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Activating Landscape Democracy: strategic design solutions to wicked problems

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Theory: City design: a ‘wicked problem’

- No rules/exit strategies
- No true/false solutions, only good/bad
- More than one possible solution
- Difficult to assess success
- Unique problems, usually symptomatic of greater issues
- Planning stories require action

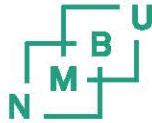


Research question:
how can we promote
sustainable landscape
democratic *change*?

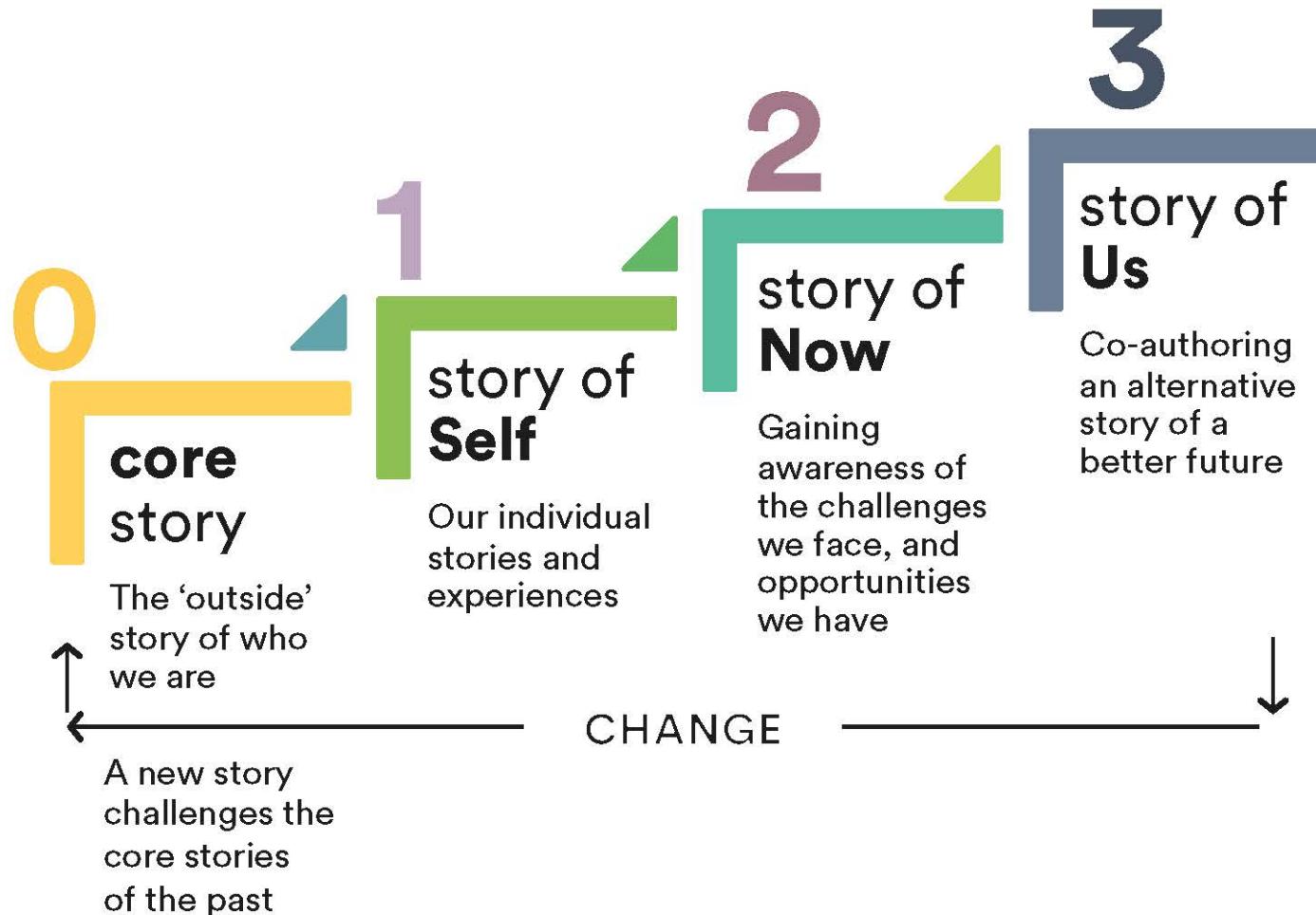


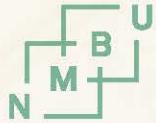
Theory Storytelling & communities

- Marshall Ganz (2011) Stories of change
- Core stories as the top-down narration of a place
 - **Story of ‘self’**
 - **Story of ‘now’**
 - **Story of the ‘future’**
- Stories as catalysts of social change
 - They can impel us to act
 - They can shift values and beliefs



storytelling





Core story: Zingonia, and the view from outside

qui nasce
ZINGONIA
la nuova città



qui nasce

ZINGONIA

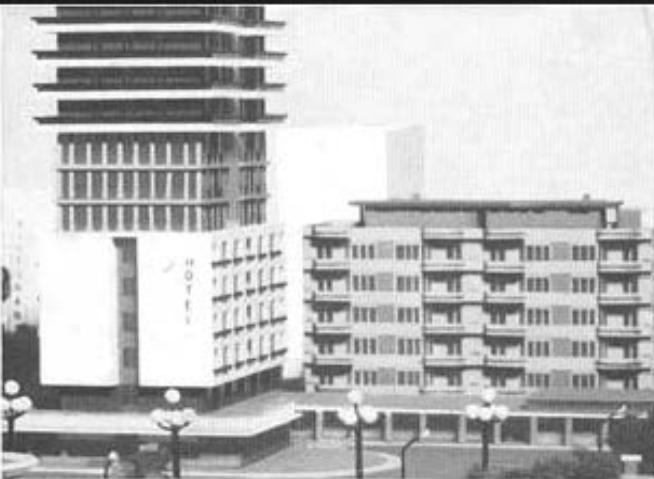
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Zingonia- facts

Verdello

- Begun 1964
- 2,000 acres across 5 municipalities
- Expected population 50,000
- Expected industrial sector 1,000
- Home to major corporations
 - Headquarters of Atalanta Football Team
 - Premier health industry and services
 - .89 jobs for each inhabitant

Zingonia



Una schematica veduta di Zingonia. Ecco come Zingonia è stata razionalmente ideata. Le zone residenziali sono separate da un « polmone » di verde dall'area industriale e il tutto gravita verso il centro cittadino.

Area Industriale	Zona a verde	Zona residenziale estensiva a villette	Zona residenziale semicentrale	Centro	Zona residenziale semicentrale	Zona a verde
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Un albero, case d'abitazione arieggiate situate in ampi spazi, strade ben illuminate che si armonizzano col paesaggio. Ciò mostra come sarà in futuro la città pianificata. L'albergo è un progetto come pure l'edificio accanto. Però numerose villette, palazzi d'abitazione e fabbriche sono già sorti lungo i molti chilometri di ampie strade asfaltate.

Pertanto v'invitiamo a visitare ZINGONIA. Vi troverete un Ufficio Informazioni, con personale qualificato pronto ad accompagnarti nella visita al nuovo centro urbanistico. E nel frattempo, per ulteriori informazioni potete scrivere, telefonare o telegrafare ai seguenti recapiti:

ZINGONE INIZIATIVE FONDIARIE

Milano, via Borromei 5, tel. 878.756
cable: Zingone, Milano

Zingonia (BG), corso Europa
tel. 035 - 807.061

Stampato in Zingonia
Aprile 1967

Una sola foto è più eloquente di mille parole. In poche efficaci immagini vi presentiamo perciò il prodigo d'una città nata razionalmente dal nulla ai piedi delle Alpi e nel cuore d'Europa. ZINGONIA, la nuova città dei 50 mila, programmata da Renzo Zingone, è un atto di fede nel dinamismo e nel lavoro umani. Il passato di Renzo Zingone come realizzatore di città si chiama « Quartiere Zingone », un centro di 8 mila anime alle soglie di Milano; il suo presente ha nome ZINGONIA, la città dei 50 mila; il futuro è il progetto di una Firenze-delle-colline.





Osio Sotto

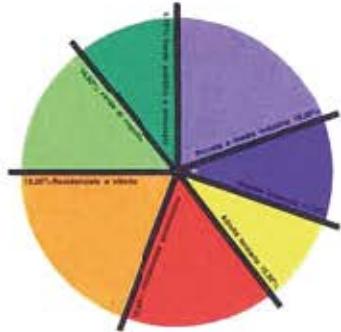
Verdello

Verdellino

Boltiere

Ciserano





Quadro generale

Area industriale - grande industria
mq. 846.000

Area industriale - piccola e media
industria
mq. 1.466.000

Residenziale semiespansiva
mq. 1.255.000

Insediamenti terziari mq. 780.000

Residenziale estensiva a villette
mq. 1.467.000

Verde di rispetto mq. 1.102.000

Verde pubblico e attrezzato
mq. 704.000

(Aprile 1985)

Nella tavola a fianco:

