The Autopoiesis of Architecture

By Patrik Schumacher, Zaha Hadid Architects



Patrik Schumacher will present Volume 1 of his two-volume treatise "The Autopoiesis of Architecture", a unified theoretical system that is able to integrate many partial theories: a theory of architecture's societal function, a theory the discipline's self- demarcation, a theory of the avant-garde, aesthetic theory, media theory, process theory etc. The theory has been elaborated on the basis of a comprehensive discourse analysis of the discipline. Architecture is theorized as self-regulating system of communications comprising artefacts, knowledges, and practices all understood as communications that connect to each other in an ongoing recursive network.

Venue: Civil Service College

31 North Buona Vista Road

Singapore 275983

24 Nov 2010 Date:

Programme

1.30pm Arrival and Registration of participants

2.05pm Welcome Remarks by SIA President

2.15pm Lecture (part 1) commences

3.30pm Tea Break

4.00pm Lecture (part 2) commences

5.00pm Q&A 5.30pm End

Participation Fee: • SIA Members: Complimentary • BOA Registered Architect/CIJC

Members: \$30 • Non-Members: \$50

Accreditation: 6 CPD Points



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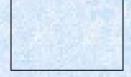
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Patrik Schumacher is partner at Zaha Hadid Architects and founding director at the AADRL. He studied philosophy and architecture in Bonn, London and Stuttgart, and completed his PHD at the Institute for Cultural Science in Klagenfurt. His contribution to architectural theory is evident in his published writings collected at www.patrikschumacher.com.

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