

Urban Clinic Update

With springtime fast approaching, here are some of the Clinic's recent projects in the fields of housing policy, social urbanism and urban regeneration. For more information and regular updates, visit our website or Facebook page.



The new series of "friday tours" launched four tours in neighborhoods across Jerusalem, bringing together local leaders, professionals and students to the field in order to discuss social dilemmas in urban planning.

For more about Friday tours >>



Project for Public Spaces is leading a week- long urban festival coordinated by the Urban Clinic, The Innovation & Urban Sustainability Lab in the University of Tel Aviv, "MIU" movement for Israeli urbanism and more. The event includes workshops and lectures in five key places in Israel.

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A new internship course joined with Jerusalem's building corporation "Moriya", offers students a chance to research and develop a social impact assessment (SIA) tool for projects of Raze and rebuild in Jerusalem.

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A new publication is on its way, concluding a peer seminar of urban planners on Raze and rebuild. Supported by Israeli ministries of interior and construction, it offers guidelines and insights regarding the social effects of these increasingly popular projects for urban development.

To read the abstract >>

The Urban Clinic at Hebrew University is an academic body that works to strengthen creative and socially aware urban leadership in Israel, including mayors, city planners, community leaders, academics and developers. The Urban Clinic provides state of the art knowledge about what works in housing, urban regeneration and community planning, to ensure that the current and next generation of urban practitioners are equipped with effective tools and skills to make our cities truly remarkable places for all. Founded in 2013, the Urban Clinic is part of the Faculty of Social Sciences at the Hebrew University, linked to the Institute of Urban and Regional Studies. The Urban Clinic is headed by Dr. Emilu Silverman. Visit our website to learn more.