SYLLABUS

Theme 1. CITIES AND SUSTAINABILITY
Session 1, Jan. 21 Introduction and Overview
Session 2, Jan. 23 Sustainability and the Crises of Urban Development

Recommended:

Theme 2. SUSTAINABILITY, NATURE, AND HINTERLAND
Session 3, Jan. 28 City, Hinterland, and Nature

Recommended:
Theme 2. SUSTAINABILITY, CULTURE, AND GLOBALIZATION

Session 4, Jan. 30  Fragmented Geographies and Social Difference

Recommended:

Session 5, Feb. 4  Sustainability, Heritage, and Identity

Recommended:

Theme 3. SUSTAINABILITY AND URBAN INFRASTRUCTURE

Session 6, Feb. 6  Transportation and Landuse
Recommended:


**READING RESPONSE DUE**

**Session 7, Feb 11  Urban Greening and Green Building**


- Nannan Dong, Lang Zhang, and Stephanie Ruff. “From Expo City to Sustainable City: from 1 May to 31 October 2010 the World Expo will be held in Shanghai - with the motto 'Better City, Better Life' the central theme of cities has been chosen for an Expo for the first time. With insets on three new greenspaces: Shibo Park, Houtan Park and Jiangnan Plaza and Park.” In *Topos: the International Review of Landscape Architecture and Urban Design*, no. 70, 2010, pp. 18-27.


**Recommended:**


- White House Plans.


**Session 8, Feb 13  Water, Sanitation, and Health**


**Recommended Reading:**


**Session 9, Feb 18  Energy, Solid Waste, and Cultures of Consumption**


Recommended

Theme 4. SUSTAINABILITY, CLIMATE CHANGE, AND DISASTERS

Session 10, Feb 20 Disasters, Resilience, and Planning

Recommended:

Session 11, Feb 25 Climate Risks and Urban Development

Recommended:
Theme 5. **SUSTAINABILITY, HOUSING, AND EQUITY**

**Session 12, Feb 27  Community Participation and Housing Processes**


**Recommended:**


**Session 13, March 4 Equity, Gender, and the Urban Environment**


**Recommended:**


**Session 14, March 6 CITY STRATEGY PRESENTATION**