

Multi-voices in Research: Co-Interpreting Art and Architecture

Date: Sat 6th May, 2017

Time: 10:00 – 17:00

Location: Patrick Studios, St Mary's Lane, Leeds LS9 7EH

A one day symposium, bringing together researchers and practitioners interested in including multiple voices in research, through collective storytelling, mapping and design.

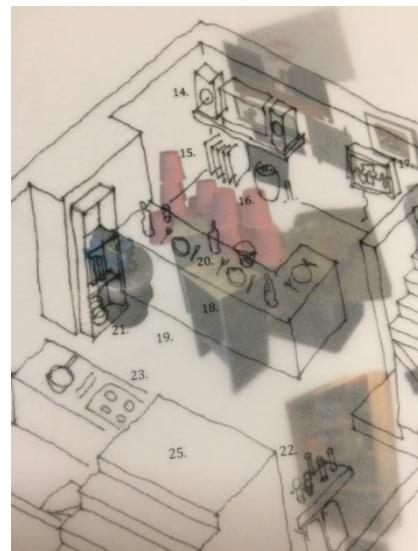
The symposium is organised around a shared meal to facilitate convivial discussions as well as a series of prepared contributions. It will be structured in three parts:

1. *Coffee*: Where is your own voice in your art/work/research? Are there others?
2. *Lunch*: Does your art/work/research have a home or private life? Who shares it?
3. *Drinks*: How are different or opposing voices hosted, invited or negotiated in your art/work/research?

Please RSVP to jonathan.orlek@hud.ac.uk if you would like to attend.

Contributors:

Paula McCloskey, Julia Udall, Goran Vodicka, Jon Orlek, Sophie Raikes, Ben Cornish, Vulpes Vulpes (remote contribution), Jon Cannon, Cathryn Ladd, Matthew Cheeseman, Season Butler, Lydia Catterall, Karen Watson, Katherine Quinn



Possible areas of discussion:

- Methods for including multiple voices and perspectives in research
- The use of creative writing to negotiate multiple and competing stories
- Mapping collaborative research
- Hospitality and designing for inclusion
- Hosting and art practices
- Art collectives and collective living
- Artist live/work
- The role of interiority in art practice and research
- The boundaries between living and working in art practice and research
- Art and architecture interpretation
- Valuing and articulating artist-led organisations and cultures
- Managing oral histories
- _____?

The symposium takes place alongside a programme of parallel events at East Street Arts:

Survey: 7th Feb

- Masters in architecture students at Sheffield Hallam University visit East Street Arts.
- Students use East Street Arts as a test bed and case study for their projects about *Design as Distributed Agency*.

Exhibition: 2nd - 7th May

- *Design as Distributed Agency* exhibition, by MArch Architecture students from Sheffield Hallam University.
- The multi-voices symposium will take place within/alongside this exhibition.

Studio DaDA Reviews: 2nd May

- MArch Architecture end of year project reviews
- With Julia Udall, Sam Vardy, Jon Orlek, Marianne Heaslip