

MATTEO UMBERTO POLI - Curriculum vitae 02.2017

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Matteo Poli is an architect, working as a full-time researcher and landscape design professor at the Politecnico di Milano.

He has an extensive and international experience as a design consultant in architecture, urban and landscape projects.

From 2004 to 2007 he has been editor for Domus and until 2014 special correspondent for Abitare. He currently manages the landscape section of the international festival Milano Arch Week and co-coordinates the MSc in Landscape Architecture - Land Landscape Heritage.

Matteo Poli graduates with honours at the Politecnico di Milano in 1997, after studying at ETSAB Barcelona and TUD Delft.

After working as a landscape architect at West 8 - Adriaan Geuze in 1997, he works as team leader and consultant at the Office for Metropolitan Architecture - Rem Koolhaas between 1998 to 2008.

Since 2001 he is a registered architect in the "Ordine degli Architetti P.P.C. di Milano" board.

In 1999 he funds his office 99IC AMD, winning national and international competitions and working on several private commissions until 2005.

From 2005 to 2007 he is a partner of CicaliMA, where he works on a survey bike project, editing audio and video tapes on landscape widely published and exhibited in Italy and abroad.

From 2008 he is scientific consultant and shareholder of ARGOT ou La Maison Mobile – AOUMM. Among other projects, AOUMM followed a 600.000 sm masterplan in Bovisa and a 100-ha farm in Azerbaijan; recently AOUMM has been invited to the 14th Venice Biennale and to Expo 2015 with the NGO Save the Children pavilion.

He has been lecturing in several European, Asian and American universities, publishing books and articles on landscape, architecture and urban design.

He is part of the scientific committee of the Italian technical architectural magazine YouBuild.

He holds a 115 TOEFL score, speaking English as mother tongue. He speaks Spanish, Portuguese and French. He is a registered off-road pilot and RYA yacht-master.

ONGOING TENURED ACADEMIC POSITIONS

From 2005, researcher and professor in Landscape Architecture, Department of Architecture & Urban Studies and the School of Architecture Urban Planning Construction Engineering at the Politecnico di Milano.

CONTRACT TEACHING POSITIONS

1997-2005 Politecnico di Milano, adjunct professor in Architecture and Landscape.

2001-2003 EPFL, Lausanne, assistant professor.

2001-2005 Accademia di Architettura, Mendrisio, assistant professor.

SELECTED LECTURES AND VISITING TEACHING POSITIONS

1998 Gent Universiteit, Prof. Guy Chatel e D. De Meyer.

2003 ETSAB UPC, lecturer PhD in Architecture, Prof. Marcia Codinacs.

2007 NABA, visiting professor, Milan.

2008 Domus Academy Milan, visiting professor, prof. Andrea Boschetti.

2009-2010 Bocconi University, MSc ACME visiting professor, prof. Luca Martinazzoli.

2012 University of Leuven, lecturer PhD Human Settlements, Urbanism and Strategic Planning

2012 IED, visiting professor, Milan.

2013 University of Saint Joseph Macau, visiting professor Faculty of Creative Industries

2017 Harvard GSD

EDITORSHIPS

2004-2007 Member of the editorial board of the magazine Domus, Milan.

2007-2014 Member of the editorial board of the magazine Abitare, Milan.

2017 Member of the editorial board of the magazine YouBuild, Milan.

RESIDENCIES

In 1995 he wins an 8.000€ Erasmus grant at the ETSA, Barcelona. He studies with proff. Enric Miralles, Albert Viaplana and Esteve Bonell.

In 1996 he wins an 8.000€ grant in Architecture and Landscape at the TUD, Delft. He studies with proff. Adriaan Geuze, Kees Christiaanse, C.Steenbergen and W.Reh.

In 2005 he holds a research position at the Jan van Eyck Academie, Maastricht, with a 36.000€ residency grant.

STUDIES

After attending the Waldorf Rudolf Steiner, he graduates in Humanities at the Liceo Classico G.Berchet in Milan. In 1997 he gets a BSc and MSc degree with honours in Architecture and Landscape, at the Politecnico di Milano with a thesis on "Rotterdam harbour, compressed expansion", with Proff. Maurizio Vogliazzo and Gary Bates - Office for Metropolitan Architecture.

SELECTED PRIZES

2001 Isola Parodi, 2nd phase international competition with OMA and SBA, Genova.

2001 Europan 6, 2nd prize, Budapest.

2002 Triennale exhibition "Adriano Olivetti", 1st prize, Milan.

Parco Forlanini, 2nd phase international competition with WEST8, Milan.

2003 Europan 7, 2nd prize, Maribor.

2004 "Il parco della città della moda" 2nd phase international competition with Giancarlo De Carlo, Milan.

Opos New Agriculture, 1st prize, Milan.

2009 Nuova sede della Provincia di Bergamo, 2nd phase international competition with OMA, Bergamo.

2013 Nuovo Vigorelli, 3rd prize, Milan.

2015 Save the Children Pavillion for EXPO2015, 1st prize, Milan.

SELECTED WORKSHOPS AND CRITICS

1998 Visiting professor, "Architettura, Infrastrutture e Paesaggio", Grosseto.

2000 Arkitekthøgskolen i Oslo, invited critic for Prof. G.Bonesmo.

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2010 Politecnico di Milano, coordinator of MIAW

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2011 ETSAB Universitat Politècnica de Catalunya, final projects discussant.

2012 Wrocław University of Technology Architecture and Urban design, visiting professor

2013 Pratt Institute New York, final projects discussant, prof. Carloenzo Frugieue.

2013 Visiting professor Faculty of Creative Industries, University of Saint Joseph Macau

2016 Oslo Triennale "After Belonging" International workshop

2016 OC 7th International Summer school, Piacenza

2017 "La Sala del Futuro per la Rigenerazione Urbana" International workshop