

UNIVERSITY OF CAGLIARI
SCHOOL OF SPECIALISATION IN ARCHITECTURAL AND LANDSCAPE HERITAGE
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COURSE INFO

Professor
Marco Cadinu
Title of the course
History of Town
Scientific Disciplinary Sector
ICAR/18
Number of hours
20
Language
English
Objectives of the course
<p>The course aims to study the basic elements used in history, in particular from the Middle Ages to the twentieth century, to design urban spaces and systems. The models used for urban projects will be examined at specific historical moments, with particular attention to the relationships between architecture and landscape.</p> <p>The achievement of skills aimed at:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - knowing how to use specific tools for reading and interpreting historical urban and territorial fabrics (maps and images); - be able to recognize and analyze the main urban planning models covered by the course program; - knowing how to develop appropriate comparisons and comparative evaluations between different historical-urban phases.
Any prerequisites
Knowledge of the basic principles of cartographic reading and interpretation of the built space on an urban and landscape scale; knowledge of the main phases of architectural culture between the Middle Ages and the twentieth century.
Topics and contents of the course
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - New cities and urban structure. Urban foundations between the Middle Ages and the twentieth century. - Technical, aesthetic and symbolic aspects in the construction of cities. - The streets designed in perspective relationship with the monumental architectures (Streets with backdrops. Coordinated designing of streets and forms of architecture between the Middle Ages and the 1900s.). - Seminar: Cagliari and the Sardinian cities. The medieval processes of formation.
Methods of examination
Oral exam.
Essential bibliography
<p>E. Guidoni, <i>L'arte di progettare le città. Italia e Mediterraneo tra medioevo e settecento</i>, Kappa, Roma 1992.</p> <p>E. Guidoni, <i>Storia dell'Urbanistica. Il Duecento</i>, Laterza, Roma-Bari 1989.</p> <p><i>Le strade con fondale / Streets with backdrops</i>, "Storia dell'Urbanistica", numero monografico, 14 (2022).</p>
Further bibliographical information
<p>M. Cadinu, <i>Urbanistica medievale in Sardegna</i>, Bonsignori, Roma 2001.</p> <p>M. Cadinu, <i>Cagliari. Progetto e forma della città storica</i>, Cuec, Cagliari 2008.</p> <p>M. Cadinu, <i>Urbanistica giudiciale. Spazi pubblici e architetture (XI-XIV secolo)</i>, Wuppertal 2019; in https://www.academia.edu/44463549/Urbanistica_giudiciale_Spazi_pubblici_e_architetture_XI_XIV_secolo_Giudiciale_Urban_Planning_Public_Spaces_and_Architectures_XIth_XIVth_centuries_2019.</p>

Didactic materials
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