

# LONELY PLANNER

An initiative by Bartlett Planning PhD students

## AIM

Learn and discuss about certain places through the speakers' first-hand knowledge of them

## WHAT?

Informal talks on places, spatial practices, planning policies, etc.

## HOW?

Descriptions, narratives, stories, etc. using those materials considered adequate, such as texts, poems, images or videos.



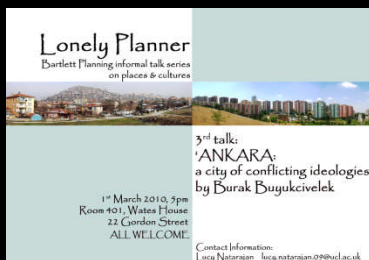
3<sup>rd</sup> December

**CITIES OF IRAN**  
by Kiavash Soltani



26<sup>th</sup> January

**GALICIA: (re)presenting a Spanish regional space**  
by Diego Garcia Mejuto



1<sup>st</sup> March

**ANKARA: a city of conflicting ideologies**  
by Burak Buyukcivelek



Forthcoming

**TAIWAN, by Chia-Lin Chen**

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Bartlett Planning informal talk series on places & cultures

1<sup>st</sup> talk:

'CITIES OF IRAN'

by Kiavash Soltani

3<sup>rd</sup> December 2009, 5pm

Room 5.17b, Wates House, 22 Gordon Street

ALL WELCOME

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- Environmentally sustainable city
- Religious city
- Cultural city
- Modern city

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2<sup>nd</sup> talk:  
'GALICIA:  
(re)presenting a Spanish regional space'  
by Diego García Mejuto

20<sup>th</sup> January 2010, 4pm  
Room 5.17b, Wates House, 22 Gordon Street

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## GALICIA

- Where
- What

## TERRITORY

- Fragmentation + dispersion > mobility
- Unbalanced region
- Main cities

## PLANNING

- Coexisting rationalities
- Construction of a regional space

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a city of conflicting ideologies'  
by Burak Buyukcivelek

1<sup>st</sup> March 2010, 5pm  
Room 401, Wates House  
22 Gordon Street  
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## IDEOLOGIES AND ANKARA THROUGHOUT THE HISTORY

- Ottoman times  
1579 – 1922
- Early years of the Republic  
1923 – 1940
- Maturation of the Republic  
1940 ~
- Ideological structures
- Spatial elements ... Ankara

# BECOME A LONELY PLANNER FOR ONE DAY!

Calling all BSP MPhil/PhD students