



HEALTHY BUILT ENVIRONMENTS PROGRAM



Marketplace: how the rise of food quarters in contemporary London is transforming spaces and changing lives

Dr Susan Parham

Dr Susan Parham was appointed as Head of Urbanism at the University of Hertfordshire's Centre for Sustainable Communities in 2010. She holds a PhD from the Cities Programme at the LSE, and degrees in Urban Design, Urban and Regional Planning, and Politics.

Dr Parham has a long-term background and international profile in planning, urbanism and urban design for low carbon place making, with particular expertise in food and sustainable city design – and is currently directing two food-centred ‘retrofitting’ research projects in the UK.

Join us for a public lecture by Dr Susan Parham at the University of NSW on Wednesday 3rd October.

Dr Parham's lecture is about designing and planning for food. It examines ways that food production, distribution, and consumption arrangements have been played out in three fast transforming urban sites in contemporary London. The lecture explores how traditional city design and spatiality has informed the making of a richer, healthier, more food-centered everyday life, while producing places that have also become the loci for food led-gentrification.

Dr Parham's book, ***Market Place: Food Quarters, Design and Urban Renewal in London***, is due out with Cambridge Scholars Publishing in early 2013.

Lecture Details

Date: Wednesday 3rd October

Venue: Rupert Myers Lecture Theatre, UNSW Campus Kensington

Time: 5:00pm—7:00pm
(lecture starts at 6pm)

Cost: FREE



Above: Susan Parham at the Food Market, Făgăraș, Transylvania, 2012

Light refreshments will be available in the Red Centre West Wing Foyer from 5pm - 6pm

To register your attendance please email kathy@unsw.edu.au with Marketplace Lecture in the subject line, indicating if you will also be attending the reception prior to the lecture.

For those of you who cannot attend, please note that this lecture will be recorded and placed on the Healthy Built Environments Program's website.

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