Canale navigabile

Verde attrezzato e pubblico

Verde boschivo

Verde di rispetto

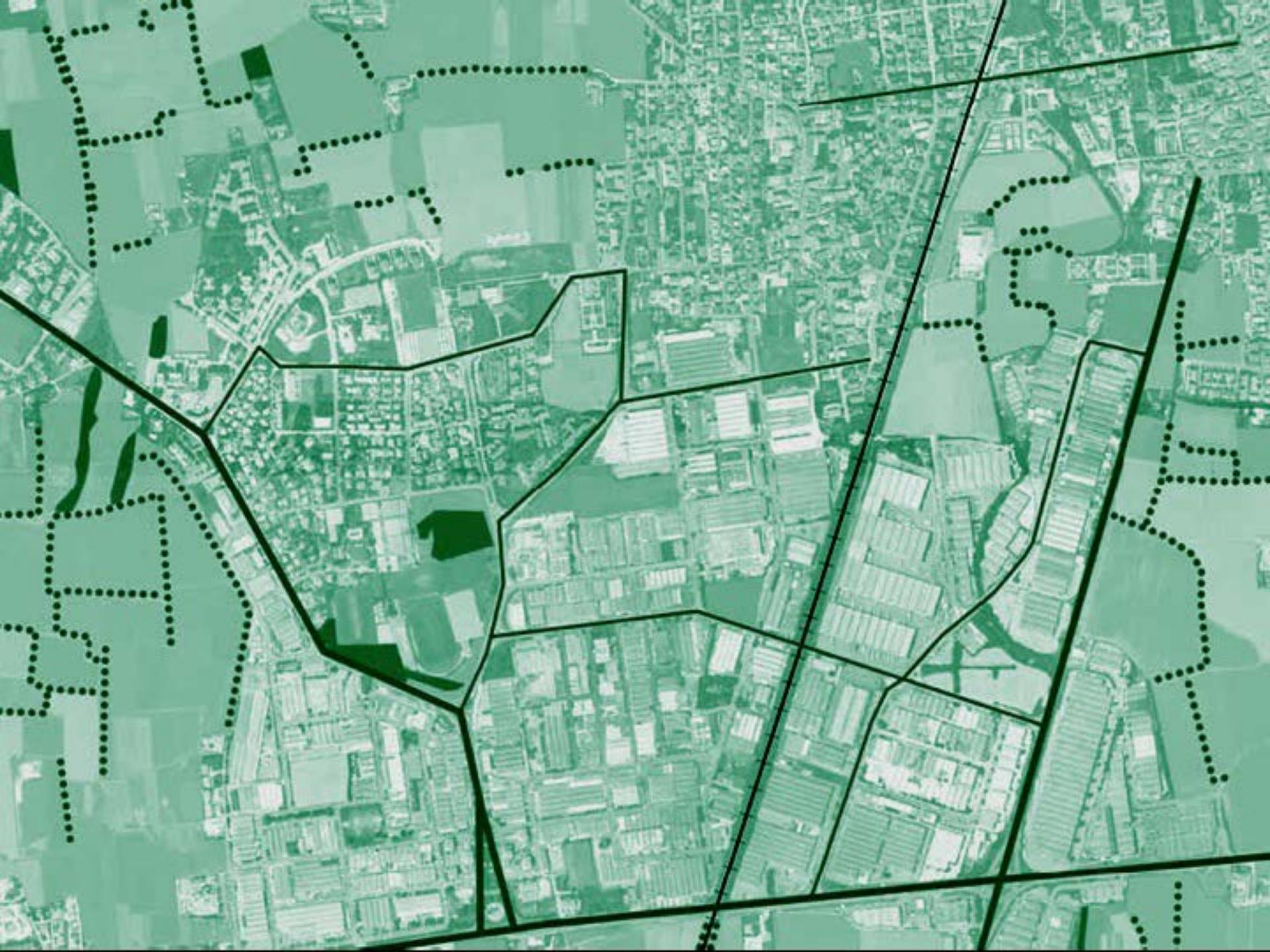
Quartieri residenziali

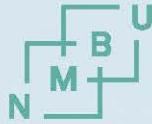
Zona residenziale a villette

Attività terziarie

Zona industriale





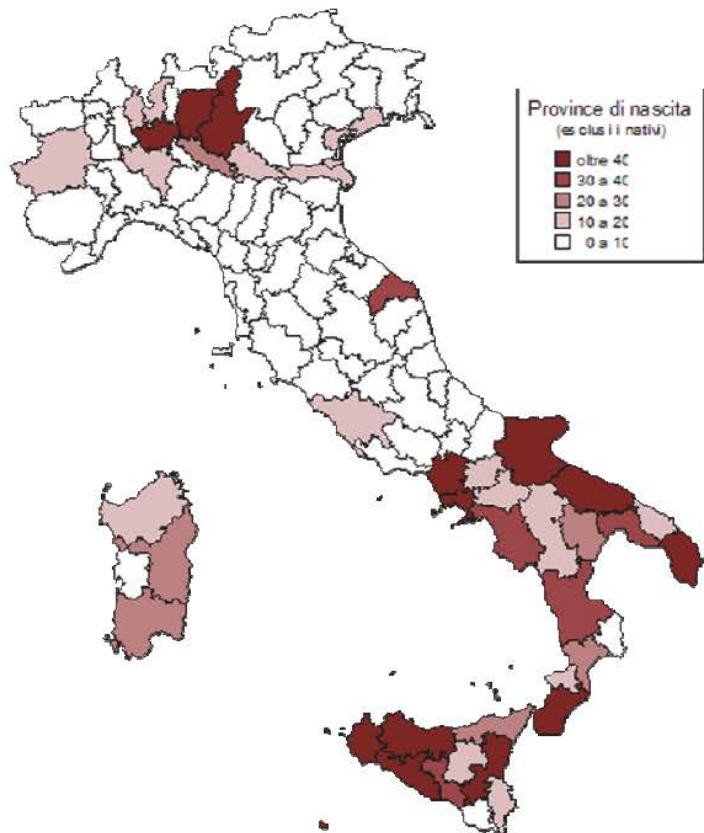


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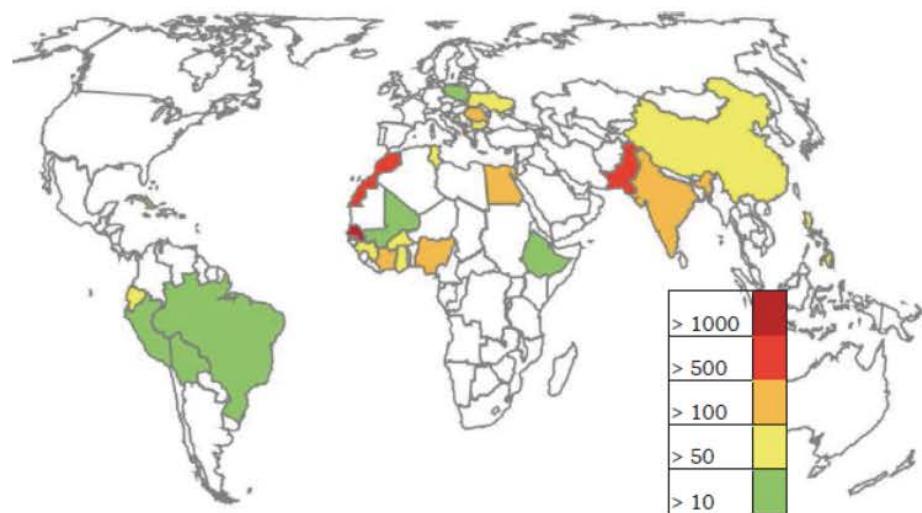
The story of self: Zingonia, and its people



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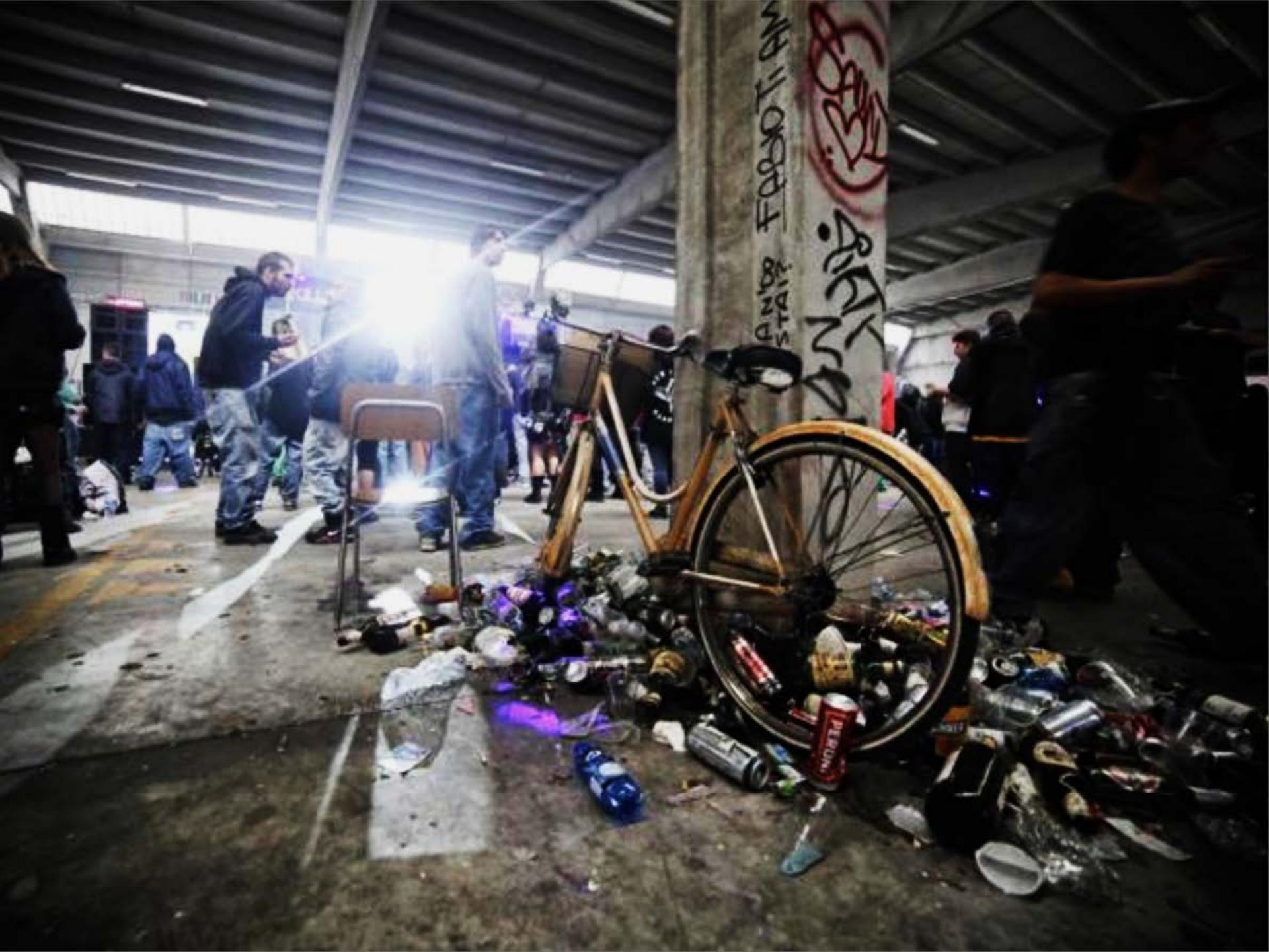


