

WEDNESDAY June 29 2022:

**Public Seminar: PUBLIC SPACES AND PARTICIPATORY DESIGN WITH
CREATIVE SECTOR – EXPLORING BEYOND THE URBAN**

Venue: Ljubljana, Faculty of architecture, Plečnik Hall, Zoisova ulica 12, Ljubljana

<i>Time</i>	<i>Topic</i>	<i>Speaker</i>
13:00	Registration opens	
14:00	Welcome	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Matej Nikšič and Nina Goršič, Urban planning institute of the Republic of Slovenia, Smoties Ljubljana • Matej Blenkuš, dean, Faculty of architecture of the University of Ljubljana
14:10	Keynote	Matthew Carmona , professor, University College London: Why do we need good urban design
14:45	Slovenian perspectives	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Blanka Bartol, Ministry of the environment and spatial planning • Petra Vertelj Nared, Urban institute of Ljubljana • Anja Zorko, Centre for creativity
15:30	Q&A	
15:45	Coffee break	

16:00	Introduction to Smoties	Davide Fassi , Politecnico di Milano, Human Cities Smoties lead partner
16:15	EU Best practices review	<p>Presentations of selected practice by Smoties partners:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Anke Strittmatter, Austria: Dorfschmiede Gutenstein - "We make the world a village" • Aljona Surzikova, Estonia: From waste to diamond. The story of Pram Museum • Sara de Gouy, France: Yes. Frontage, minimum project to reveal vegetal • Greece • Mojca Senegačnik, Slovenia: Hiša na hribu / House on the hill – Introduction and future perspectives • Iceland • Paola Russo, Italy: A cielo aperto / Open air. The wisdom of time. • Poland • Portugal • Josie King, United Kingdom: Cosmic Colliery, reaching for the stars in disused mine
17:20	Closing remarks	

THURSDAY June 30 2022: VISITING SMALL PLACES IN MEDVODE MUNICIPALITY*

Venue: Fieldtrip and workshops, mainly by bus, some walking included

<i>Time</i>	<i>Topic</i>	<i>Speaker</i>
9:30	Bus departs from Ljubljana (departure location will be communicated by email to all registered attendees)	
10:15	Short stop in Smlednik (The Village garden)	Urška Sešek
10:45	Bus departs from Smlednik	
11:15	Welcome to Topol pri Medvodah Participatory workshop: The future of small places and their public spaces	Municipality of Medvode Local actors and residents
		<i>moderated by</i> Natalija Vrhunc
13:30	Lunch in Topol pri Medvodah	
15:00	Getting-to-know Polhov Gradec Dolomites	
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Appreciating the forest A mindful walk through the lush forests between Topol and Belo and reconsideration of the ways we live and form the community • Bringing contemporary art and artists off the bitten tracks Art intervention at Pr'Lenart homestead 	Zvonka Simčič, Mojca Senegačnik, Mojca Sfiligoj
18:00	Smoties exhibition opening and performance	

18:30	Meeting the locals and the culinary traditions of the remote place
20:00	Transportation back to Ljubljana starts (last ride by van at around 22:00)

* Obligatory registration at <https://forms.gle/5FFTfaCJoyYWJy356>

FRIDAY July 1 2022

Morning meeting place: Prešernov trg / Prešeren square, Ljubljana

Time	Topic	Speaker
9:00	Meeting Plečnik – Human-centered Urban Design UNESCO Nomination and Listing***	Tomaž Štoka , coordinator of working group nominating Plečnik's work at UNESCO, MAO
10:00	Technical meeting (Smoties partners only), end of session foreseen at 13:00 <i>Venue: Plečnik House, Karunova ulica 4-6, Ljubljana</i>	

*When needed, in the afternoon the UIRS premises in
Trnovski pristan 2 will be available for small group
working sessions or individual meetings.*

*** Slovenian architect Jože Plečnik considerably changed the image of Ljubljana by his urban design and architectural interventions. His legacy has been recently listed as the UNESCO heritage due to the highly contextual and human-scale urbanistic approach (<https://whc.unesco.org/en/list/1643/>). We will spend the early morning learning what was important to Plečnik when creating public spaces.

For the additional programme you may among others consider:

- BIO 27 – Super Vernaculars, Museum of architecture and design (MAO):
<https://mao.si/en/bio-27-super-vernaculars/>
- Street festival Ana Desetnica: <https://www.anamonro.si/25-ana-desetnica/>
- Imago Sloveniae <https://imagosloveniae.net/en/festivali/summer-in-old-ljubljana-town/>

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The up-to-date programme is accessible at UIRS web-page:

<https://www.uirs.si/sl-si/Novice/ArtMID/419/ArticleID/255/Humana-mestaHuman-Cities-SMOTIES>

More information on Smoties: <https://humancities.eu/smoties/>