#### 9:15 - 9:30

Opening

Massimo Bricocoli, Head of DAStU Politecnico di Milano Bertrando Bonfantini, DAStU Politecnico di Milano

#### 9:30 - 9:45

Reasons of the seminar, Research and design questions **Giulia Fini,** DAStU Politecnico di Milano

## 9:45 - 10:45 *first session*

Lyon Part-Dieu, Contemporary Metropolitan Hub: regeneration strategies and tools for a complex unitary project

### François Decoster, l'AUC, Paris

Collaborative urban transformation -Learning from Amstel III, Amsterdam Saskia Beer, Transformcity, Amsterdam

Questions and open discussion

### 11:00 - 12:00 *second session*

Wellbeing in the workplace. New interventions and refurbishment of office blocks in Milan

Michele Rossi, Park Associati, Milan

Coworking spaces in Milan: places for remote workers during the Covid-19 pandemic?

Ilaria Mariotti, DAStU Politecnico di Milano

Questions and open discussion

### 12:15 - 1:15 third session

The Luchtsingel regeneration, Rotterdam. From an abandoned building to an urban hub Kristian Koreman, ZUS Zones Urbaines Sensibles, Rotterdam

Brussels European District: a water project for binding service sector and context

Marco Ranzato, DdA Università di Roma Tre and Latitude Platform, Bruxelles

Questions and open discussion

## 1:15 - 2:00 *lunch break*

## 2:00 - 3:15 *fourth session*

Paris La Défense: Le Plan Guide des Espaces Publics and the Grande Arche Jardins

Alessandra Cianchetta, AWP Ltd Architects, London and New York

Questions and open discussion

Final roundtable and conclusion

Antonella Bruzzese, Carolina Pacchi, Bertrando Bonfantini, Giulia Fini DAStU Politecnico di Milano The seminar represents a moment of discussion and knowledge sharing about the issue of modification of office districts and service workspaces.

Even before the effects caused by the COVID-19 pandemic, the request of reconfigurations of office districts and buildings was a tangible reality in various European contexts, driven by diverse reasons:

the vacancy created by a surplus of realizations by the real estate markets; the request of better quality and comfort; a multiplicity of services workplaces' geographies; changes in lifestyle and labour practices. Some of these conditions have been moreover dramatically affected by the current COVID-19 pandemic.

Considering both realized projects and ongoing researches, the seminar intends to reflect on strategies, design tools and processes for the reconfiguration of office districts, with particular attention to urban scale, role, and issues of urban regeneration: soil design, in-between public space structure, presence of temporary and mixed activities, flexibility and greenery. In this framework, complex projects of regeneration are presented in the opening and final sessions; current trends and projects in Milan are part of the second session; cutting-edge experiences are illustrated in the third section.

Aim of the seminar is to focus on design trajectories and processes to reimage the office-directional workspaces as more able to absorb urban modifications and practices and to interpret new challenges of sustainability.

Interested in the seminar or need more information?

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**Experiences and design tools** 

## TRANSFORMATION

of regenerations between

# **OF OFFICE DISTRICTS**

spatial, functional and economic

# **AND WORKSPACES**

reconfiguration

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