

JUNE 7-11

This week, geographer and lawyer **Danielle Purifoy** and sociologist **Louise Seamster** present their conceptual framework for understanding Black towns within extractive White space; multidisciplinary designers **Anuradha Mathur** and GSAPP Faculty **Dilip da Chuna** discuss critical zones of wetness; the Reimagining Learning and Research discussion explores the post-COVID-19 future of Avery Library; **Daniel Fernández Pascual** and **Alon Schwabe** of Cooking Sections examine systems that organize the world through food; and the first conversation hosted as part of the Open Forum series investigates the rethinking of cities through the lens of Beirut.

## PRIDE MONTH RECOMMENDATIONS

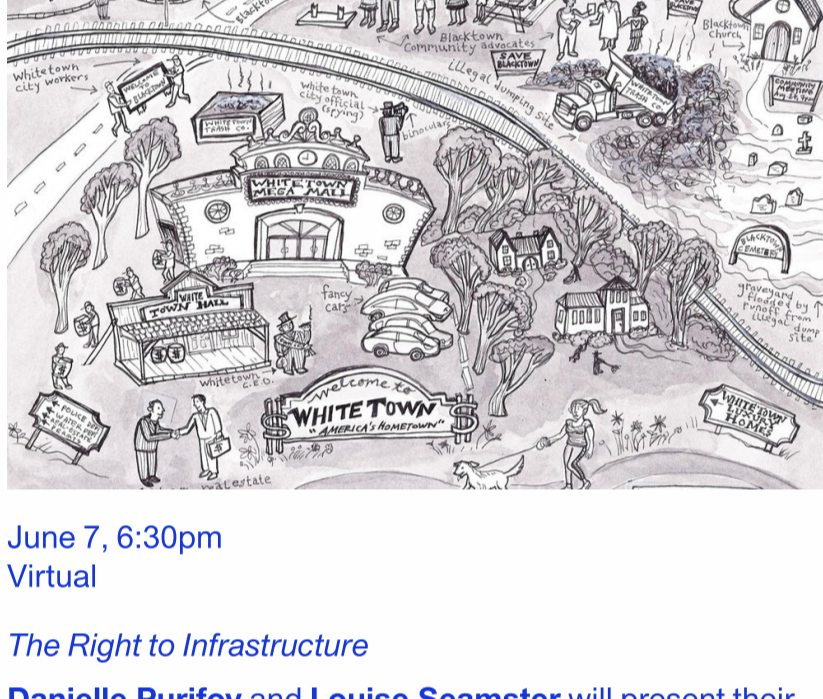


In honor of Pride Month, we are sharing a selection of resources featuring contributions by GSAPP alumni and events from the School's media archive. For a comprehensive University-wide round-up, check out the [Columbia News](#) article "[How to Celebrate Pride Month 2021 at Columbia.](#)"

- Watch the [Stonewall 50: Defining LGBTQ Site Preservation](#) symposium, hosted by GSAPP in April 2019, which included three panels: Reinterpreting the House Museum, LGBTQ Site Preservation: An International Perspective, and Recognizing LGBTQ Sites in the United States. The event was co-organized with the NYC LGBT Historic Sites Project, the student organization [QSAPP](#) (Queer Students of Architecture, Planning, and Preservation), and the Office of the University Chaplain as part of the Stonewall 50 Consortium.
- Read [Safe Space: Housing LGBTQ Youth Experiencing Homelessness](#), a book published by QSAPP in 2019.
- Browse over 350 sites on the NYC LGBT Historic Sites Project Self-Guided Tour by downloading the Vamond app ([Apple](#) or [Google Play](#)) and searching LGBT, or view the [index on your desktop browser](#). NYC LGBT Historic Sites Project is led by Professor Andrew S. Dolkart MSHP '77, Ken Lustbader MSHP '93, Jay Shockley MSHP NG '80 (Project Directors), and Amanda Davis MSHP '06 (Project Manager).
- Watch [Planning For, With, and By the LGBT Community](#), a panel discussion organized on February 16, 2016, by the Urban Planning Program and QSAPP.

Image: The sign reading "Queer Symposium" on the lap of Alma Mater created by QSAPP students in February 2019 references an image on the cover of the first edition of *Pride of Lions: The Newspaper of the Gay People at Columbia* in April 1972.

## UPCOMING EVENTS



June 7, 6:30pm

Virtual

*The Right to Infrastructure*

**Danielle Purifoy** and **Louise Seamster** will present their conceptual framework for understanding Black towns within extractive White space, highlighting questions of citizenship, extraction, and exclusion as they focus on how legal, spatial, racial, and economic systems structure Black spaces' access to infrastructure and facilitate environmental violence.

