

# DAS STÄDTEBAU-QUARTETT

On Possible Futures of Urban Design

**Are we able to install 'Stadtplanung' as a durable cultural formation in order to allow the best possible future for a "city" which has to be established as an arena of radical co-existence?**

**Is it not necessary to discuss incessantly and without compromise 'Stadtplanung' as a cultural project which has been historically dispelled to the realm of technical disciplines?**

**Can the 'ambiguous figure' of the architect – the generalist for the context – still act as a mediator between humanities, social sciences and technical engineering?**

**The STÄDTEBAU-QUARTETT is a format of perpetual discussion:**

It is performed as an open series in English language, aiming to infect Vienna's hyper-ambitious debate about city-planning.

**The STÄDTEBAU-QUARTETT is 4 people:**

Roland Rainer Chair Bernd Vlay (host) welcomes 1 representative of Vienna's planning culture and 2 guests from abroad. The guests will "pro-voke" the debate, putting on the table a hot topic in the international debate of city-planning .

**The STÄDTEBAU-QUARTETT is a cooperation**

between the Academy of Fine Arts, Vienna and European Österreich, with a special support of the city of Vienna, hosting the Foundation of the Roland Rainer Chair at the IKA (Institut für Kunst und Architektur/ Academy of Fine Arts, Vienna).

**The STÄDTEBAU-QUARTETT has a location:**

**Prospekthof**, Atelierhaus der Akademie der bildenden Künste Wien, Lehargasse 6-8, 1060 Vienna.

**May 21, 2013, 7.00pm**

DAS STÄDTEBAU-QUARTETT **1 On Urban Mobilities**

Gregor Stratil-Sauer, MA18, department of city development (Wien)

Aglaee Degros (Rotterdam), Socrates Stratis (Nicosia)

**May 28, 2013, 7.00pm**

DAS STÄDTEBAU-QUARTETT **2 Is growing growing? How does a city [Vienna] grow?**

Robert Temel, researcher (Wien)

Ines Weizman (London), Eyal Weizman (London)

**June 6, 2013, 7.00pm**

DAS STÄDTEBAU-QUARTETT **3 Campus City, Open City, Gated City?**

Angelika Fitz, curator (Wien)

Didier Rebois (Paris), Kaye Geipel (Berlin)