



'Assessing the centre of historic Baghdad' Workshop
Department of Architecture, University of Cambridge
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Programme:

Thursday 8 December
Workshop, Department of Architecture, Cambridge
Boardroom

9:30 Coffee and Introduction by Wendy Pullan

10:00 Baghdad study using Space Syntax and discussion
Akram Al-Akkam, Mohamad Essam, Ahmed Louay,

12:00- Conflict in Cities research and methods
Chair – Haim Yacobi
Wendy Pullan – introduction to the project
Lefkos Kyriacou – comparative mapping
Anita Bakshi – Nicosia mapping and interviews

13:15 lunch

14:15 Conflict in Cities continued
Chair – Max Gwiazda
Craig Larkin – Beirut interviews on the street
Konstantin Kastrissianakis – Beirut - interviewing politicians and

bureaucrats
Britt Baillie-Warren – Balkans –heritage and conservation
Wendy Pullan – Jerusalem - case study at Damascus Gate

16:00 tea/coffee

16:30 virtual tour of Baghdad and discussion

19:00 dinner at the University Centre

Friday 9 December
Meeting with Wendy Pullan
Discussions and meetings with CinC staff
Work on Baghdad project

Saturday 10 December - London
10:00 Discussion, London Metropolitan University
Maurice Mitchell – on Space Syntax and traditional site research in
Agra
PM Tour, London, Thames area development

Monday 12 December
Discussions – Britt Baillie, Haim Yacobi, Max Gwiazda
Work on Baghdad project

Tuesday 13 December
Discussion – Anita Bakshi, Konstantin Kastrissianakis
Work on Baghdad project

Wednesday 14 December
Discussions and meetings with CinC staff
Work on Baghdad project

Thursday 15 December
AM discussion with Lefkos Kyriacou
PM Formulating the Baghdad study

Friday 16 December
Work on Baghdad project