



EVREN UZER

Urban Planner

Evren is an Assistant Professor of Urban Planning at School of Design Strategies, Parsons The New School for Design. She is also affiliated with University of Gothenburg (GU), School of Design and Crafts (HDK) in Sweden as a researcher. She co-founded a socially engaged art practice at the art collective *roomservices*. She recently completed a post-doctoral research project on heritage and activism at HDK. Her current research is related to ecologies of dissent, heritage activism, participatory methodologies and the right to housing issues

EXPERIENCE

Collective for Community, Culture, and Environment (CCCE)

NYC Economic Development Corporation
Community-based planning for Coney Island Culinary Development Study

Private Consultant - Selected Projects

Roomservices

Socially engaged artistic practice
www.roomservices.org

imkanmekan

Design and public space
www.imkanmekan.org
Istanbul, Turkey

Istanbul URBZ Mashup Workshop
User Generated Cities
Istanbul, Turkey

EDUCATION

PhD in Urban and Regional Planning
Istanbul Technical University, Turkey

MSc. Urban Design
Istanbul Technical University, Turkey

B.S. Urban Planning
Istanbul Technical University, Turkey

PROFESSIONAL AFFILIATIONS

Chamber of Urban Planners, TR

FACULTY POSITIONS

Parsons the New School for Design
Assistant Professor of Urban Planning

University of Gothenburg, Sweden
School of Design and Crafts, HDK

Pratt Institute GCPE
Visiting Assistant Professor

Auckland University of Technology
Visiting Senior Lecturer

Bergen School of Architecture, Norway
Visiting Lecturer

Istanbul Technical University
Housing Research and Education Center;
Earthquake & Housing Researcher and TA

AWARDS

Research funding for Heritage and Urban Resistance: Exploring Identity Politics, Commons and Conflict, by Swedish National Heritage Board, 2015-17 - Sweden

Success Award for Contribution to Architecture, XXII Biannual National Architecture Awards 2010 - Turkey
Chamber of Architects for imkanmekan

Artist grant
Fiskars Artist in Residency Program for roomservices, 2009 - Finland

Artist grant
NKD Dale, Artist in Residency program for roomservices, 2009 - Norway

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS

University of Gothenburg, Sweden
Public lecture: "Heritage Activism", 2015

University of Gothenburg, Sweden
Public lecture in HACCAH series:
"Heritage as Commons", 2014

University of Gothenburg, Sweden
Public lecture: "History recorded live: 2013 Gezi protests (Turkey) and negotiating heritage values"

Tbilisi and Batumi, Georgia
Invited lectures by Roomservices: "Craft and Urban Re-Mapping Projects: Co-Design as a Social Practice", 2012

PUBLICATIONS

Commoning in Resistance: Gezi Park Protests and "Yeryüzü Sofraları" in Heritage as Commons | Commons as Heritage, Makadam:Göteborg, 2015

Heritage as Commons | Commons as Heritage, Co-Editor
Makadam:Göteborg, 2015

imkanmekan: small scale interventions in the city, imkanmekan & Istanbul, ECOC Agency, Istanbul, Turkey (in English and in Turkish), 2010

**Projects based in NYC unless otherwise noted*