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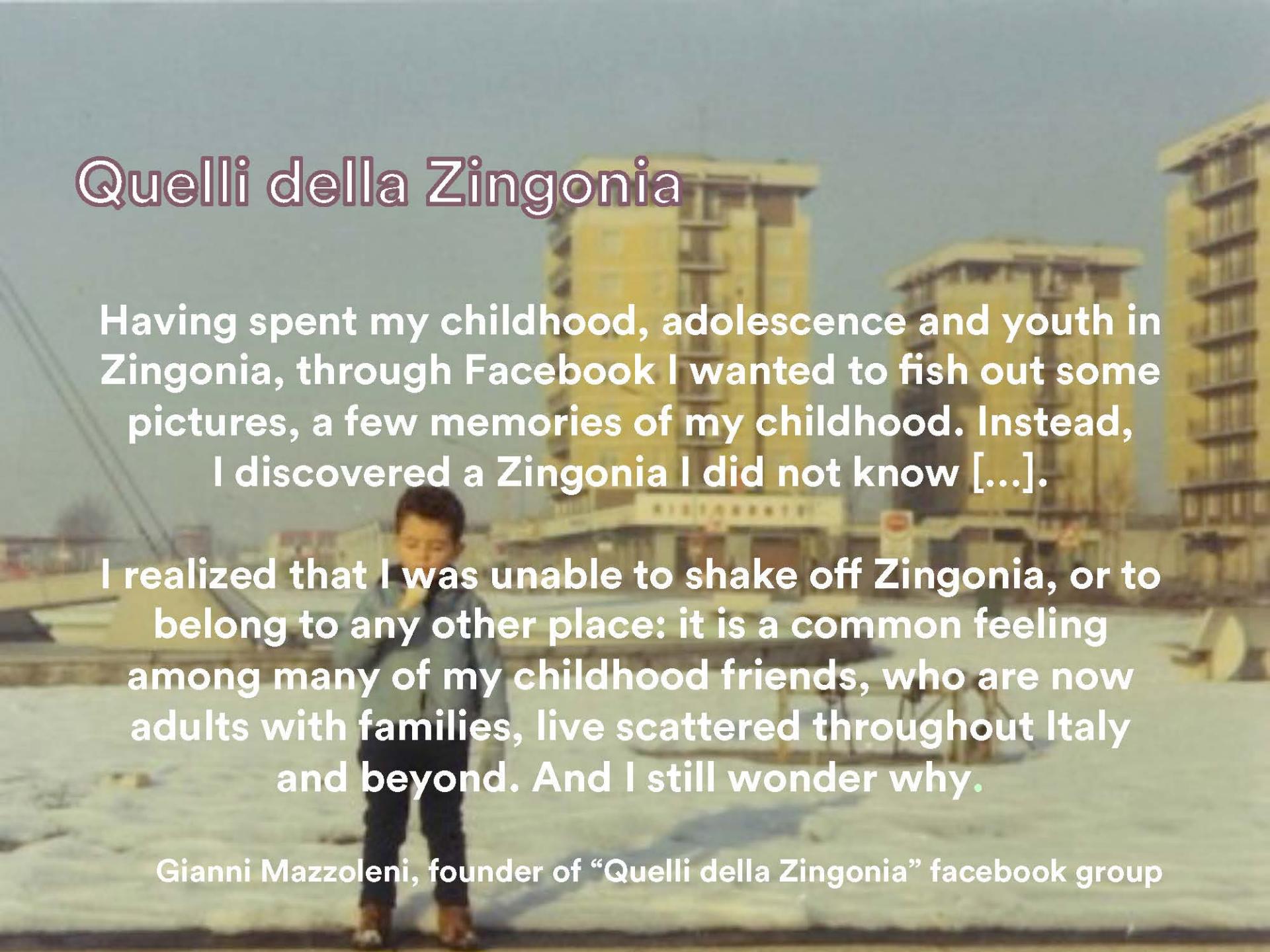








Quelli della Zingonia

A vintage-style photograph showing a young boy with dark hair, wearing a light-colored shirt and dark trousers, standing on a sandy beach. He is looking down at something in his hands. In the background, there are several large, modern-looking apartment buildings with many windows. The sky is clear and blue.

Having spent my childhood, adolescence and youth in Zingonia, through Facebook I wanted to fish out some pictures, a few memories of my childhood. Instead, I discovered a Zingonia I did not know [...].

I realized that I was unable to shake off Zingonia, or to belong to any other place: it is a common feeling among many of my childhood friends, who are now adults with families, live scattered throughout Italy and beyond. And I still wonder why.

Gianni Mazzoleni, founder of “Quelli della Zingonia” facebook group

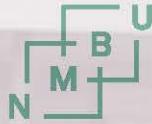
Survey results // risultati del questionario



Can you point out on the map the place you feel most attached to?

Puoi segnare sulla mappa il luogo a cui sei piu' affezionato?





The story of now: Challenges and opportunities for a livable Zingonia

2008	Neighborhood Contract
2011	Urban Design Workshop I
2012	Masterplan Zingonia
	Zingonia 3.0
2013	Parking-Day 2013
2014	UniverCity 1st Lecture
	Urban Design Workshop II
	Parking-Day 2014
	Zingonia Colouring Book
	Zingonia UniverCity Workshop
	First project evaluation
2015	Condominio sociale
2016	LED Erasmus + Intensive Workshop
June 2017	PAR evaluation

CONCLUSION

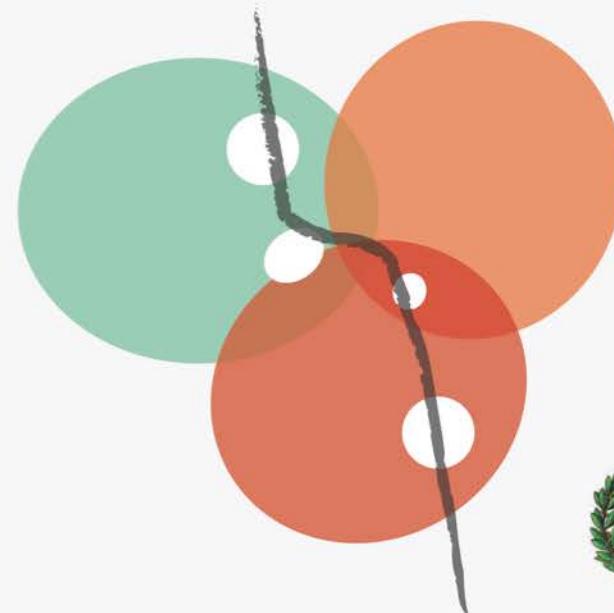


Salute da **ZINGONIA**



“Salute da Zingonia:”

Towards the re-birth of
Zingonia as an economically,
environmentally and
humanly supportive place



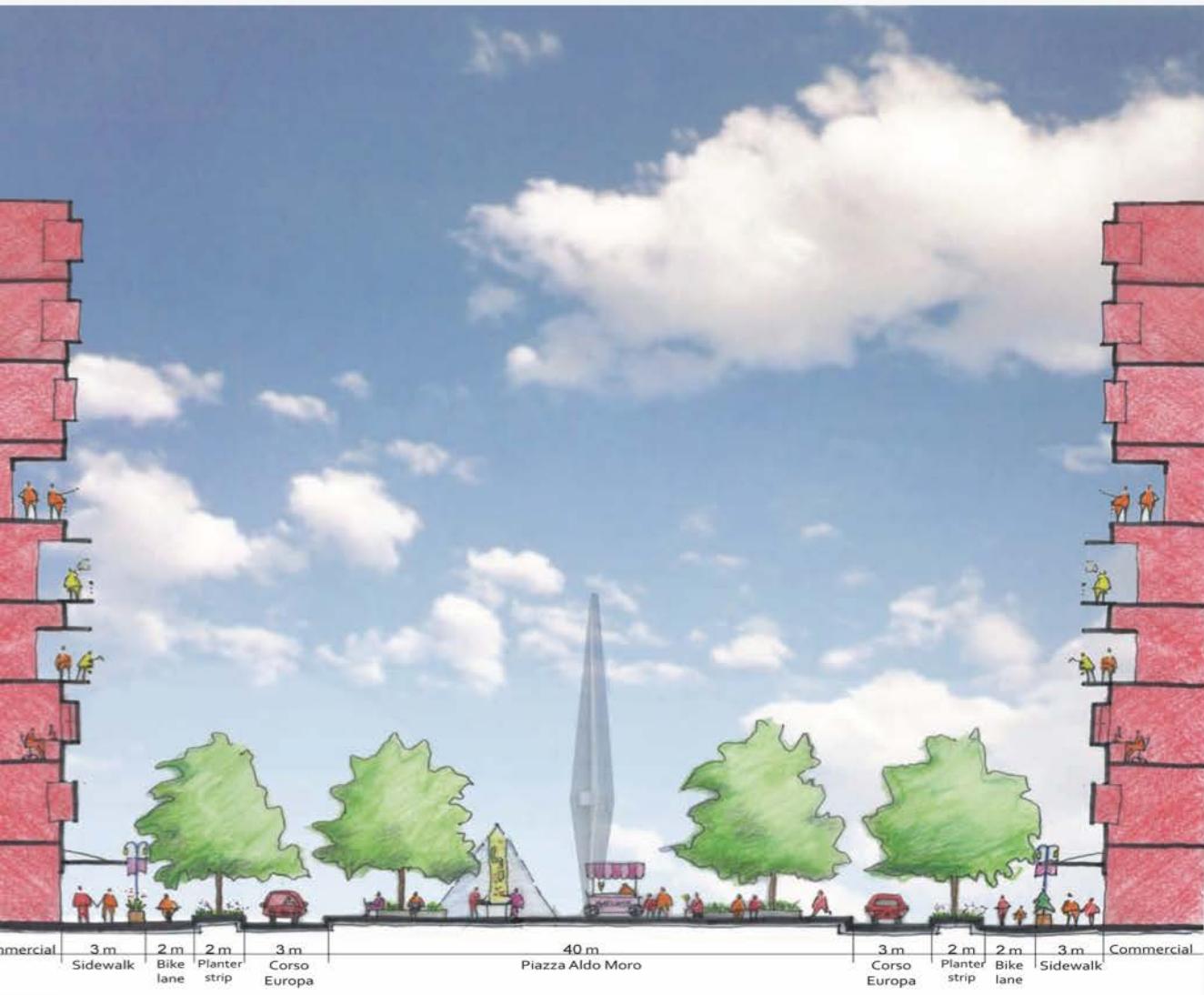
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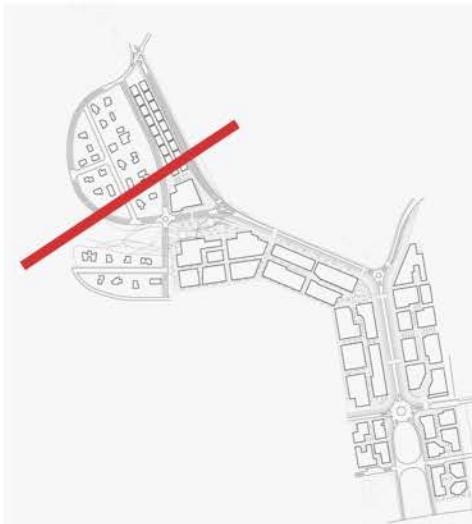
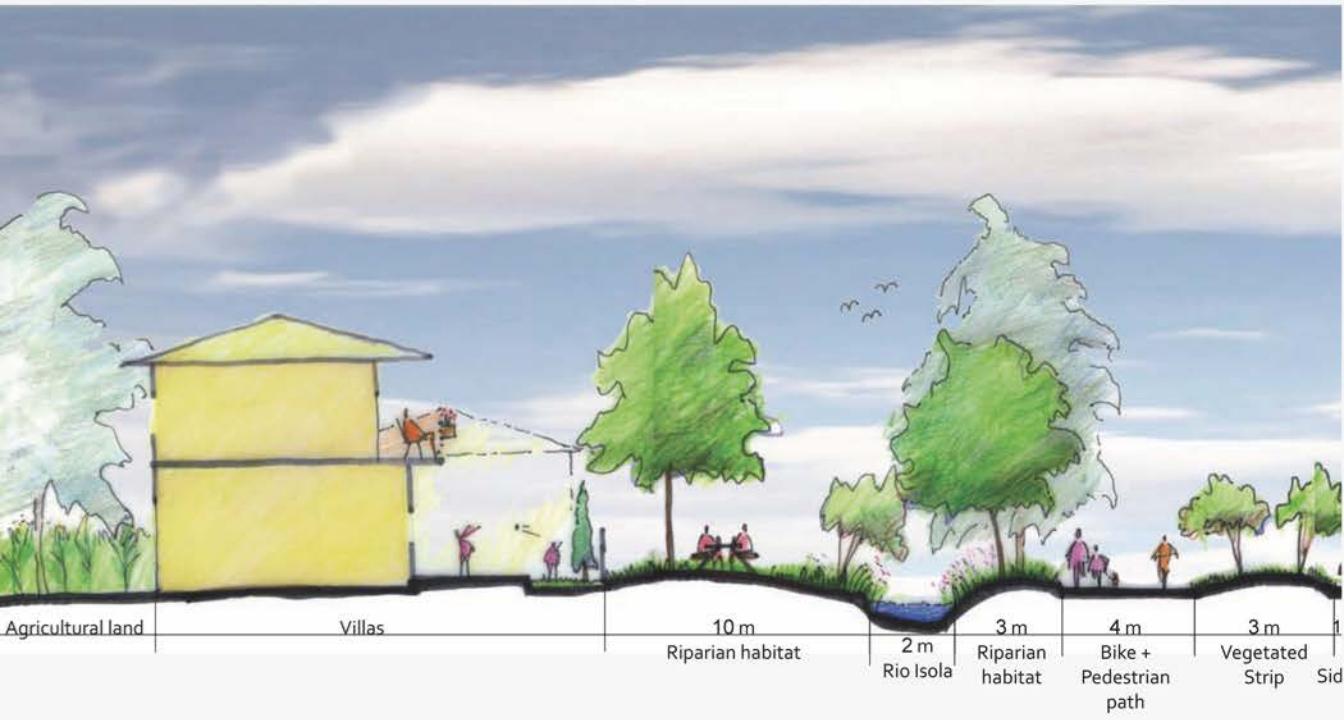
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SECTION

