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AUB to hold architecture conference on urban design in the Arab world

Beirut, Lebanon- The American University of Beirut's Graduate Programs in Urban Planning and Policy & Urban Design (MUPP-MUD), Department of Architecture and Design, Faculty of Engineering and Architecture with the support of the Faculty of Engineering and Architecture at AUB, the Center for Arab and Middle Eastern Studies at AUB, Prince Alwaleed Bin Talal Bin Abdulaziz Alsaud Center for American Studies and Research at AUB, the British Council, the Heinrich Böll Foundation, the Institut Français du Proche-Orient (IFPO) & the German Society for International Cooperation (GIZ) are organizing:

City Debates 2012

Re-Conceptualizing Boundaries: Urban Design in the Arab World

May 3 & 4, 2012

Architecture Lecture Hall (ALH), Dar Al-Handasah Architecture Building

Attached:

- Conference Program
- Concept Note, Biographies and Abstracts
- Conference Poster

Synopsis: This year's edition of City Debates aims at exploring the significance of urban design theory to the Arab World by investigating relevant emerging practices and pedagogies. It does so through questioning: what the changing 'global' paradigms of urban design at the wake of the new millennium are and how these advancements can impact the shaping of cities in the Arab World.

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