



European Landscapes in Transition

10 public lectures in Copenhagen and Aarhus

The change patterns currently affecting European landscapes are complex and intersecting. Technological innovations, market expansions, urbanisation, climate change and other drivers contribute to speeding up spatial changes worldwide. European landscapes – no longer mainly regulated through national agricultural policies – are all highly affected by these processes, and highly vulnerable as well. The complexity of farm structure, of the agents involved, and highly varied urban-rural relationships, all in combination with increased international competition in food markets, calls for cross-disciplinary integrated

analysis and integrated and spatially targeted policy approaches.

Based on on-going work with a book to be published by Cambridge University Press, Professor Teresa Pinto-Correia University of Evora, Portugal, Associate Professor Bas Pedroli, Wageningen University, the Netherlands and Professor Jørgen Primdahl, University of Copenhagen will cover these issues in 10 public lectures. The lectures mark the start of the Danish research programme Landscape Futures (Fremtidens Landskaber)

The lectures will be held at

Department of Geosciences and Natural Resource Management, Auditorium Landskab, Rolighedsvej 23, Frederiksberg and Aarhus School of Architecture, Store Auditorium, Nørreport 22, Aarhus during the winter 2013/2014 (26/11 og 3/12 in *Studsgade Auditorium, Studsgade 17, Aarhus*). All lectures will be held 17.00 - 18.00; first in Copenhagen, two days later in Aarhus.

12.11 & 14.11	Jørgen Primdahl and Bas Pedroli	Introduction to European Landscapes.
19.11 & 21.11	Bas Pedroli	European Landscapes - history and typologies
26.11 & 28.11	Bas Pedroli	Rural landscape I – North European landscapes (landscapes in the regional context, river systems, coastal landscapes). Case 1: Green Heart of Holland
03.12 & 05.12	Jørgen Primdahl	The city and the country – on changing urban-rural relationships
10.12 & 12.12	Teresa Pinto-Correia	Theories and tools for understanding the landscape
17.12 & 19.12	Jørgen Primdahl	Rural landscape II– the primary agent (On the farmer as a landscape manager). Case 2 and 3: Hvorslev and Nees - Denmark
07.01 & 09.01	Teresa Pinto-Correia	Rural landscape III – South European Landscapes (agro-forestry, agro-tourism, Intensification (irrigation) and marginalisation, Case 4 and 5: The Montado (large scale agro-forestry) and the Montemor urban fringe (small scale multi-functional), Portugal
14.01 & 16.01	Teresa Pinto-Correia	The multifunctional landscape (productivism, post-productivism, multifunctionality,
21.01 & 23.01	Jørgen Primdahl	Policy and planning – managing conflicts, supporting rural development and making places – histories and current challenges (The CAP, rural development EU directives, etc.)
28.01 & 30.01	Bas Pedroli and Jørgen Primdahl	Building up new paradigms: about visions of future landscapes and the pathways to arrive there

For students from University of Copenhagen who are interested in writing an 'independent paper' on a subject of significance to the general theme: landscape in transition, two supervision seminars will be organized.

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