule Paykowski, Maxstr. 58, 45127 Essen) 28.1.2016 ; (14-18 Uhr, Wirtschaftsschule Paykowski, Maxstr. 58, 45127 Essen) 5.2.2016 ; (10-14 Uhr Triple Z, Katernberger Str. 107, Konferenzraum 2, 45327 Essen)	Blocks
8B.3	From the Global to the Local: Conditions of, and Policies for, International, European and National Energy Transitions (en)	Schüle (Wuppertal Institut)	January, 15th (9.00 - 12.00) January, 21th (9.00 - 12.00) January, 29th (9.00 - 12.00) March, 4th (09.00 - 17.00) March, 11h (09.00 - 17.00) (optional: March, 18 (09.00 - 17.00))	Blocks
8B.4	Urban perspectives in the context of demographic change (en)	Neumann (RWI)	January, 19 th (10.00 - 13.00) January, 26 th (10.00 - 13.00) February, 22th (10:00 – 16.00) February, 23th (10:00 – 16.00)	Blocks
8B.5	Verkehrsplanung und Mobilitätsmanagement: Urbane Räume (de)	Schulte-Derne	8. (Di) und 9. März (Mi) (jeweils 9.00 – 17:00)	Blocks
8B.6	Urban Industrial Areas (en)	Wehling	February, 12 th February, 17 th February, 18 th (always from 9am until 4pm) and Excursion on February, 19 th 2016	Seminar/ Block with excursion
8B.7	Projectseminar: Dublin Docklands (en)	Wehling	Block December, 12 th , 2015 (between 10am and 5 pm) Excursion: 9.--14.03.2016 There are specific application guidelines (you are already informed)	Seminar (Excursion)

Urban Culture, Society and Space

No. of Module	Title of the Course	Lecturer	Time Schedule	Type of course
8B	Advanced Module – Urban Culture, Society and Space (students choose two of the following courses)			
8B.8	Urbane Systeme in der Praxis: die Hauptstädte Wien, Bratislava und Budapest - Donauhauptstädte im Vergleich (de)	Juchelka	Auftakt und Pflichtteilnahme: 09.11.2015, 10:30--11:30 Uhr 30.03.--07.04.2015 (8 Tage) Exkursion Spezifische Bewerbungsmodalitäten (Sie wurden bereits über Email informiert)	Seminar (Exkursion)
8B.9	Evaluation Methods in Urban Planning	Parisa Arjmand	30.1.16 (Sa) 31.1. 2016 (Su) 13.2.16 (Su) 14.2.16 (date is optional) Between 9am and 4pm	Blocks / weekend
8B.10	Spring School: Moovel Lab (en)	Jansen	Block 1: February 15th and 16th (whole days) Block 2: February 29th until March 4th (whole days) There are specific application guidelines	Spring-school
8B.11	Optional Seminar –Refugees „Inclusive neighbourhoods” (en)	Pozo/ Casanova/ Kürzdörfer	Thursdays, 05.11.15 – 04.02.16 (12 sessions); 14.00 – 18.00 (Essen) (you are already informed via Email)	Seminar
8B.12	Urban Imaginaries	Gurr	29.3. – 1.4.2016 Always between 9am and 4pm	Block

de = in German; en = in English;

Important: For the examination registration you have to register online for all courses in which you are planning to exam and to receive credits from our offered courses. Please kindly note that there is a registration period for our offered courses.

For the examination registration all students can also use for all courses the "Formular Prüfungsanmeldung" (filled) and can send it via Email to Ms van Wasen (beate.vanwasen@uni-due.de). You will find the certificate on the website below mentioned (only in German available, for some help please ask your fellow students from our Master's Programme, who are German or have good German language skills)

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Please note that Dr. Elke Hochmuth is not responsible for the examining registrations. For examination registration the contact person is Mrs van Wasen from the examination office. Thank you for your attention!

