Architecture of Deconstruction
The Specter of Jacques Derrida

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25-27th of October 2012

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Architecture of Deconstruction / The Specter of Jacques Derrida is a three-day, international scientific conference, organized by the University of Belgrade, Faculty of Architecture and the Center for Ethics, Law and Applied Philosophy (CELAP). The conference aims to draw attention to the question of borders between the disciplines of architecture and philosophy. Using the perspective of the relation between architectural theory and practice, which once aspired to be labeled deconstructivist, and the work of the French philosopher Jacques Derrida, the conference will be directed toward defining whether a new kind of an unease has emerged in the contemporary relations between the two disciplines.

With these questions in mind, we hope to reestablish the connections which influenced so strongly both architecture and philosophy in the last decades of the 20th century; and in doing so, open a possibility of their reevaluation in the circumstances which define our contemporary times.

We would like to invite You to come and listen to the lectures of our distinguished guests. They will analyze various aspects of the conference topics, and apply a range of different approaches to the issues of interdisciplinary cooperation. The conference will be held on the 25th, 26th and 27th of October,

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Conference Participants:
Bernard Tschumi_ Columbia University, New York, USA, Bernard Tschumi Architects, New York / Paris
Catherine Ingraham_ Pratt Institute, New York, USA
Chris Younès_ Ecole Nationale Supérieure d’Architecture de Paris La Villette, Paris, France
Francesco Vitale_ University of Salerno, Italy
Jeffrey Kipnis_ Ohio State University, Knowlton School of Architecture, College of Engineering, USA
Ljiljana Blagojević_ University of Belgrade, Faculty of Architecture, Serbia
Mark Cousins_ Architectural Association (AA) School of Architecture, London, Great Britain
Mark Wigley_ Columbia University, Graduate School of Architecture, New York, USA
Maurizio Ferraris_ University of Torino, Labont (Laboratory for Ontology), Italy
Peter Eisenman_ Yale School of Architecture, New Haven, Eisenman Architects, New York, USA
Renato Rizzi_ University of Venice, Faculty of Architecture, Italy
Zoran Lazović_ University of Belgrade, Faculty of Architecture, Serbia
Madam Marguerite Derrida

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admission fee
for all three days of the conference:
5 000 RSD /45 euro - foreign residents/
for students:
2 000 RSD /20 euro - foreign students/
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Dear Conference Attendees,

In the following pages You will find the Architecture of Deconstruction / The Specter of Jacques Derrida Conference Programme.

The introduction to the conference will be held on the 25th of October with a lecture by Mark Cousins, titled: “Teaching Architectural History in an Architectural School”. Mark Cousins, the Director of History and Theory at the Architectural Association (AA), will speak of a radical alternative to the existing ways of teaching architectural history, which he has tried to introduce at the Architectural Association in the last few years.

The official conference opening is scheduled for the 26th of October, at 9:30 am. The conference will be opened by: Vladan Djokić, Dean of the Faculty of Architecture, University of Belgrade; Petar Bojanić, Director of CELAP and IPST; Jeffrey Kipnis, Professor of Architecture, Knowlton School of Architecture, College of Engineering, Ohio State University; and Madam Marguerite Derrida.

The conference will be closed with a special lecture by Bernard Tschumi, on the 27th of October, at 12:30 pm. The lecture is titled: “Concept, Percept, Affect”. Bernard Tschumi, former Dean of the Graduate School of Architecture, Planning and Preservation at Columbia University in New York (1988-2003), will discuss his latest book, Architecture Concepts: Red is not a Color, in relation to selected examples of his work between 1976 and 2012.

Conference will be held on three locations:

1. Technical Faculties Building / Ceremonial Hall
   Address: Bulevar Kralja Aleksandra No. 73, 1st Floor
   Date: 25th of October

2. Metropol Palace Hotel / Grand Ballroom
   Date: 26th and 27th of October
   Address: Bulevar kralja Aleksandra No. 69

3. The Ilija M. Kolarac Foundation / Concert Hall
   Date: 27th of October

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