We will do this because...

The contemporary practice of architecture claims a social project, one that works towards justice. However, there still a need for the architecture school to engage with the issue of justice, especially spatial justice. During this seminar, we will both engage with and take a critical distance from concepts that act as moral yardsticks in our practice, as well as engaging with concepts from other fields that relate to space. So this course is an invitation to students interested in a deeper discussion of issues that affect the built environment, Architecture practice, and our role as spatial professionals in the struggle for Justice.

We will have discussions on...

Concepts that are pertinent to our practice yet rarely discussed, we will engage with issues of inclusivity and exclusivity, feminist practice, the architecture of the oppressed, decolonising practice, and the emotional in our practice.

We will...

meet once a week, in which I will offer a provocation to be addressed in addition to short texts that engage with this provocation. The following week you will be required to propose questions on the topic. We will operate on the principle that sometimes we need to find our questions before looking for answers. The participants of this seminar will be required to engage passionately with the issue of justice through our weekly discussions.