Introduction by Professor **Reinhold Martin**, Director of the Buell Center. **Catherine Fennell**, Faculty at Columbia and Buell Center Advisory Board member, will moderate the discussion.

More info



MATHUR | DA CUNHA

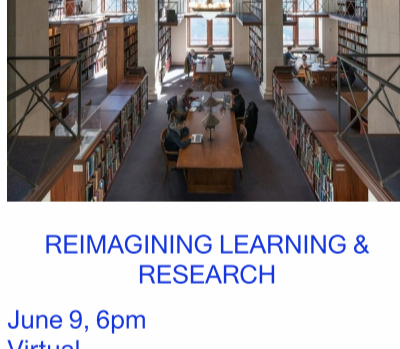
June 9, 11:30am

Virtual Event

A lecture by **Anuradha Mathur** and GSAPP Adjunct Professor **Dilip da Chuna**, co-founders of [MATHUR | DA CUNHA](#).

Mathur and da Cunha will discuss their design practice that they situate in a critical zone of wetness (between clouds and aquifers) rather than on a surface divided between land and water.

Organized as part of the Urban Design Lecture Series.



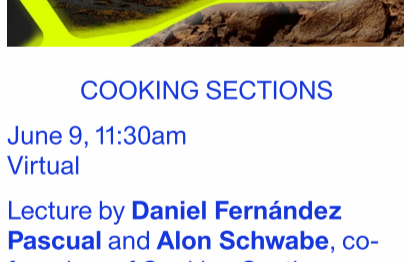
REIMAGINING LEARNING & RESEARCH

June 9, 6pm

Virtual

*The Post-COVID Future of Avery Library and Its Key Partnerships*

A panel discussion among Dean **Amale Andraos**; **Hannah Bennett**, Director of the Avery Library; GSAPP Assistant Professor **Ateya A Khorakiwala**; **Caitlyn Campbell** '21 MSCCP; and GSAPP PhD Architecture Student **Charlette Caldwell** will explore this new landscape of learning and research and the impact it will have on the scholarly record for architectural history and design.



COOKING SECTIONS

June 9, 11:30am

Virtual

Lecture by **Daniel Fernández Pascual** and **Alon Schwabe**, co-founders of [Cooking Sections](#).

Introduced by **Benedict Clouette**; moderated by **Benedict Clouette** and **Robin Honggare**.

Cooking Sections is a London-based practice examining the systems that organize the world through food.

Organized as part of the AAD Program's Arguments Lecture Series.



CENTENNIAL IDEOLOGIES & ECOSYSTEMS: POTENTIAL FUTURES FOR LEBANON

June 10, 12pm

Virtual

This is the first event in a series titled Open Forum that runs parallel to the 2021 Venice Architecture Biennale. The forums will look at stages of crisis as fertile grounds that advocate for togetherness and the rethinking of cities through the lens of Beirut.

Organized by Co-Habitat Beirut exhibitors **Sandra Frem** and **Carla Aramouny**; **Wael El Awar**, Curator of the UAE Pavilion; and **The GSAPP Collective for Beirut**.

## GSAPP RECOMMENDS

Faculty **Theodore Prudon** is participating as a tutor and lecturer in the [Docomomo International Student Design Workshop](#), which will be virtually hosted between July 26 and August 4. [Register here](#) by June 10.

Artist and designer **Maya Lin** will present recent work in a lecture hosted by Columbia University on June 10 at 12pm. Co-presented by The Forum, The Center for the Study of Social Difference, Columbia University School of the Arts, Columbia World Projects, and The Earth Institute. [Register here.](#)

News:  
HISTORIC PRESERVATION PROGRAM DIRECTOR AND PROFESSOR JORGE OTERO-PAILOS OPENS SOLO SHOW "DISTRIBUTED MONUMENTS" AT SAPAR CONTEMPORARY



News:  
ALICIA FRENCH '19 M.ARCH, JESSE HIRAKAWA '18 M.S.AUD, AND GWENDOLYN STEGALL '19 M.S.HP '19 M.ARCH SELECTED FOR AIA NEW YORK'S 2021 CLASS OF THE CIVIC LEADERSHIP PROGRAM (CLP)



News:  
KYLIE POND '21 MSRED NAMED 2020-21 WX SCHOLARS BY THE NEW YORK WOMEN EXECUTIVES IN REAL ESTATE ASSOCIATION



News:  
GSAPP FACULTY AND ALUMNI PARTICIPATE IN THE 17TH VENICE BIENNALE OF ARCHITECTURE



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