

**CONFERENCE ON SOCIAL AND TERRITORIAL COHESION AND
POLICIES OF REGIONAL AND URBAN PLANNING AND HOUSING¹.**

16th and 17th December 2004

**Parc Científic de Barcelona
Baldri Reixac 4-6, 08028 Barcelona
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Nowadays it is possible to identify increasing phenomena of urban segregation and social exclusion in advanced societies. Those phenomena seem to be linked to ongoing social (e.g. immigration from non EU countries in the European case) and economic changes with obvious territorial impacts and changes of traditional urban models.

The conference's goal is to reflect social and territorial cohesion with an interdisciplinary (mainly Law and Economics) and international (with American and European collaborations) approach, exchanging experiences about the possible mechanisms to guarantee social cohesion and territorial equilibrium in new scenarios.

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PROGRAM

(THERE WILL BE TRANSLATION FROM SPANISH TO ENGLISH AND VICEVERSA)

THURSDAY DECEMBER 16

*Auditori del Parc Científic de Barcelona
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16:00 INAUGURATION

Mr. Joan Bellavista
Commercial Director, Parc Científic de Barcelona

Dr. Tomàs Font
*Catedràtic de Dret Administratiu
Institut de Dret Públic*

Dr. Juli Ponce
*Professor Titular de Dret Administratiu
Research Project's Director*

16:30 E. ZIEGLER, *Professor of Law, University of Denver:*

“The New Snob Zoning: Urban Sprawl, Social Cohesion, and Zoning Exclusion and Discrimination in the United States”.

17:30 J. KUSHNER, *Professor of Law, Southwestern University School of Law, Los Angeles, California:*

“New Urbanism: Urban Development and Ethnic Integration in Europe and the United States”

18:30 DISCUSSION

FRIDAY DECEMBER 17

*Aula Fèlix Serratosa
Administració del Parc Científic de Barcelona
Josep Samitier, 1-5
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MORNING

9:30 ROUND-TABLE DISCUSSION:

Sra. Carme Trilla
Directora General d'Habitatge
Generalitat de Catalunya

Sra. Dolors Clavell
Diputada al Parlament de Catalunya

Sra. Montserrat Torrent
Directora OCUC
Plataforma per a un habitatge digne

11:00 BREAK

11:15 D. SIBINA, *Professor Titular E.U. Universitat de Barcelona.*

“Market, Social Cohesion and Urban Renewal”

12:15 M. PAREJA, *Catedràtica E.U. Departament de Teoria Econòmica, Universitat de Barcelona*

"Urban renewal of Spanish Housing Estates: policies, practices and inhabitants' opinions"

13:15 DISCUSSION

AFTERNOON

16:00 J. BALL, *Solicitor and Lecturer in Law, Law Department, Sheffield University:*

"UK housing rights: Rehousing, management by lawful eviction, and possible incompatibility with continental laws."

16:45 J.P. BROUANT, *Maître de Conférences à l'Université Paris I Panthéon-Sorbonne :*

« Cohésion sociale et aménagement du territoire: quelle place pour la régulation juridique en France? »

17:30 THE ITALIAN PERSPECTIVE: PAOLO URBANI (*Prof. Ordinario di Diritto Urbanistico dell'Università "G. d'Annunzio" di Chieti-Pescara*), GIANLUCA GARDINI AND STEFANO CIVITARESE (*Prof. di diritto amministrativo dell'Università "G. d'Annunzio" di Chieti-Pescara*).

"The Policies for Urban Development"
Paolo Urbani

"From economic and popular construction to the urban renewal programs"
Stefano Civitarese y Gianluca Gardini.

18:15 DISCUSSION

18:45 CONCLUSIONS: J. PONCE SOLÉ, *Professor Titular de Dret Administratiu, Universitat de Barcelona, Research Project's Director.*