

# MEGA-EVENTS AND THE CITY

Reflections and lessons from the Expo,  
Olympics and European Capital of Culture

**21 APRIL**

VIDEO ONLINE IN ADVANCE  
17.00 DISCUSSION

**Mega-events and cultural  
policy: Urban effects,  
legacies and governance**

Franco Bianchini  
(University of Hull)

**28 APRIL**

VIDEO ONLINE IN ADVANCE  
17.00 DISCUSSION

**Effects of Turku 2011  
European Capital of  
Culture: A long-term  
perspective**

Sampo Ruoppila  
(University of Turku)

**05 MAY**

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17.00 DISCUSSION

**Liverpool 2008-2018: The  
impacts of the European  
Capital of Culture**

Beatriz García  
(University of Liverpool)

**12 MAY**

VIDEO ONLINE IN ADVANCE  
17.00 DISCUSSION

**The (un)sustainability of  
the Summer Olympic  
Games**

Eva Kassens-Noor  
(Michigan State University)

**19 MAY**

VIDEO ONLINE IN ADVANCE  
17.00 DISCUSSION

**Dubai's urban and  
regional development  
and the 2020  
Expo project**

Khaled Alawadi  
(Khalifa University)

**26 MAY**

VIDEO ONLINE IN ADVANCE  
17.00 DISCUSSION

**The (un)sustainability of  
the Winter Olympics:  
Comparing Salt Lake  
2002 and Sochi 2014**

Martin Müller  
(University of Lausanne)

The video of each seminar will be posted online the day prior, with a live online discussion taking place at 17.00 on the day of the seminar. The video can be accessed freely with the links found at:

<http://www.tau-lab.polimi.it/mega-events-and-the-city-seminar-series/> or on Twitter @HomeeProject

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