

# MEĐUNARODNI SEMINAR

## *Architecture and the City in Central Europe*

Sveučilište u Zagrebu i University of Pittsburgh

Monday, May 5 – Wednesday, May 21, 2014

### DESCRIPTION

This course will examine the relationship between architecture and identity – how architecture was used to shape national identities at various periods in response to changing social, economic, and political conditions; how architects shaped their identities through travel, education; how the use of technology, new materials, ornament, and manipulations of building typologies are used to shape institutional, corporate, and individual identities.

The context for these examinations will be five cities formerly part of the Habsburg / Austro-Hungarian Empire – the Czech capital, Prague; the former imperial capital, Vienna; the former provincial (now national) capitals Zagreb and Ljubljana; the industrial city Brno in the Czech Republic. The time span will encompass the Renaissance, Baroque, modern and contemporary periods.

Major architectural themes that will be emphasized in this course include: (1) the development of different building types to serve modern needs (museums, hospitals, apartment housing, villa or pavilion type housing); (2) tectonics and the expression of construction; (3) debates about the function and meaning of ornament.

The written and built works of the following major central European architects will be examined in detail: Josef Frank, Jozef Hoffmann, Adolf Loos, Josef Marie Olbrich, Jože Plečnik, Gottfried Semper, Otto Wagner, Hans Hollein, Zaha Hadid, and Wolf Prix (Coop Himmelb(l)au) as well as one house in Vienna designed by the philosopher Ludwig Wittgenstein.

Classes will be held primarily on-site in Prague, Vienna, Brno, Zagreb, and Ljubljana. Students will be required to participate in discussions, apply theoretical ideas from major nineteenth- and twentieth-century authors to the observation of buildings, and document sites through note-taking, drawing, measuring, and photography.

Jezik programa: engleski

Broj mjesta za studente Sveučilišta u Zagrebu: 6-8

CIJENA: okvirno 2300 kuna (moguće je i priključiti se programu u Beču, čime je i cijena manja)

PRIJAVE: na e-mail [jgudeli@ffzg.hr](mailto:jgudeli@ffzg.hr) do **20. ožujka 2014.** Sastanak s prijavljenim i sva dodatna pojašnjenja **21. ožujka 2014.**

Učini svoju diplomu zanimljivijom budućim poslodavcima: PROGRAM SVEUČILIŠTE U ZAGREBU PRIZNAJE KAO IZVANNASTAVNU AKTIVNOST KOJA SE NAVODI U DODATKU DIPLOMI (3 ECTS BODA)!