

CURRICULUM VITAE

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Lucyna Nyka (Ph.D., D.Sc.) is an Associate Professor at the Faculty of Architecture, Gdańsk University of Technology and since 2008 a Vice-Dean for Research. Her research interests focus on issues concerning water-related architecture and urban landscapes. She is the co-author of many cultural projects focused on urban renewal, e.g. *Lesson of Gothic, Water in the City, Dutch Builders of Gdańsk*. She was an author of the EU-founded Intensive Program *Bridging the City – Water in Architecture, Urban Spaces and Planning*, co-author of *Sensing the City – Designing Urban Experience* and *Art & Science– Synergy of Technology and Art in the City Spaces*, guest lecturer in many European universities and the founder of the *Floating Gallery* project for Gdańsk.

WORK WITHIN EAAE

Since 2010 Member of the EAAE Research Committee

- Active participation in writing the The EAAE Charter on Architectural Research (the group led by Hilde Heynen): approved in Chania 2012.
- EU-advocacy group member, responsible for communication with EU funding bodies and strategy for the improved funding of architectural research (group led by Johan Verbeke): introductory activities toward introducing architecture into ERC Panel Structure, as one of the disciplines that needs and requires research. The absence of architecture as a discipline in ERC Panel Structure and Descriptors reduces considerably chances of successful application for the EU grant proposals. Activities broken by the 2013 EAAE crisis.

ACADEMIC BACKGROUND

1981-1987 Master of Architecture Studies, Faculty of Architecture, Gdańsk University of Technology. **Master Diploma with honours**

1986 IAESTE architectural internship, Ayuntamiento de Sabadell, Spain

1995 Academic degree: Ph.D. Gdańsk University of Technology. **Ph.D. Cum laude**. Ministry of Building and Infrastructure Award for the best Ph.D. in architecture and urban studies in Poland in 1995.

2007 Academic degree: Habilitacja (D. Sc.) Wrocław University of Technology. **D. Sc. Cum laude**. Ministry of Building and Infrastructure Award for the best D. Sc. in architecture and urban studies in Poland in 2007

since 2008 Vice-dean for Research, Faculty of Architecture, Gdańsk University of Technology

EMPLOYMENT / ACADEMIC ACTIVITIES

since 1988 Gdańsk University of Technology, Faculty of Architecture

- 2004 – 2013 **Invited lectures:** University of Kassel (Germany), Universidad da Beira Interior, Covilha (Portugal), Universidad de Alcalá de Henares (Spain), Gazi University Ankara (Turkey), HafenCity University Hamburg (Germany), Lusofona University Lisbon (Portugal), Eindhoven University of Technology (Netherlands), Comenius University, Bratislava (Slovakia), Technical University Vienna (Austria), Bauhaus University in Weimar (Germany)
- 2010 – 2013 **Visiting profesor in the programme 'Brownfield Redevelopment in the Visegrad Countries'.** Slovak University of Technology in Bratislava
- 2011 **Invited critic** for the final projects presentations at the Faculty of Architecture, University of Liechtenstein, Vaduz. **Invited expert** for the European Workshop for Waterfront Urban Development, Lusofona University Lisbon.
- 2003-2012 **Reasearch scholarships:** Bauhaus University in Weimar (Germany, 2003), University of Reykjavik (Island, 2011), Technical University of Vienna (Austria, 2012)
- 2012, 2013 Invited expert for the **European Workshop on Waterfront Urban Design (EWWUD)**. Lusofona University, Lisbon, Portugal.

Authorship and co-authorship of the international Erasmus Intensive Programs:

- 2011 Intensive Program: **Art and Science – Synergy of Technology and Art in the City Spaces.** Gdansk University of Technology, Poland
- 2010 Intensive Program: **European Workshop for Tourism and Architecture – Waterfront Settlements.** 'Other Side of the Sea: Perception, Performance, Sense of Space'. Gazi University, Ankara, Ayvalik, Turkey
- 2010 Intensive Program: **Sensing The City – Designing Urban Experience.** The University of L'Aquila, Italy
- 2009 Intensive Program: **Sensing The City – Designing Urban Experience.** Gdansk University of Technology, Poland
- 2007 Intensive Program: **Bridging the City – Water in Architecture, Urban Spaces and Planning.** Gdańsk University of Technology, Poland.