Module	8B: Advanced Module (Vertiefungsmodul)– Urban Culture, Society and Space
Veranstaltungstitel	8B.1: Cultural Governance in urbanen Systemen – Zur Steuerung in und durch Kooperationen, Partnerschaften, Netzwerke in Kulturpolitik und Kulturmanagement
Dozent	Prof. Dr. Oliver Scheytt
Veranstaltungsart	Seminar in Blocks
Termine und Uhrzeit	7. Januar 2016 (Do) (13 bis 17 Uhr) 25. (Do) und 26. (Fr) Februar 2016 (jeweils 10 bis 17 Uhr)
Campus Raum	Essen Siehe LSF
Kredits	5
Sprache	Deutsch
Description/ Kommentar	Das kulturelle Leben einer Stadt zeichnet sich durch eine komplexe Vielzahl von Akteuren aus. Diese stehen in unterschiedlichen Allianzen und Konkurrenzen zueinander, arbeiten oft auch ohne voneinander zu wissen oder miteinander zu kooperieren. In Kulturpolitik und Kulturmanagement werden „Kooperationen“ und „Netzwerke“ sehr oft als wesentliche Gestaltungselemente benannt. Doch selten wird vertieft reflektiert, welcher Aufwand, welche Prinzipien und Methoden für den Erfolg in der Ausgestaltung von Allianzen notwendig und sinnvoll sind. In jedem Fall sollte bedacht werden, welche Wirkungen in der Kulturszene und in Form von Kulturangeboten an die Stadtbewohner und -besucher erzielt werden sollen. Hauptaufgabe des Netzwerkmanagements ist es, die Prozesse innerhalb eines Netzwerks mit Feingefühl und Weitblick und im Bewusstsein von erfahrungsbasierten Erfolgs- und Effizienzfaktoren zu steuern. Im Seminar werden u.a. folgende Instrumente einer gelungenen Cultural Governance behandelt: Leitbildprozesse, Wissenstransfer, Kommunikationskampagnen, Moderation von Organisations- und Teamentwicklungen, Einbeziehung externer Berater. Zu den Fallbeispielen gehört das Multiprojektmanagement der Kulturhauptstadt Europas RUHR.2010, für deren Erfolg gut funktionierende Kooperationen, Partnerschaften und Netzwerke sehr wesentlich und letztlich ein elementarer Bestandteil des Gesamtkonzepts waren.
Registration	Für die Teilnahme bitte kontaktieren Sie elke.hochmuth@uni-due.de

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Module	8B: Advanced Module (Vertiefungsmodul) – Urban Culture, Society and Space
Veranstaltungstitel	8B.2: Die Kommune als politisches Subjekt – Aktuelle Herausforderungen
Dozent	Prof. Klaus Wemker
Veranstaltungsart	Seminar in Blocks
Termine und Uhrzeit	14.1.2015; (10-14 Uhr, Rathaus essen, Zi 7.41) 22.1.2015; (14-18 Uhr; Wirtschaftschule Paykowski, Maxstr. 58) 28.2.2016; (14-18 Uhr, Wirtschaftschule Paykowski, Maxstr. 58) 5.2.2016; (10-14 Uhr Triple Z, Katernberger Str. 107, Konferenzraum 2)
Campus Raum	Essen, Consult link below
Kredits	5
Sprache	Deutsch
Description/ Kommentar	In diesem Seminar stehen die Kommune und das Handeln der Kommune im Mittelpunkt des Interesses. Hierbei werden die Möglichkeiten und die Handlungsspielräume der kommunalen Akteure bei Entscheidungsprozessen, Kooperationen innerhalb und zwischen den Kommunen, die Bedeutung von Netzwerken und Netzwerkarbeit sowie die Legitimation bürgerschaftlichen Engagements unter den aktuellen Herausforderungen wie bspw. demographischer Wandel, starke Ungleichheiten und finanziellen Krisen thematisiert. Zu den einzelnen Veranstaltungsblöcken werden unterschiedliche administrative Akteure als Gäste erwartet, die aus ihrer Sicht die angegebenen Aspekte bereichern sollen.
Registration	Please send an Email to elke.hochmuth@uni-due.de

