

CRITICALITY IN, ON AND FOR DESIGN –  
TOWARDS AN UNDERSTANDING OF CRITICISM IN LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE, URBANISM  
AND DESIGN

'Criticality in, on and for design', offered by SLU professors Andrea Kahn (founder of designCONTENT), Lisa Diedrich (author of published critiques and editor of LAE) and the research platform SLU Urban Futures explores the phenomenon of critique and its importance for the design of buildings and landscape. A core seminar scheduled to coincide with the 2018 International Landscape Architecture Biennial (theme: performing natures, <http://landscape.coac.net/>) will take place in Barcelona and utilize Biennial events as 'course materials' subject to critical analyses and review during seminar discussion/work sessions. Framed from a landscape architectural perspective, the organizers welcome researchers from other design disciplines interested in critique's potential to enrich design discourse and practice. A full course description will be circulated in late spring 2018.

Anyone interested in learning more and/or applying please contact [andrea.kahn@slu.se](mailto:andrea.kahn@slu.se) . Please share this "save the date" with others you know who may want to receive further course details.