The intercultural City: Exploring an elusive idea
international conference

PROGRAMME

29 November, 2012

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* All papers will be discussed by Ruth Fincher, Ferruccio Pastore and Gill Valentine
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**SESSION 2: Placemaking and Urbanity**
Chair: *Ferruccio Pastore*, FIERI, Turin, Italy

15.00-15.30  
*Diversity and interculturalism, a critique and a defence. Going through multiethnic neighbourhoods in Rome*
*Marco Cremaschi and Carlotta Fioretti*, Dipartimento di Studi Urbani, Università degli Studi Roma Tre, Italy

15.30-16.00  
*Intercultural Public Space and Activism*
*Michail Galanakis*, University of Helsinki / Academy of Finland

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16.30-17.00  
*Parent Café: A right way for schools to become a truly multicultural space?*
*Alexei Medvedev*, Intercultural Parent Involvement Program, BQM Beratung Qualifizierung Migration, Hamburg, Germany

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30 November, 2012

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**SESSION 3: Urban cultural policies**
Chair: *Ruth Fincher*, University of Melbourne, Australia

10.00-10.30  
*Cultural Policy In Singapore. Going Global But… Then Again*
*Peggy Levitt*, Wellesley College, Wellesley, MA, United States

10.30-11.00  
*Policy dimensions of an Intercultural City*
*Kseniya Khovanova-Rubicondo*, CoE -EICR

11.00-11.30  
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*The Finnish Elusive Politics*
*Johanna Malmi*, Institute of Migration, Turku, Finland

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wrap-up and conclusions
*Marcello Balbo*, SSIIM Chairholder