Salute da



Subjective analysis of paths // analisi soggettiva dei percorsi

The structure of the street with trees in the middle decrease comfort for pedestrians and bicyclists. Modify traffic to increase sense of comfort and safety.

La struttura delle strade con gli alberi in mezzo abbassa il livello di comfort. Modificate la viabilità per migliorare il comfort e la sicurezza.



Corso Asia

Dangerous blind spots. Create connection with Piazza Affari and Corso Europa to make this area more frequented.

Vicoli ciechi che favoriscono la criminalità. Creare connessioni con Piazza Affari e Corso Europa per rendere questa area più frequentata.



Piazza Affari

Reduce driveway section to increase walkability/bikeability and revitalize the commercial activities isolated by heavy traffic.

Ridurre la sezione carrabile per migliorare la viabilità pedonale e ciclabile, rivotalizzando le attività isolate dall'ingente traffico.



Corso Europa

The pedestrians and cyclist experience could be improved, reducing the driveway to a oneway street.

L'esperienza di ciclisti e pedoni può essere migliorata riducendo la carrabile ad una strada a senso unico.



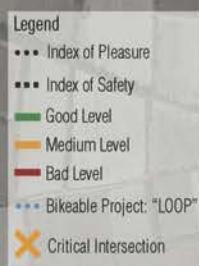
Viale Oleandri



Intersections

Many critical intersections that are impractical for pedestrians and bicyclists. Improvement for easier accesess.

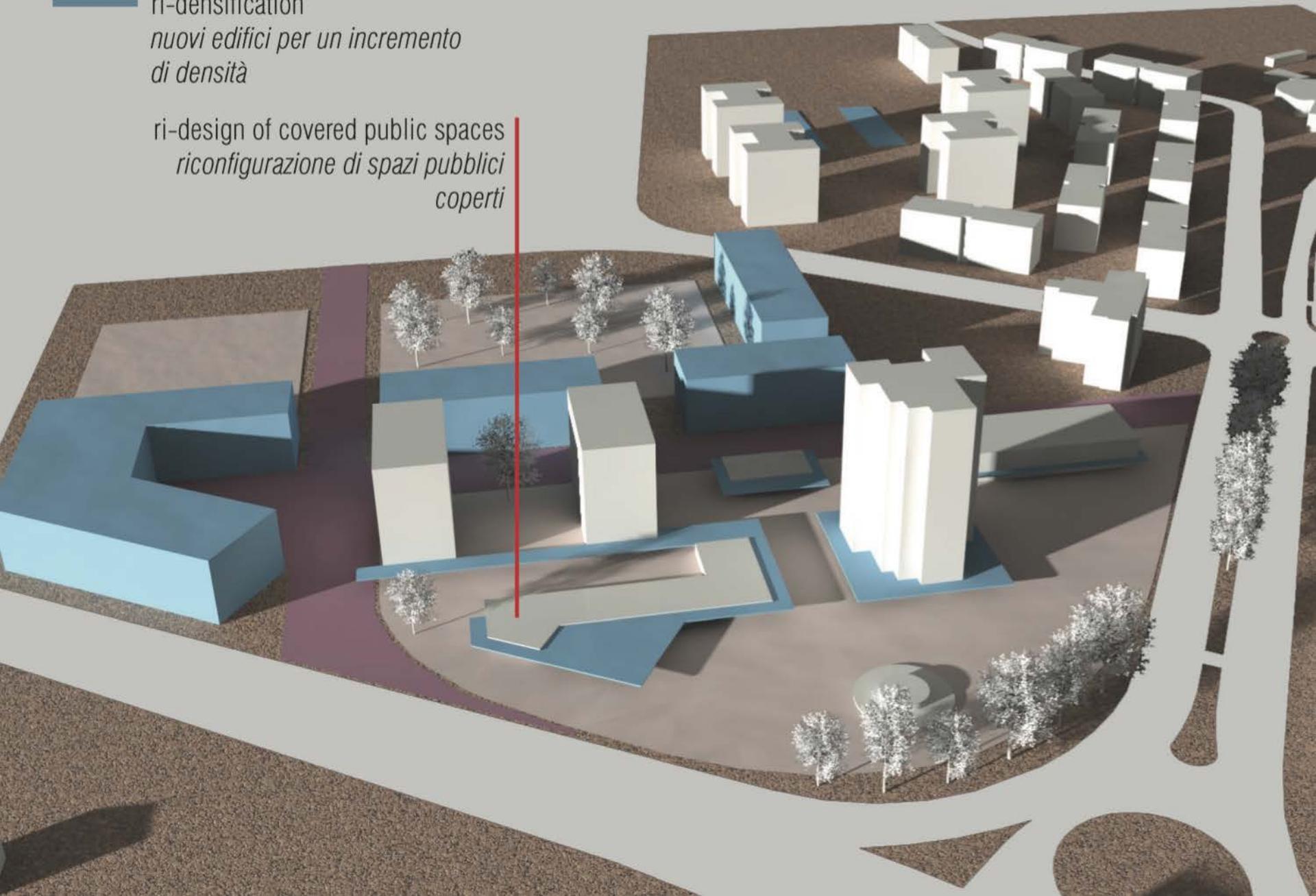
Molti incroci critici, pericolosi per pedoni e ciclisti. Miglioramenti per accessi più facili.

