

L'Atelier International du Grand Paris develops several programs :

ATELIER INTERNATIONAL DU GRAND PARIS

Starting from the work carried out by the ten interdisciplinary teams of architects and urban designers as part of an international consultation on Grand Paris launched in 2008, the mission of the Atelier International du Grand Paris is to continue and deepen the metropolitan issues related to the capital region. It's a place dedicated to research, initiatives, proposals, debates and promotional work related to territorial planning, urban design and sustainable architecture.

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EUROPAN FRANCE

Set up 20 years ago, this competition is a call for ideas open to young European designers. It leads debates and thoughts on the emerging practices in design projects. The 12th session will be launched in February 2013

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POPSU

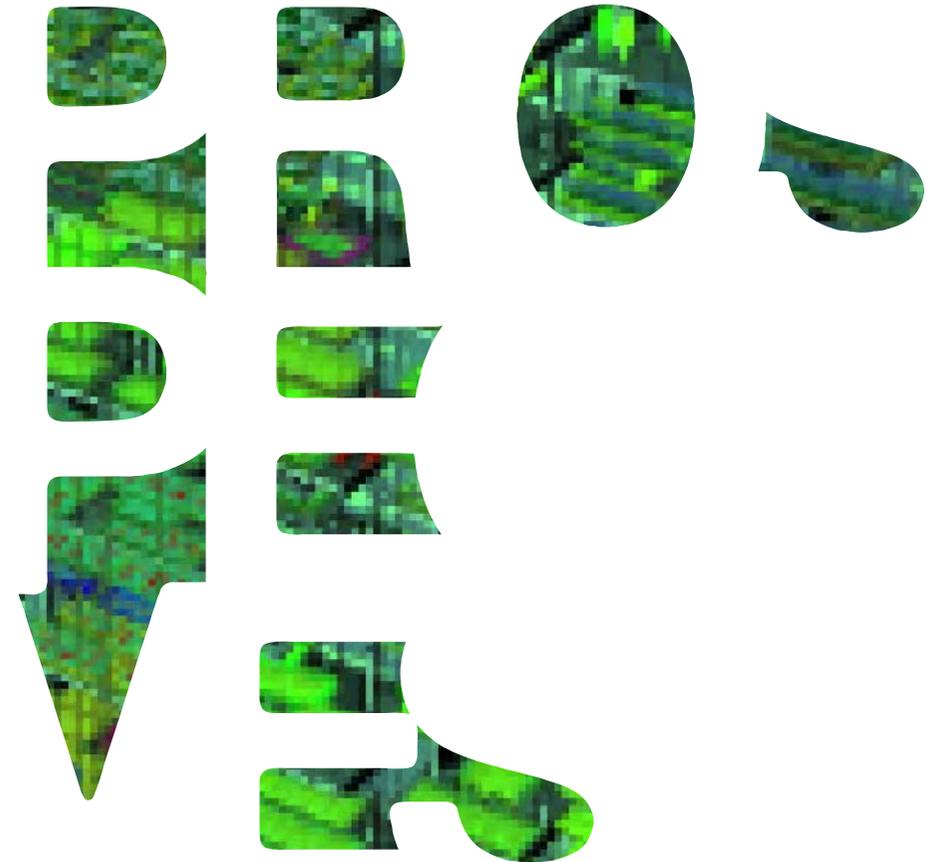
The observation platform of urban projects and strategies (POPSU) is a research program seeking to analyse urban strategies in the largest French cities as well as compare different issues related to urban growth.

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Context and problem of the workshop and seminar

Grand Paris is a growing metropolis whose ambitious intensification objectives relating to activities, facilities and housing are an essential challenge. The 10 teams which consist of architects and town planners consulted in 2008 to draw possible futures of Grand Paris all agreed on the necessity to build the city on the city. However, due to the development of new public transportation systems, some unbuilt grounds will become strategic. In this context and in collaboration with the architects, urban designers, landscape designers and professors Claire Bailly and Jean Magerand, AIGP wishes to gather together students or young professionals from various fields like architecture, digital programming, philosophy or agronomy about the following question :

Quel visage donneront les technologies du vivant et du numérique à la ville de demain ?

The workshop, developing a prospective approach, will imagine a future which confronts to the realities and tendencies of the evolving territories, lifestyles and technologies. According to the problem exposed previously, the objective will be to test the hypothesis of a “hyper-collective” city, constituted by urban units of 5000 inhabitants.

A ‘hyper-dense’ urbanism offering flexible and high quality lifestyles. The urban units will be designed on the principles that numeric, robotic and biologic technologies which are developed nowadays would soon be generalized and integrated into urban daily life. The different projects will be implanted in strategic sites where questions of space economy, resources preservation and connectivity to networks are essential.

A research seminary will be organised to approach the topics raised by new technologies, especially notions of collectivity, collaboration, participation, real time, mobility and flexibility in everyday life, robotization, digital prosthesis or urban nature.

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L’Atelier International du Grand Paris and the education community

The Atelier International du Grand Paris is a place dedicated to experimentation, creation and discussion about topics which relate to built environment. That’s why AIGP wishes to go further into partnerships with the education and research community.

Internships

Since it was created, AIGP welcomes continuously master level students from different fields for remunerated 3 months minima internships. The various missions proposed, all need reflection and innovation skills : Map designing, georeferenced databases setting-up, synthesis and organisation of material from seminars or conferences and debates organised by the Atelier and its scientific council, studies and documentary watch about topics such as mobility, housing, culture, open spaces...

Studies and projects

The Atelier proposes also partnerships with students for theses or diploma projects linked with Grand Paris topics. These partnerships may be discussions about the subject matter, putting datas at the disposition or collaboration on maps or other documents which can be valued on AIGP website. AIGP also wishes to set up a documentary resource of students work in order to release publications or exhibitions.

Workshops-seminars

The Atelier regularly welcomes workshops and seminars in collaboration with architecture schools or universities. Professors propose subjects developed in collaboration with the AIGP staff in order to enhance the scientific, creative and innovative nature of workshops while dealing with real issues given from territory contexts or Grand Paris stakeholders. These moments of creation and debate are also opportunities to release publications or exhibitions.