



An event organised by MARC
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Designing cities for the ecological age

Arup Urban Design recent work

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2pm, Tuesday, October 28 2008

Simon Building, room G31

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Korinna is a Senior Designer with Arup Urban Design and has led several strategic Masterplans for both urban regeneration projects and new towns, most recently for the eco-town for Leicester. She has previously worked in leading architectural practices in Switzerland, the Netherlands and the UK and pursues a wide interest in creative production across various scales and media. She has taught widely and is also assistant editor for the journal CITY.

Arup have attempted to develop a vision for the future and a strategic way forward for how to reach a sustainable future in the face of global environmental and ecological destabilisation: A reduction of CO2 emissions, the ecological footprint of cities and an increase in Human Development Index. The lecture will present a set of strategies for the ecological age illustrated with recent work from the practice.

Future Events:

November 11 2008: Alan Marcus
University of Aberdeen, Author of "Visualizing the City"



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