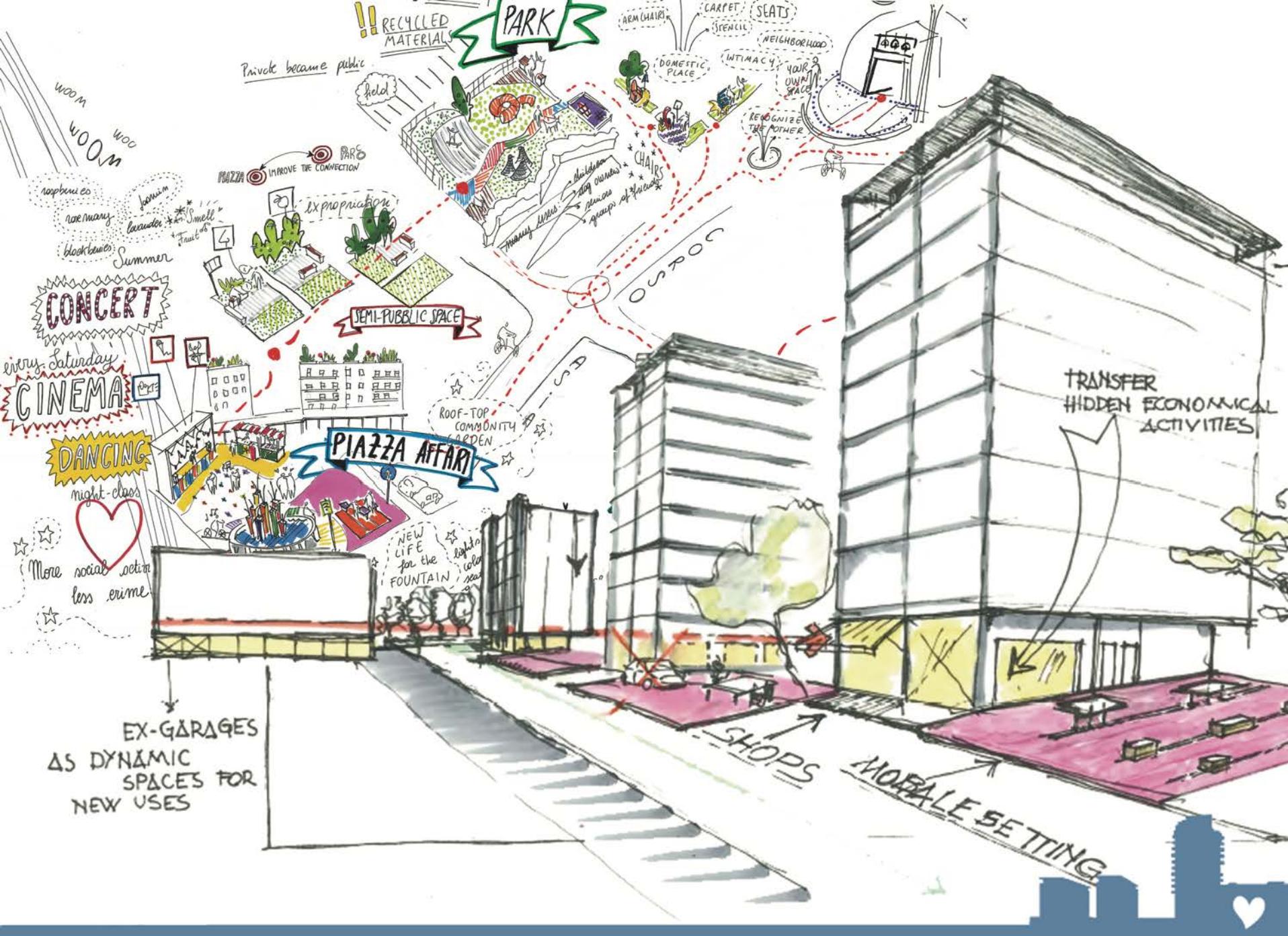


new buildings for a
ri-densification

*nuovi edifici per un incremento
di densità*

ri-design of covered public spaces
*riconfigurazione di spazi pubblici
coperti*





Zingonia - Piazza affari

WWW.PARKINGDAY.ORG
MY.PARKINGDAY.ORG

PARK(ING) DAY

SABATO 21 SETTEMBRE 2013



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ZINGONIA
Una storia da scrivere³⁰

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PARK ING DAY

50th ANNIVERSARY EDITION

Zingonia,
Piazza Affari
dalle h. 11.00 alle h. 17.00



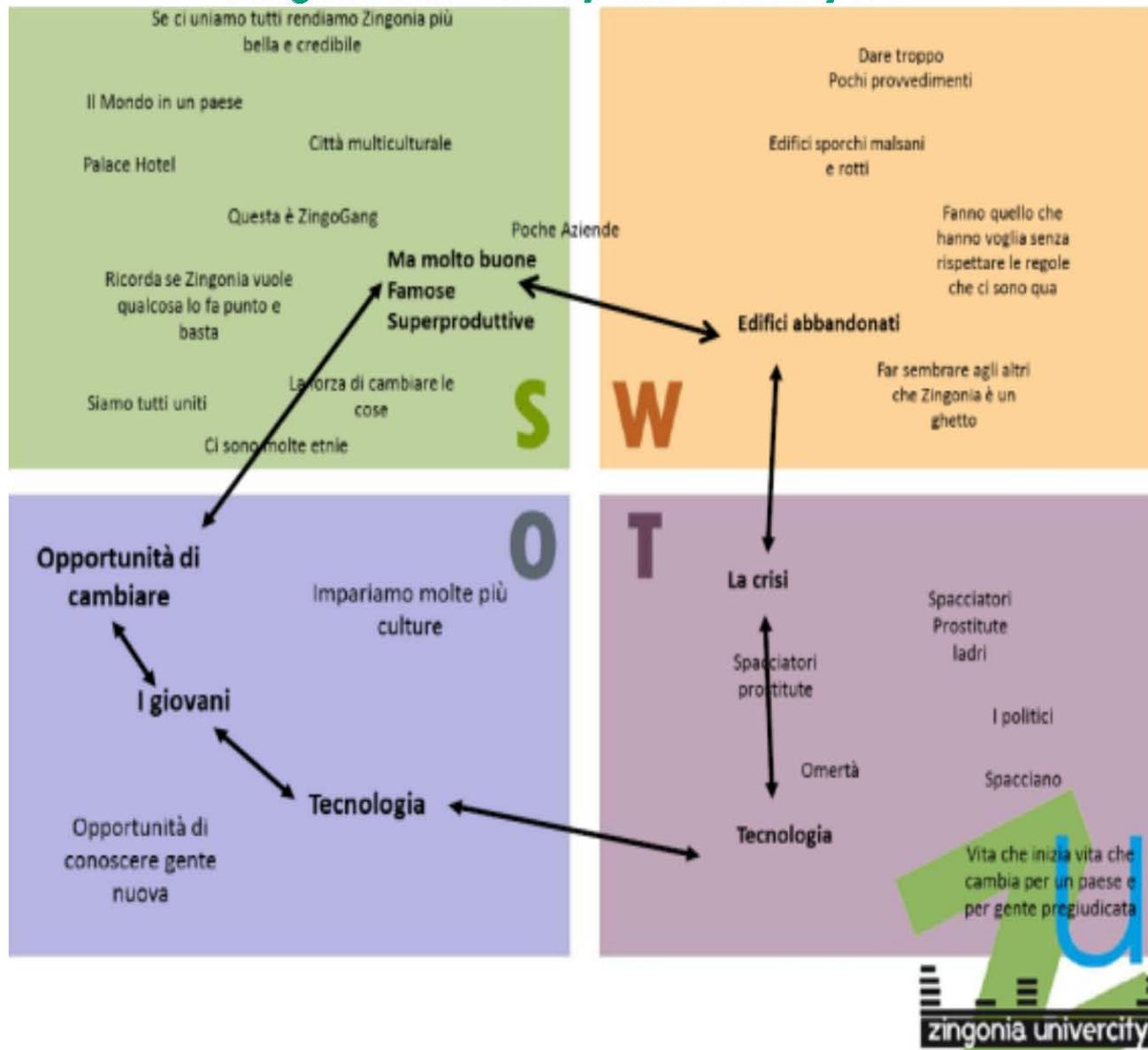
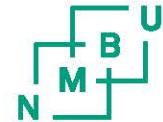




citizen science



Zingonia UniverCity SWOT analysis





ZINGONIA

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la nuova noccia

VACCHIO 100% CIOCCOLATO



Discourse 1: initial vision
Source: development literature



Discourse 2: ambitions of early residents
Sources: focus group

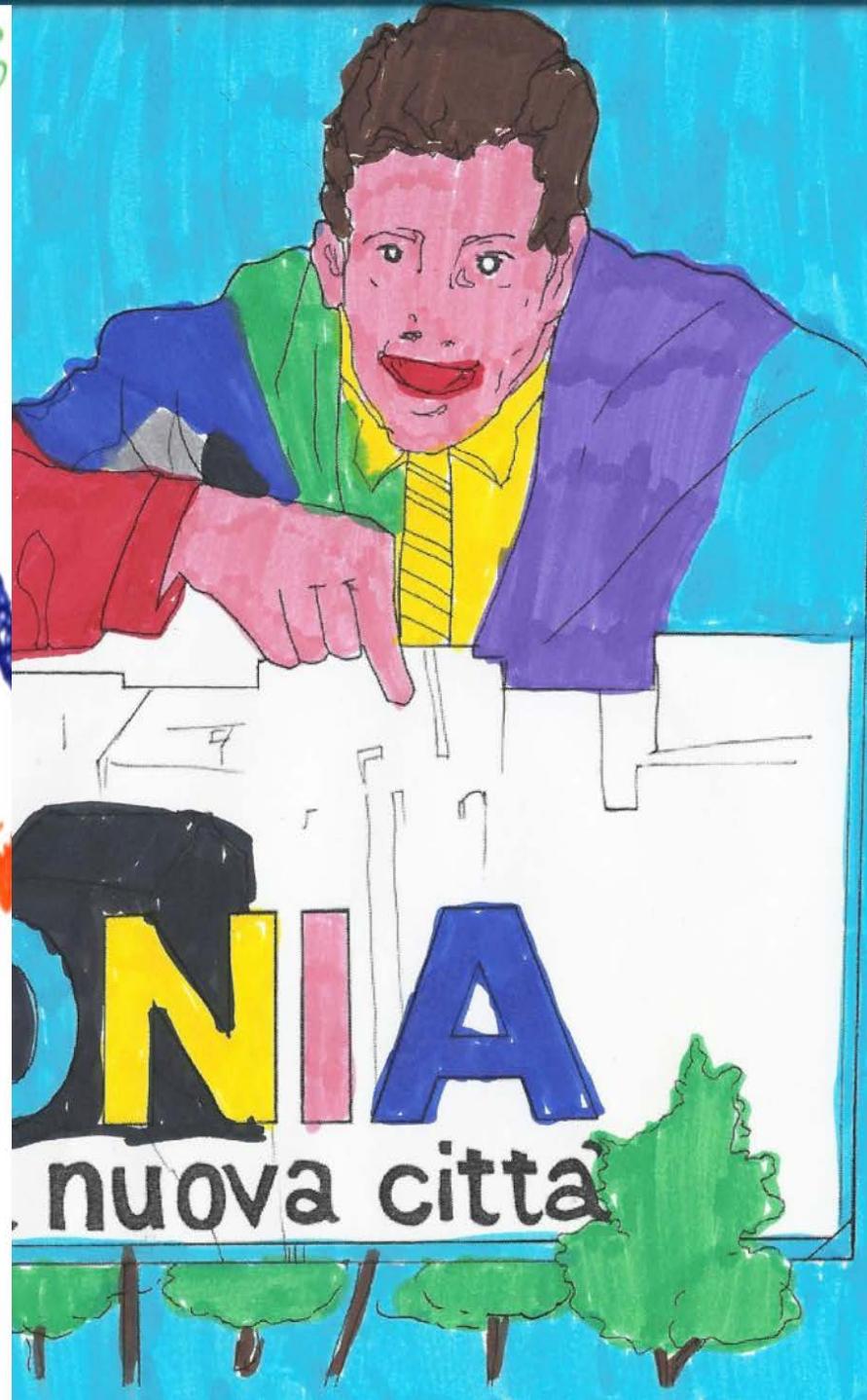
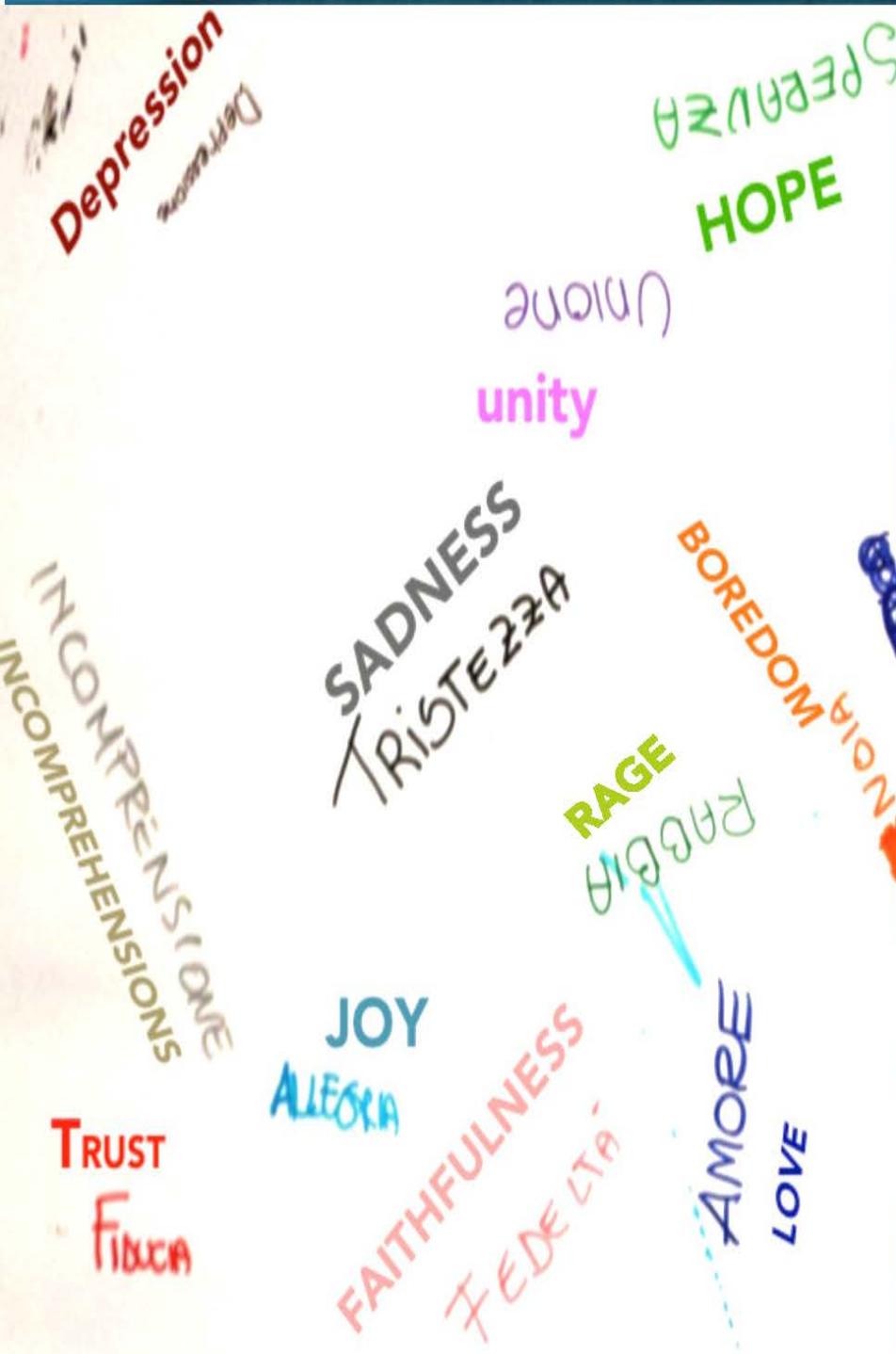
qui nasce ZINGONIA

