

# SYNERGETIC CITIES for EUROPE

REVEALING THE POLITICAL  
OF A CONTENTED SPACE

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*WORKSHOP di progettazione  
Brussel, dal 29/03 al 03/04/2020*

**Call per la selezione di studenti di Architettura di Roma Tre**

**Possono partecipare gli studenti del corso di laurea di Scienze dell'architettura iscritti al terzo anno e dei corsi di laurea magistrale, Architettura, Progetto Urbano e Restauro**

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**Si accettano max 6 studenti**

## Synopsis

Revealing the Political of a Contended Space is an initiative of SYNCITY, a larger urban exploration organised through the cities of Brussels, Belgium and Vienna, Austria under the **JPI program called "Making Cities Work."** It is a two-and-a-half-year programme initiated in 2019.

The workshop will focus on the Abattoir site, an operating slaughterhouse and a marketplace with a historic market hall which is due to be redeveloped and densified in the coming years. By sensory explorations, critical mapping, and moments of exchange in the public space, the antagonism inherent in the plain of the Abattoir will be revealed to become the material of future practices and design protocols that stand for human coexistence now and in the time to come.

## Programme

Industrial heritage, productive site, marketplace, meeting place, the Abattoir is more than a slaughterhouse, it is a unique urban infrastructure embedded in a neighbourhood—Cureghem—which is one of the most dynamic, multicultural and poor of Belgium. In order to allow the students to grasp its complexity, the **six-day workshop** is organised in three main phases, each providing specific but complementary pedagogical activities: Sensory/social/societal Exploration, Usages/Transformations, Exchange. And in the middle is incorporated a specific "Moment of SINCITY" called "Challenging Symplantation".

## Partners

### SYNCITY PARTNERS

LoUisE, Faculty of Architecture La Cambre-Horta, Université libre de Bruxelles

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SA Abattoir

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Dipartimento di Architettura, Università degli Studi Roma Tre

School of Architecture, Tampere University