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Module	8B: Advanced Module – Urban Culture, Society and Space
Title of the course	8B.3: From the Global to the Local: Conditions of, and Policies for, International, European and National Energy Transitions
Lecturer	Dr. Ralf Schüle
Type of course	Seminar in Blocks
Day of the week/ Time	January, 15th (9.00 - 12.00) January, 21th (9.00 - 12.00) January, 29th (9.00 - 12.00) March, 4th (09.00 - 17.00) March, 11h (09.00 - 17.00) (optional: March, 18 (09.00 - 17.00))
Venue	Campus Essen, consult Link below
Credits	5
Language	English
Description	As the local level is part of an international multilevel governance system, the announced seminar "From the Global to the Local: Conditions of, and Policies for, International, European and National Energy Transitions" focuses on international, European and national framework conditions for local climate policies. The seminar will be based on main documents of the international debate (e.g. IPCC-5th Assessment Report) and will analyse relevant institutions and the emergence of the international climate policy regime. As currently national and local climate policies in the European context are mainly induced by European legislation, a second focus of the seminar will be main processes and directives at the EU level, such as the Directives on the Energy Performance of Buildings, on Energy Efficiency, on Renewable Energy and on Ecodesign. In the summer term 2015 the seminar will be complemented by its second part about local climate policies: "From the Local to the Global: Management of Sustainable Energy Transitions at local and regional level".
Registration	ralf.schuele@wupperinst.org

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Module	8B: Advanced Module – Urban Culture, Society and Space
Title of the course	8B.4: Urban perspectives in the context of demographic change
Lecturer	Dr. Uwe Neumann
Type of course	Seminar in Blocks
Day of the week/ Time	January, 19th (10.00 - 13.00) January, 26th (10.00 - 13.00) February, 22th (10:00 – 16.00) February, 23th (10:00 – 16.00)
Venue	Campus Essen, consult Link below
Credits	5
Language	English
Description	<p>The seminar reviews urban policy measures designed to meet the specific challenges arising for cities in the context of demographic change. With a view on the Ruhr as an urban region representing an advanced stage in demographic ageing, the seminar will examine the policy implications of demographic change at the regional, city and neighbourhood level. Seminar work will comprise a critical review of the literature, data analysis, field work and discussion of the planning concepts pursued by selected cities in the Ruhr.</p> <p>The main part of the course will comprise a two-day block seminar, during which current topics and methodical approaches from urban and population geography will be in the focus. Policy-related research questions will be examined in the form of case studies, which will be prepared by participants and discussed during the two-day seminar. An introduction to the policy relevance of local demographic change will be given during a one-day excursion.</p> <p>During the course, students will</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - acquire enhanced knowledge about the practical relevance of research in urban and population geography, - become acquainted with empirical methods (data acquisition, field work and data analysis), - prepare a text and presentation in individual or group work (approx. 5 pages text and presentation), - present a topic (20 minutes), - and participate in the discussion during the seminar
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Module	8B: Advanced Module (Vertiefungsmodul) – Urban Culture, Society and Space
Veranstaltungstitel	8B.5: Verkehrsplanung und Mobilitätsmanagement: Urbane Räume
Dozent	Schulte-Derne
Veranstaltungsart	Seminar in Blocks
Termine und Uhrzeit	Block: March, 8th and 9 th (from 9am until 5 pm)
Campus Raum	Essen SM 102, Schützenbahn, Essen, siehe LSF
Kredits	5
Sprache	Deutsch
Beschreibung	Siehe Link
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Module	8B: Advanced Module – Urban Culture, Society and Space
Title of the course	8B.6: Urban Industrial Areas (en)
Lecturer	Wehling
Type of course	Seminar in Blocks
Day of the week/ Time	12.2.2016; 17th and 18.2. 2016 (from 9am until 4pm) and excursion on 19.2.2016
Venue	Campus Essen, Schützenbahn, SM102
Credits	5
Language	English
Description	Please ask for description Prof. Wehling
Registration	hans-werner.wehling@uni-due.de