Non un quartiere, ma una vera e propria città!

UNA CITTÀ MODERNA DEVE MANTENERE UN
RAPPORTO EQUILIBRATO E CREDIBILE TRA IL
PASSATO E IL FUTURO A CUI TENDE.

*CITTÀ NUOVA SI,
MA MANTENENDO LE SUE
RADICI!*

**Discourse 2: theories of
sustainable development**
Sources: literature review



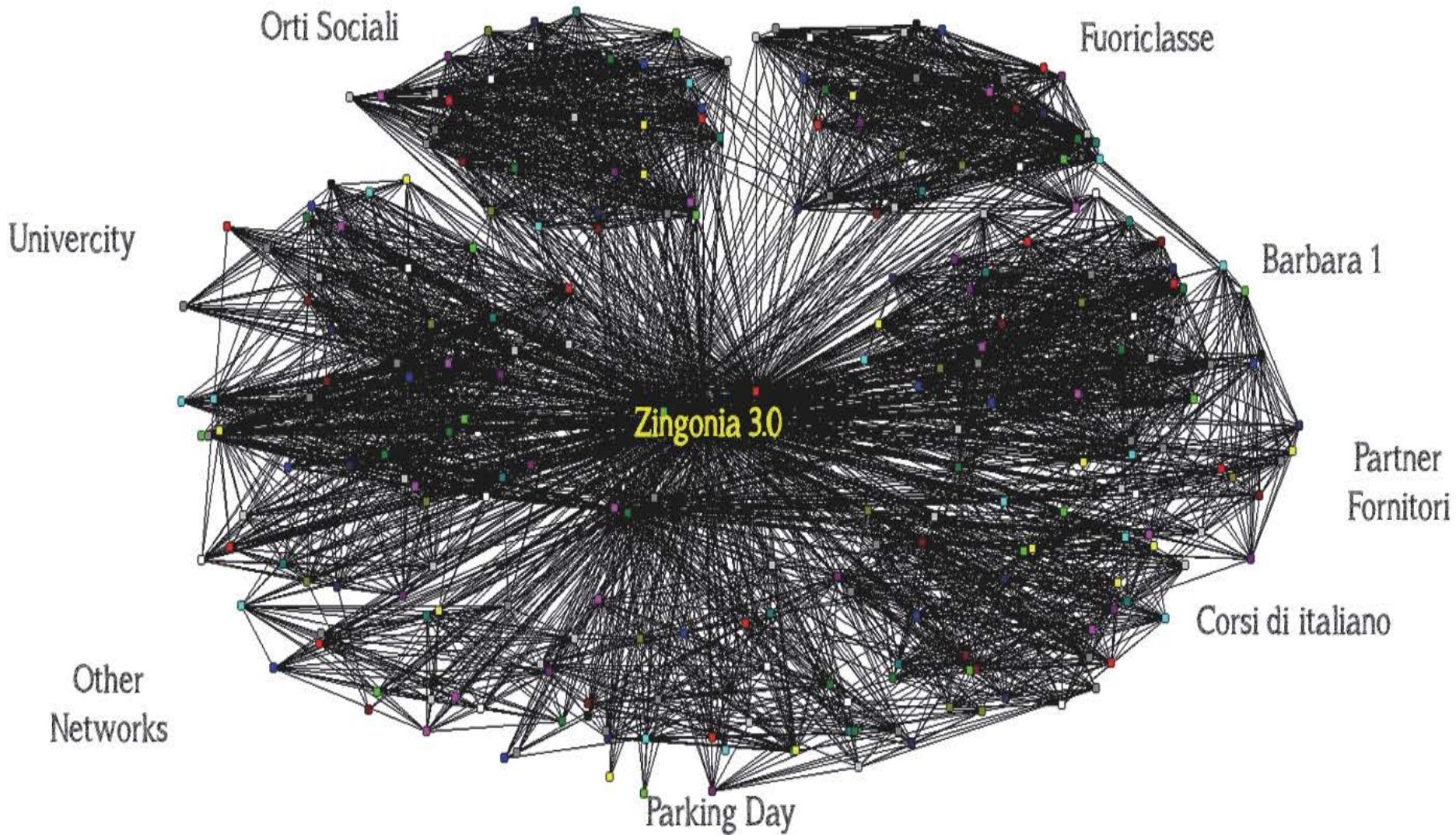
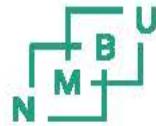
Gallery



