Bartlett School of Planning

Preliminary Reading List for Undergraduates

Below is a list of readings (and useful websites) compiled by staff at the School of Planning, which we believe will serve as an inspiring introduction to the subject. These are not generally the core textbooks that you will use on your course (which tend to be hugely expensive to buy and we feel that can wait until you enrol and can borrow books from our library!). Please do not feel that you need to work your way through this list before joining. Simply follow what interests you.

Contemporary issues

Abbott, C., 2020. City Planning: A Very Short Introduction. Oxford University Press.

Beebeejaun, Y., 2016. The Participatory City. Jovis.

Bill, P., 2013 Planet Property. Troubador Publishing.

Carmona et al, 2010. Public Places Urban Spaces: The Dimensions of Urban Design. London: Routledge

Ellis, H. and Henderson, K., 2014. Rebuilding Britain: Planning for a better future. Policy Press

Ferm, J., Tomaney, J. (Eds.), 2018. Planning Practice: Critical Perspectives from the UK. Routledge.

Hall, P., Tewdwr-Jones, M., 2020. *Urban and regional planning*, 6th edition. Routledge, New York

Lancione, M., McFarlane, C., 2021. *Global Urbanism: Knowledge, Power and the City*. Routledge.

Marshall, S., 2009. Cities Design and Evolution. Abingdon: Routledge

Richards, B., 2012. Future Transport in Cities. Abingdon: Taylor & Frances.

Rydin, Y., 2011. *The Purpose of Planning: Creating Sustainable Towns and Cities*. Bristol: The Policy Press.

Rydin, Y., 2013. The future of planning: Beyond Growth Dependence. Policy Press, Bristol Chicago.

Sendra, P., Fitzpatrick, D., 2019. Community-Led Regeneration. UCL Press.

Ward, K., 2020. Researching the City: A Guide for Students. SAGE.

Watson, S. and Bridge, G. (eds.), 2013. *The New Blackwell Companion to The City*. Oxford, Malden MA: Blackwell.

Wilkinson, S. and Reed, R., 2008. Property Development. 5th ed Routledge

Classic text in urbanism and urban planning

Ageyman, J. (2013) Introducing Just Sustainabilities: Policy, Planning and Practice. Zed Books.

Glaeser, E. (2011) Triumph of the City. London: Macmillan

Hall, P. (1988) Cities of Tomorrow: An Intellectual History of Urban Planning and Design in the Twentieth Century. Oxford: Basil Blackwell.

Hall, P. (1981) Great Planning Disasters, Penguin Books, Harmonsworth

Hebbert, M (1998) London: More by Fortune than Design. Chichester: John Wiley & Sons.

Jacobs, J. (1961) The Death and Life of Great American Cities. New York: Vintage Books

Lynch, K. (1960) The Image of the City. Cambridge, MA: Harvard University Press.

Hall, P. (1988) Cities of Tomorrow: An Intellectual History of Urban Planning and Design in the Twentieth Century. Oxford: Basil Blackwell.

Amin, A., Massey, D. & Thrift, N. (2000) Cities for the Many not the Few, Bristol: The Policy Press

Davis, M. (2007) Planet of Slums. London: Verso

Gehl, J. (2010) Cities for people. Washington: Island Press.

Websites:

www.rics.org

Website of the Royal Institute of Chartered Surveyors

www.rtpi.org.uk

Website of the Royal Town Planning Institute

www.ipf.org.uk

Website of the Investment Property Forum with a large Resource Library.

https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/department-for-levelling-up-housing-and-communities

Website of the Department for Levelling Up, Housing & Communities (which covers planning)

www.tcpa.org.uk

Town and Country Planning Association (campaigning for the reform of the UK's planning system to make it more responsive to people's needs and aspirations and to promote sustainable development.)

http://placealliance.org.uk/

Website of the Place Alliance, 'a movement for place quality', coordinated by Professor Matthew Carmona and hosted by UCL.

Websites for understanding the Property Industry:

UPRE students might like to look at websites from the Real Estate Consultancies such as JLL,

Savills, CBRE, and **Knight Frank**, to get an overview of Real Estate Markets and Investment.

To understand the Real Estate Industry, you might look at the websites of major property companies such as **British Land, LandSec, Segro,** and **Derwent** for example.