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*Gangcity*

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Curator: Fabio Armao, DIST – Polytechnic and University of Turin  
*presents*

## **STEEL FOR SOCIAL**

### **International Workshop**

for students and professionals

October 18 - 19 2016

Spazio Thetis, Arsenale Nord, f. Calle Donà Castello, 2737, Venice, Italy

Scientific curatorship of the workshop: Marco Imperadori - ABC Polytechnic in Milan, Italy

The workshop program was formulated specifically to present the episodes of design excellence for the requalification of the urban environments. In these projects, steel guarantees rapid production, durability and long-life of the items created. The extremely high construction quality restores a sense of pride to this material. Steel is the perfect ingredient for long-lasting works of urban art in the chaotic, unstable cities. It can underline the cities' identities and the intrinsic traits that generate positive mental states of appropriation and belonging.

The themes examined are related to the application of good practises to allow full appreciation of this material's intrinsic values. They will be followed by comparative examinations of sustainability, the diffusion of green technology and the promotion of conscious consumption. They are geared to communities oriented to innovation, through debates on issues associated with social inclusion and construction practises that can activate new processes to create community cohesion and belonging.

Scientific Direction: Fabio Armao and Mila Sichera, DIST -Turin Polytechnic and University

The Turin Polytechnic, in collaboration with Ala Assoarchitetti, will award 15 Professional credits for professionals. On request, the Turin Polytechnic will issue students with a certificate for European University Credits (ECTS)

For information and enrolment: [www.gangcity.it](http://www.gangcity.it); [workshop.polimiabc@gangcity.it](mailto:workshop.polimiabc@gangcity.it)