ZINGONIA®



Social Network Analysis



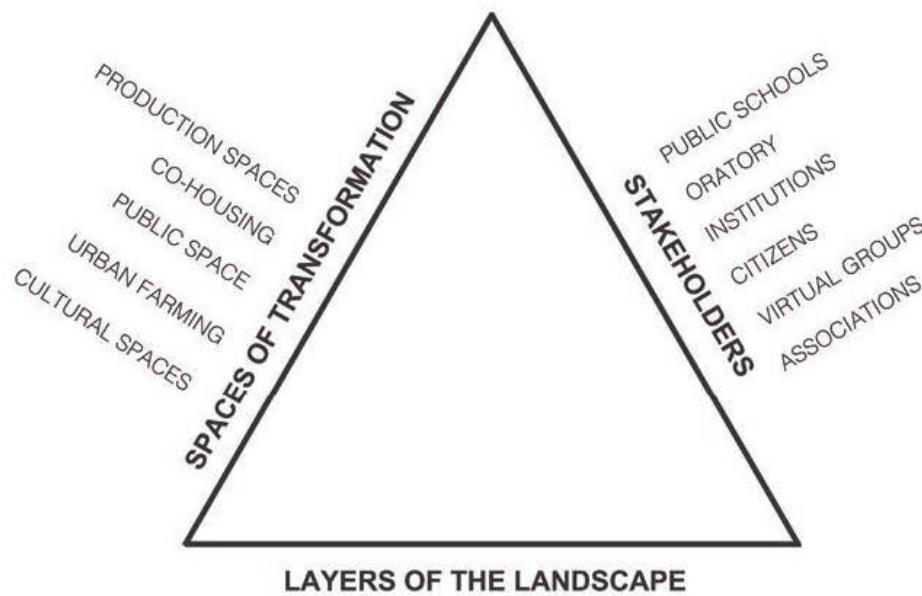






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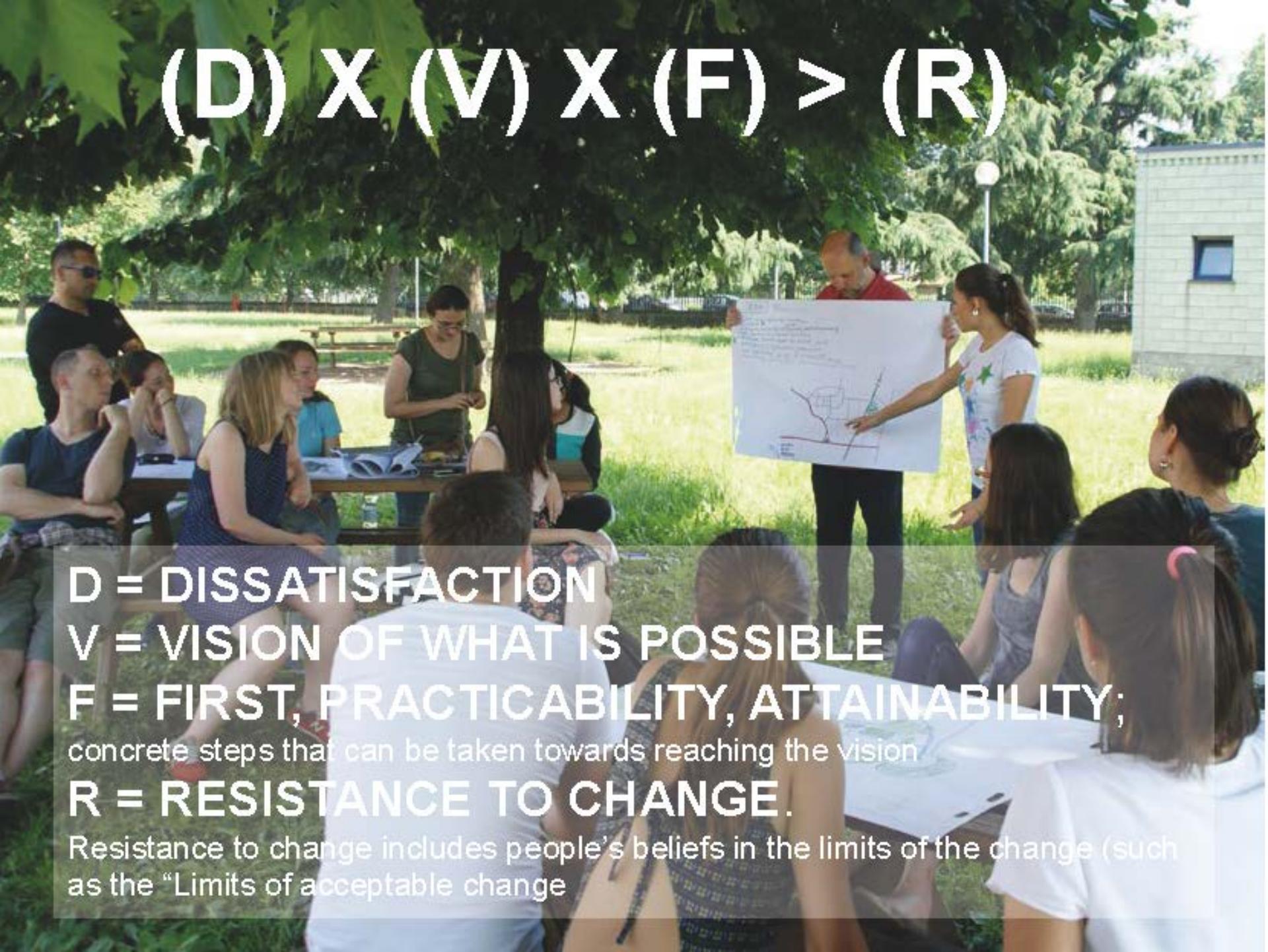
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LANDSCAPE

(D) X (V) X (F) > (R)



D = DISSATISFACTION

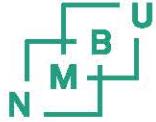
V = VISION OF WHAT IS POSSIBLE

F = FIRST, PRACTICABILITY, ATTAINABILITY;

concrete steps that can be taken towards reaching the vision

R = RESISTANCE TO CHANGE.

Resistance to change includes people's beliefs in the limits of the change (such as the "Limits of acceptable change")



$$(D) \times (V) \times (F) > (R)$$

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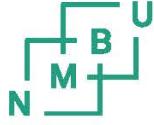
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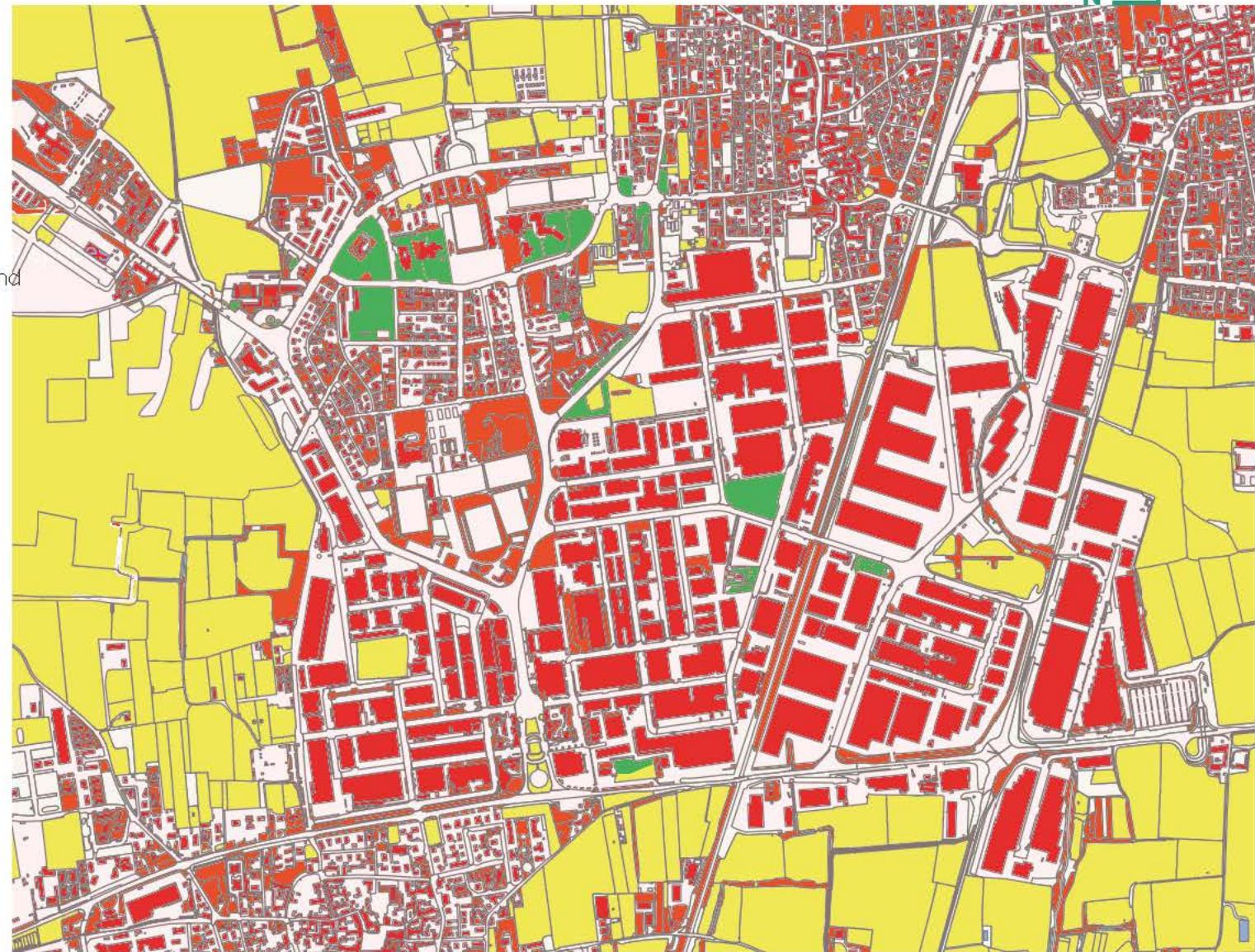
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MEMBERS: **Serena Indaco, Ibrahim Almardini, Izabella Czél**

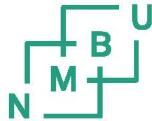


The map/ Una scommessa è stata vinta

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SWOT analysis/ Swot analisi



Hard work attitude
Agricultural background

Strength

Weaknesses



Qualification don't match the market
Lack of connection with the land

Opportunities

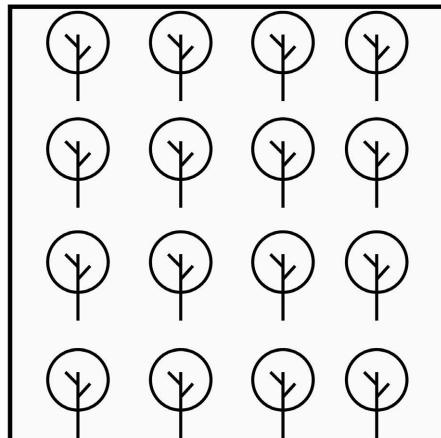
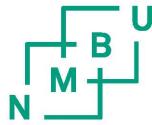
Threats

Availability of green open spaces
Problematic private spaces
A range of diverse skills, knowledge and abilities

Lack of interest
“Lack of will to try”
isolation of open spaces
high price of local life

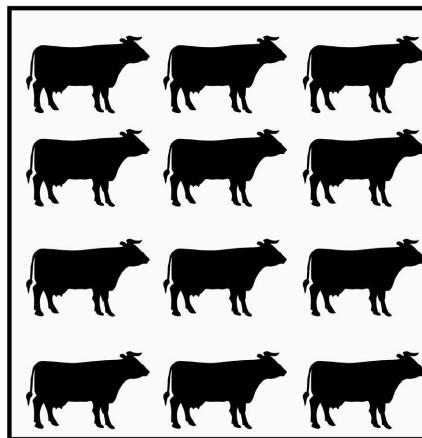


Farm animals: How many animals fit in 100m²? / Animali da fattoria: Quanti animali ci possono stare in 100 m² ?



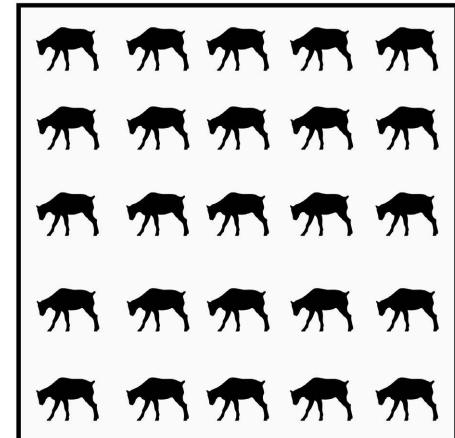
Fruit trees

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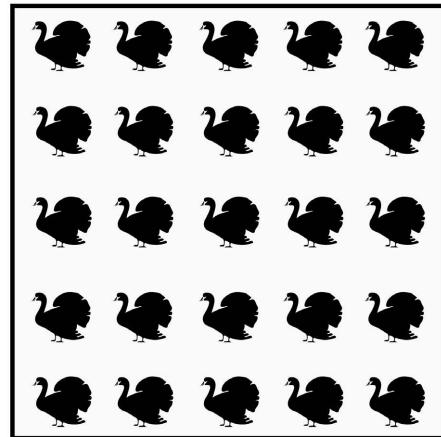
Cows

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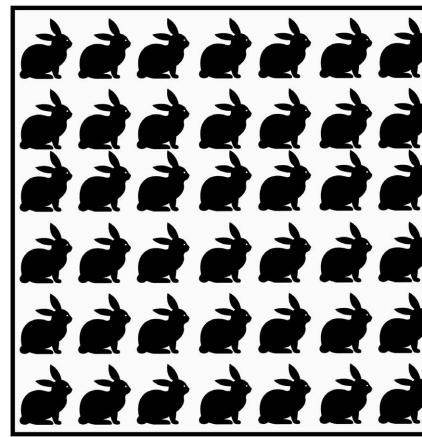
Goats