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Module	8B: Advanced Module – Urban Culture, Society and Space
Title of the course	8B.7: Projectseminar: Dublin Docklands (en)
Lecturer	Wehling
Type of course	Excursion and one session in December 2015
Day of the week/ Time	Block December, 12 th , 2015 (between 10am and 5 pm) Excursion: 9.--14.03.2016
Credits	5
Language	English
Description	There are special application guidelines, please ask Prof. Wehling via Email (you are already informed via Email)
Registration	hans-werner.wehling@uni-due.de

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Module	8B: Advanced Module – Urban Culture, Society and Space
Title of the course	8B.8: Urbane Systeme in der Praxis: die Hauptstädte Wien, Bratislava und Budapest - Donauhauptstädte im Vergleich (SE mit Exkursion)
Dozent	Juchelka
Veranstaltungsart	Seminar mit Exkursion
Termine und Uhrzeit	
Kredits	5
Sprache	Deutsch
Description	There are special application guidelines, please ask Prof. Juchelka via Email (you are already informed via Email)
Registration	Rudolf.Juchelka@uni-due.de

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Ziel	Exkursion: Donauhauptstädte im Vergleich: Wien – Budapest - Bratislava	Projektseminar: Dublin Docklands
Leitung	Prof. Dr. Rudolf Juchelka	Prof. Dr. Hans-Werner Wehling
Studiengänge	Master Urbane Gesellschaft, Kultur, Raum – Master Sustainable Urban Systems - Master Kulturwirt	
Termin	30.03.-07.04.2015 (8 Tage)	09.-14.03.2016 (6 Tage)
Teilnehmerzahl	maximal 16 Studierende	maximal 16 Studierende
Eigenbeteiligung	350 Euro inkl. Übernachtung/Frühstück, Fahrten vor Ort, Eintritte, Umdruck;; Achtung: Eigenanreise: Beginn/Ende der Exkursion in Wien! !!! Teilrückzahlung nach der Exkursion wird angestrebt!!!	290 Euro inkl. Flug, Übernachtung/Frühstück, Transfer
Inhaltliche Schwerpunkte	Die drei Hauptstädte Wien (Österreich), Bratislava (Slowakei) und Budapest (Ungarn) liegen relativ dicht beieinander und sind über die Donau sowie historisch miteinander verbunden. Anhand entsprechender Vergleichsraster sollen unterschiedliche Muster urbaner Systeme hinsichtlich der Stadtstrukturen und -entwicklungen, sowie ihrer Planung/Steuerung (Governance) vor Ort beobachtet, erarbeitet und interpretiert werden.	Vor dem Hintergrund internationaler Erfahrungen im waterfront development entstand in den letzten Jahrzehnten auf dem Gelände der ehemaligen Dubliner Docks beiderseits des unteren Liffey eine funktionale und städtebauliche Neunutzung. Hauptthemen des Geländeprojekts sind die Akzeptanz der neuen gewerblichen, vorwiegend der Dienstleistungs-Quartiere und der Wohnsituationen in gated communities.
Leistungsanforderungen	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Kurzreferat im Vorbereitungsseminar • Kurzreferat während der Exkursion • Aktive Mitarbeit (Seminar/Exkursion) • Exkursionsprotokoll 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • methodische Vorbereitung der Geländearbeit • Geländearbeit • ausgearbeiteter Projektbericht
Vorbesprechung	09.11.2015, 10:30-11:30, SR 002 – Teilnahmepflicht!	12.12.2015, 10-17 Uhr – Teilnahmepflicht!
Vorbereitungsseminar	Blockseminar: 2 Tage, Absprache in der Vorbesprechung	
<i>Interessenbekundung und Anmeldung</i>	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Das Anmeldeverfahren läuft in zwei Schritten ab:</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Schritt 1:</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Eine Interessensbekundung (Wunschziel, Alternativziel), welche Exkursion bevorzugt wird, <u>kann ab sofort bis spätestens zum 26.10.2015 ausschließlich persönlich für beide Exkursionen im Sekretariat Wirtschaftsgeographie bei Frau Thieman bzw. Frau Hedtfeld (SR 008; Öffnungszeiten: Mo-Mi 10-13, Do 10-11 Uhr) erfolgen. Achtung: Die Reihenfolge der Interessensbekundung spielt keine Rolle!</u></i></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Schritt 2:</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Nach Auswertung der Interessensbekundung werden Sie über das verbindliche Anmeldeverfahren (inkl. Anzahlung) vom jeweiligen Exkursionsleiter per Mail informiert.</i></p>	

