

## **LECTURE & DEBATE**

**May 6, 2015 | 18.30 Uhr | GeodätenstandH 6101**

### **Refugees in the City (2):KITCHEN-HUB**

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cooking kucha

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Case studies and best practice examples of studio work at schools of higher education and practice will be presented and discussed. Afterward the speakers and the audience will prepare a small meal together on a long table in order to deeper discuss the related topics. The event will take place in the framework of the 2nd Cluster Meeting of the Urban Lab+.

**Speakers:**  
Simon Takasaki & Peter Haslinger, Uni Hannover  
Victoria Capresi, baladilab N.N.  
Rafael Strasser, Über den Tellerrand

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Urban Design Forum  
MOVE Projektwerkstatt  
Über den Tellerrand e.V.  
Habitat Unit / CoCoon, TU Berlin

Wed, May 6th, 2015, 6.30pm  
Geodatenstand, Technische Universität Berlin

During a Summer School in 2015 the Kitchen-Hub, a place of cooking encounters between locals and refugees for Über den Tellerrand e.V. will be designed and build in Berlin. Funded by the STO-Stiftung

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The focus of the event will be placed on the role of higher education, it will be embedded in the 2nd Cluster meeting of the Ulab+. Case studies and best practice examples of studio work at schools of higher education and practice will be presented shortly and discussed afterwards with members of refugee initiatives. The event will be kicked off by a series of pecha kucha inputs, followed by a general discussion round. Afterward the speakers and the audience will prepare a small meal together on a long table in order to deeper discuss the related topics.

The event will serve as a valuable practice-related input workshop for

**all of our work as well as the students currently involved in the Refugees in the City Research- and Design Studios at TU Berlin. This includes a Summer School to take place in August, where we will design and build the Kitchen-Hub for Über den Tellerrand, a place of cooking encounters between locals and refugees in Berlin.**

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