RELATED PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES

- 2010-2011 Popularization of architectural and urban issues in the series of **weekly radio programs** (Radio Gdańsk)
- 2009 **The author of the idea for the Floating Gallery** in Gdańsk and Żuławy region.
- 2008 **Invited jury expert** in the international competition *Mobile Floating Architecture* organized by Internationale Bauausstellung Fürst-Pückler-Land (IBA), Germany
- 2008 **Invited lecturer** and a workshop studio leader *On the Waterfront. Culture, Heritage and Regeneration of Port Cities.* English Heritage, Liverpool

SCIENTIFIC BOARDS

- since 2013 **Editorial Board Member and a reviewer** for *Journal of Civil Engineering and Architecture*, David Publishing Co., California
- since 2013 **Member of the editorial board** in the *Architecture and Urbanism Quarterly* (Kwartalnik Architektury i Urbanistyki) issued by Polish Academy of Science
- since 2009 **Member of the Program Board** in the Baltic Sea Cultural Center in Gdańsk
- since 2008 **Reviewer** for two architectural journals (*Architectus* and *Poznan University of Technology Scientific Letters*)

since 2002

Member of the **scientific board** of many conferences organized in Poland and abroad

ACTIVITIES IN PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATIONS

since 2011

Member of the **Architecture and Urbanism Committee** by the **Polish Academy of Science**

since 2010

Member of the **Research Committee** by the European Association for the Architectural Education (EAAE).

SELECTED PUBLICATIONS

Editor:

L. Nyka, J. Borucka (Eds.): 'Sensing the City – Designing Urban Experience'. Gdańsk University of Technology Press, 2013 (in print.)

L. Nyka, J. Szczepański (Eds.): 'Culture for Revitalisation/ Revitalisation for Culture'. Laznia CCA, Gdansk, 2010.

L. Nyka (Ed.): 'Water for urban strategies'. Weimar: Verlag der Bauhaus-Universität Weimar 2007

L. Nyka, J. Szczepański (Eds.): 'Bridging the city - concepts for water in urban spaces of Gdansk'. Gdańsk University of Technology, Gdańsk 2007.

Monographs:

L. Nyka: 'Od architektury cyrkulacji do urbanistycznych krajobrazów'. (From Architecture of Circulations to Urban Landscapes). Abstract in English. Gdańsk University of Technology Press, Gdańsk 2006. 187 p.

L. Nyka: 'Architektura i woda – przekraczanie granic'. (Architecture and Water – Crossing the Boundaries). Gdańsk University of Technology Press, Gdańsk 2006. 187 p.

Selected articles:

Nyka L.: 'From optic to haptic – in pursuit for sense(s) in architecture'. W: Nyka L., Borucka J. (eds.): Sensing the City – Designing Urban Experience, Gdańsk 2014 (in print).

Urbanowicz K., Nyka L., 2012. Media architecture: participation through the senses. In Proceedings of the 4th Media Architecture Biennale Conference: Participation (Aarhus, Denmark, November 14-17, 2012). MAB2012. ACM, New York, NY, 51-54.

DOI=<http://dl.acm.org/citation.cfm?id=2421076.2421085&coll=DL&dl=GUIDE&CFID=169755463&CFTOKEN=59938714>

Nyka L.: 'Urban Space as Landscape In: Future of the City – City of the Future'. Technical Transactions. I-109, Cracow University of Technology Press, Cracow 2012, pp. 62-71.

Nyka L., Konarzewska B.: 'Integration of Imaging Systems with Building Facades' Structural Solutions? In: Technical Transactions, 11-106, Cracow University of Technology Press, Cracow 2011, pp. 159-168.

Nyka L.: 'Reshaping the line of land and water – negotiating the form of urban waterfronts'. In: Waterfront Urban Design – a Heritage to the Future, P. Ressano Garcia (Ed.), University Lusofona, Lisboa 2011, pp. 162-168.

Nyka L.: 'Five strategies for the uncertain future'. In: Learning for The Future: New priorities of Schools of Architecture in the era of uncertainty. Transactions on Architectural Education No 54. Thessaloniki 2011, pp. 113-123.

Nyka L., Szczepański J.: 'Re-gaining Gdańsk's water spaces – cultural projects for urban regeneration'. W: On the Waterfront: Culture, Heritage and Regeneration of Port Cities. <http://www.english-heritage.org.uk/publications/on-the-waterfront>.

L. Nyka: 'Architecture and Water – New Concepts on Blurring Borders', [in:] L. Nyka: Water for urban strategies. Weimar: Verlag der Bauhaus-Universität Weimar 2007, pp. 20-27.