Module	8B: Advanced Module – Urban Culture, Society and Space
Title of the course	8B.9: Evaluation Methods in urban Planning
Lecturer	Dr. Parisa Arjmand
Type of course	Seminar in Blocks (weekend)
Day of the week/ Time	30.1.16 (Sa) 31.1. 2016 (Su) 13.2.16 (Su) 14.2.16 (date is optional) Between 9am and 4pm
Venue	Please consult the link below
Credits	5
Language	English
Description	<p>Urban and regional planners depend heavily upon the interaction between objectives and evaluation methods in their analysis, planning and implementation processes. Evaluation in urban planning is the last crucial step, when the project process develops a gradual refinement from broad issues to narrower range of feasible options. Each cycle builds upon the lessons of previous cycles and this permits alternatives to emerge which should be either rejected or further refined. Thus, in this stage the evaluation of the alternatives in urban planning would lead to the best conditions/solutions for the city problems and the optimal decision could be taken by urban planners. In this course the evolution process and the use of different categories of evaluation methods mostly used in urban planning would be discussed. Some of the methods would be just mentioned to clarify the category they belong to and their general uses, while the others would be technically described. The methods are taught once theoretically and then in the form of practical urban projects examples. Nevertheless, some of methods which would be mentioned during the course are as followed: Checklist of criteria, Goeler Scorecard, Goals Achievement Matrix (GAM), Analytic Hierarchy Process (AHP) and ANP. In conclusion the course provides the students the necessary knowledge they require to implement the urban plans professionally and defend their university/job projects, dissertations and researches scientifically.</p>
Registration	For participation please contact parisa.arjmand@yahoo.com .

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Module	8B: Advanced Module – Urban Culture, Society and Space
Title of the course	8B.10: Spring School: Mobility stations – from regional to local perspective (with moovel-lab GmbH) (en)
Lecturer	Schmidt et.al.
Type of course	Projectseminar (Block)
Day of the week/ Time	Block 1: February 15th and 16th (whole days) Block 2: February 29th until March 4th (whole days)
Venue	Campus Essen, look LSF
Credits	5
Language	English
Description	<p>Experts agree that the future of urban mobility will be intermodal! But what about now? How can current challenges be addressed and solved to live in a future that will still allow us to move freely and individually through both the city and their suburbs.</p> <p>Building more roads and selling more cars will end up in even more congestion while also losing the human scale of liveable communities. Encouraging a mobility behaviour that utilizes the infrastructure we have, while also fostering innovations is what we need to aim for. While mobile technology is starting to enable this intermodal mobility by creating platforms that connect all kinds of transport modes, the whole transportation infrastructure should be optimized for this behaviour. This course is supposed to analyse the intersection points of transport modes on different scales. Mobility stations are bundling many modes of transport and are therefore optimized for intermodal mobility - but what does this implicate? Exemplary questions that could be addressed and researched by the participants are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ What are the conditions regarding different types of spatial structures (regional, urban, quarter, site)? ▪ What are the requirements in terms of urban design? ▪ How can the built environment support multimodal mobility behaviour? ▪ What are general barriers of the built environment for intermodal mobility? ▪ Who is responsible for operating this infrastructure? <p>After a short introduction phase and deepening inputs the students will start working on a specific project. At the end of the seminar all groups will be invited to present their ideas and results at the moovel lab headquarter in Stuttgart. A short report to be delivered after the seminar will summarize the groups' results.</p>

