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ACTION FIELD

Can space truly be free?

As cities grow and expand space has become an invaluable resource and often a commodity. As supply shrinks, and demand increases at a staggering disproportion, the race between the public and the private has perhaps never been more intense.

What is the action plan to follow at the local level and globally?

What are the roles and responsibilities needed to engage in this field of action?

How can architects work in tandem with civil society, governments and private institutions in achieving a united vision?

These questions will be debated during a symposium hosted by the MA in Architecture + Urbanism at the Manchester School of Architecture with our guest speakers Stefano Tornieri, Massimo Triches and Marco Ballarin (Babau Bureau / Venice) and Paolo Marcoaldi (Studio Dismisura / Rome).