<p>Registration</p>	<p>There are specific application guidelines.</p> <p>Bewerbungsunterlagen für das Seminar: Aufgrund der begrenzten Teilnehmerzahl und um eine hohe Qualität bei der Durchführung des Seminars zu gewährleisten bitten wir alle Studenten, die Interesse an einer Teilnahme haben uns folgendes Portfolio zur Verfügung zu stellen:</p> <p><u>Umfang:</u> 2 DinA4 Seiten!</p> <p><u>Inhalte:</u> 1. Kurzdarstellung der Grundmotivation (ca. 100-150 Worte) 2. Darstellung bisheriger relevanter Projekte im Bereich Möbilität, Stadt- und Regionalentwicklung, Architektur, Kommunikation (auch Studienprojekte) 3. Kurz-CV (100-150 Worte)</p> <p>Die Bewerbungen sind als pdf-Datei zwischen dem 7.12. – 11.12. an folgende Adresse zu schicken: info@bjp-planer.de Alle Bewerber werden bis zum 21.12.2015 informiert.</p> <p>Application documents for the Seminar Due to the limited number of participants and to ensure a high standard of output during the seminar we ask all students who are interested in participating in the seminar to provide the following portfolio: Format: 2 DIN A4 pages!</p> <p><u>Contents:</u> 1. Short description of the basic motivation (100-150 words) 2. Presentaion of existing relevant projects in the field mobility, urban and regional development , architecture , communication (including study projects) 3. Short-CV (100-150 words)</p> <p>Applications must be submitted as a pdf-file between the 7.12. – 11.12. to the following address: info@bjp-planer.de All applicants will be informed by Dec 21st 2015.</p>
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Module	8B: Advanced Module – Urban Culture, Society and Space
Title of the course	8B.11: Inclusive neighbourhoods (en)
Lecturer:	Pozo, Casanova, Kürzdörfer
Type of course:	Seminar (optional)
Day of the week:	Thursday, 05.11.15 – 04.02.16 (12 sessions) Final report submission: 03.03.16
Time:	14.00 – 18.00 (Essen)
Campus:	Essen
Room:	S06S - S06 S00 A21
Credits:	5
Hours per week:	4
Language:	English
Description:	<p>Historically the industrial conurbation of the Ruhr region has been an important receptor of migration in Germany, and even Europe. Specially, during the first phase of reconstruction in the post-war period it became a new home for several families from different countries and cultures (Wehling, 2009). Foreign families settled in Essen with the aim of finding a better life for them and their children. Nowadays, their second and third generations contribute to shape the socio-cultural diversity and economic dynamics from this region.</p> <p>Nevertheless, due to the recent explosion of civil wars and economic crisis in North Africa and East Europe, the migration flows of refugees to Europe, and particularly to Germany, skyrocketed exponentially (BMF, 2015). The city of Essen seeks to address with this new challenge, but the reality is harder and complex for local communities as well as for refugees.</p> <p>With this seminar we intend to introduce students to the current refugee situation in Germany by understanding the problems and limitations, but moreover the potentials and opportunities. Through the research of successful case studies and the analysis of the existing neighbourhoods where the new refugee towns are located, students will be able to propose urban planning interventions and strategies to contribute to the discussion for an immediate action to start the integration of refugees both in society and the urban life.</p>
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Module	8B: Advanced Module – Urban Culture, Society and Space
Title of the course	8B.12: Urban Imaginaries (en)
Lecturer:	Gur
Type of course:	Seminar (optional)
Day of the week:	March, 29 until April, 1, 2016 (4 blocks) Always between 9am and 4pm
Time:	
Campus:	Essen
Room:	Look LSF
Credits:	5
Language:	English
Contact:	jens.gurr@uni-due.de

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