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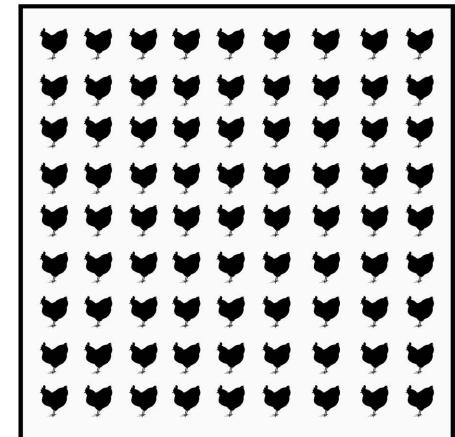
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Rabbits

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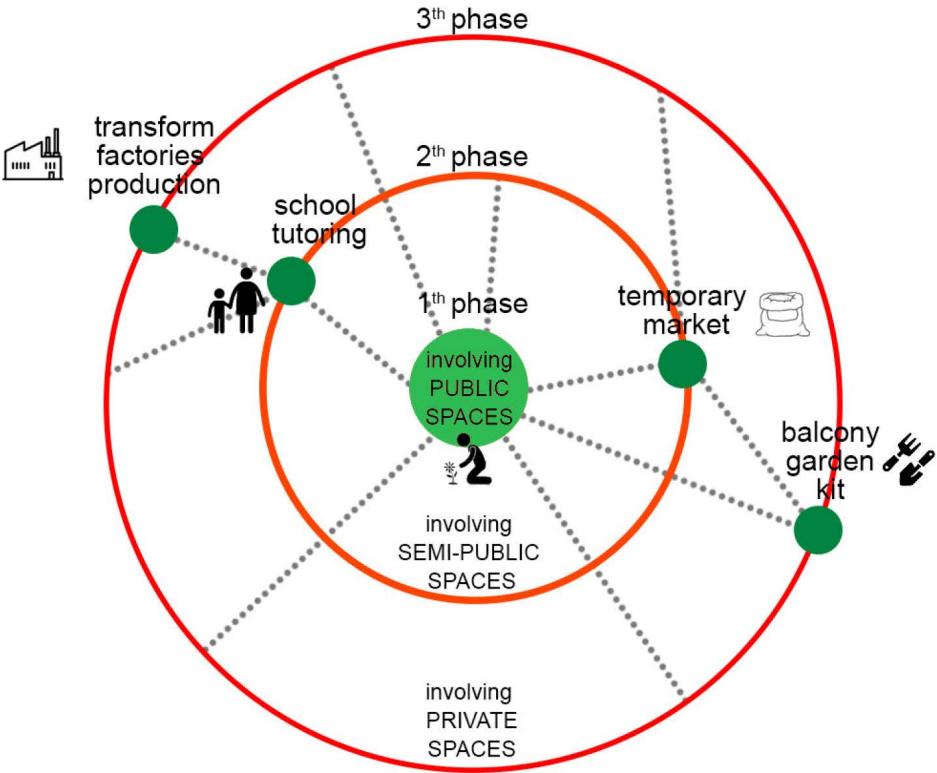


Chickens

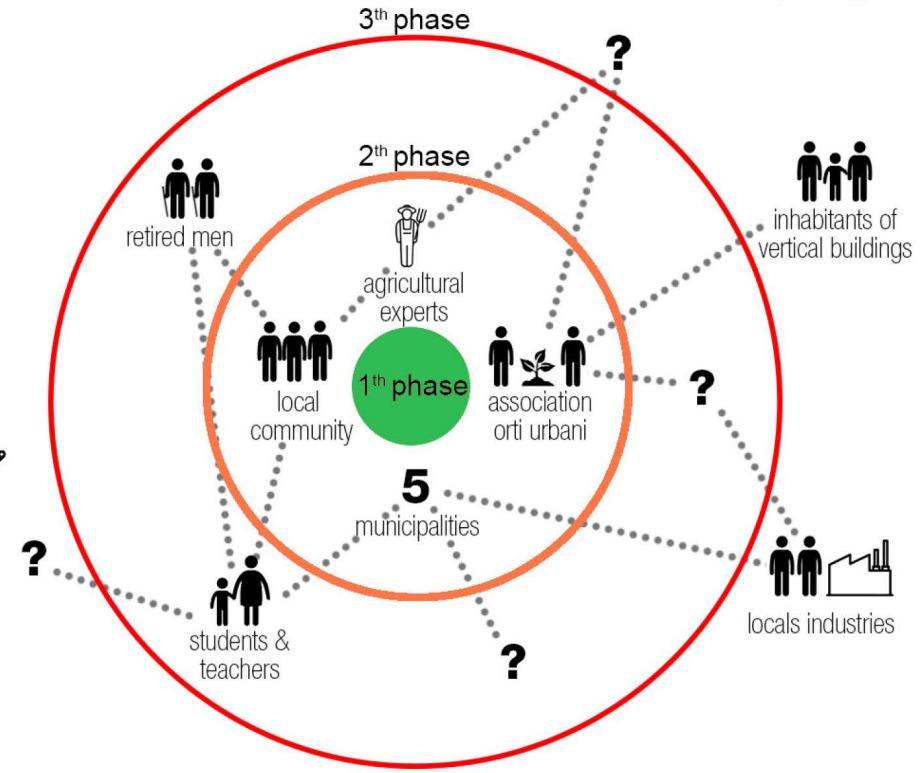
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The strategy / La strategia



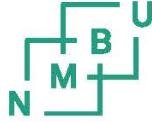
The power map / La mappa dei poteri



1st Phase: Visualisations / 1 fase: Immagini

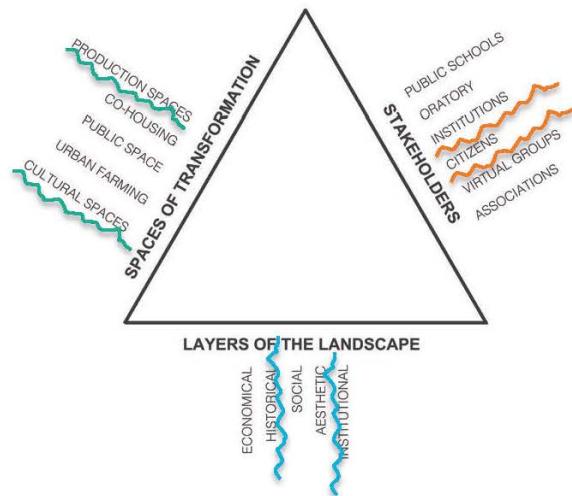
2nd Phase: Visualisations / 2 fase: Immagini

3rd Phase: Visualisations / 3 fase: Immagini



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MEMBERS: **Attila Szüz, Evgeniia Telnykh, Flora Lugosi,
Vera Hausmanns**



VIEW TO ALPES

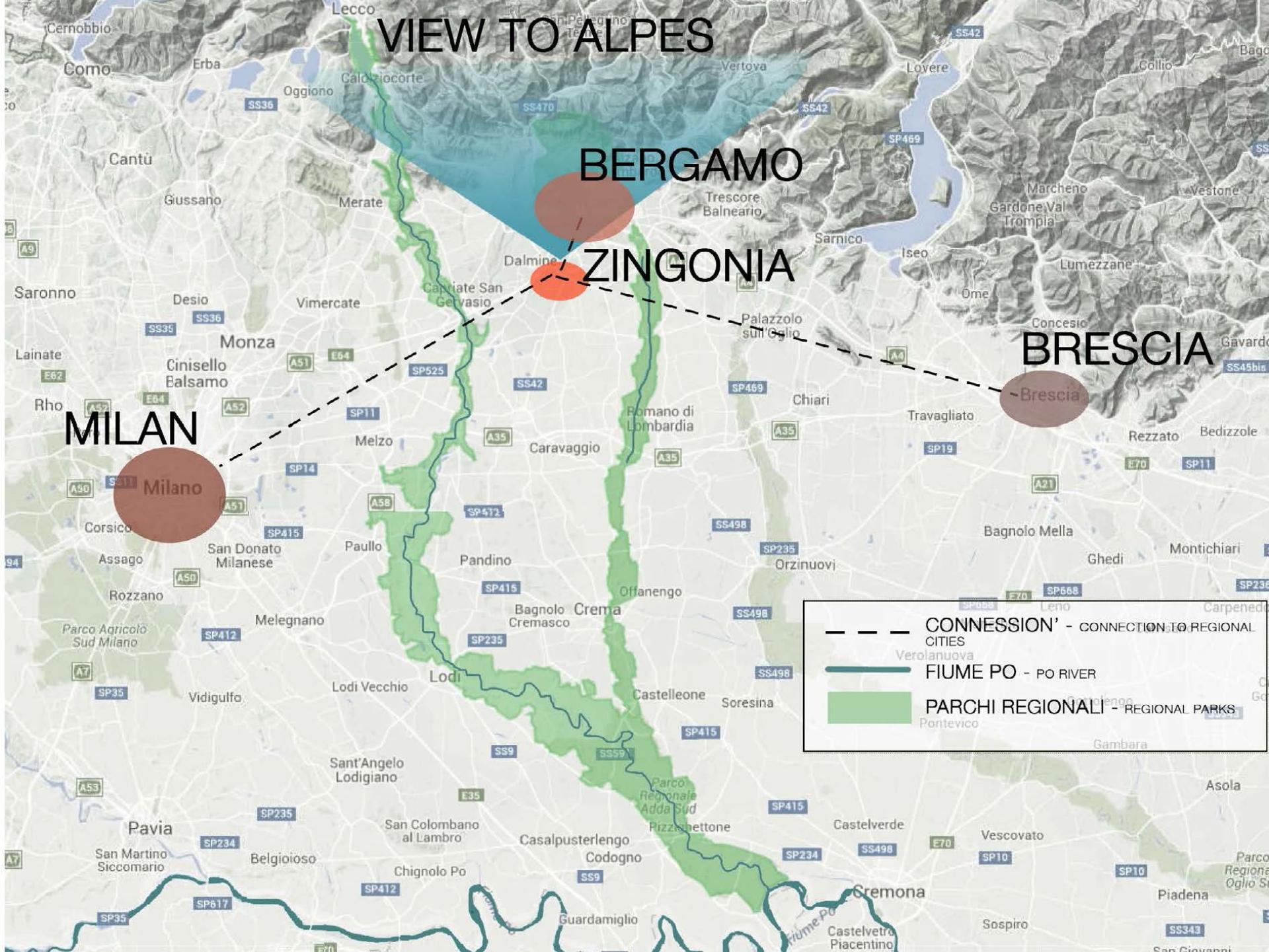
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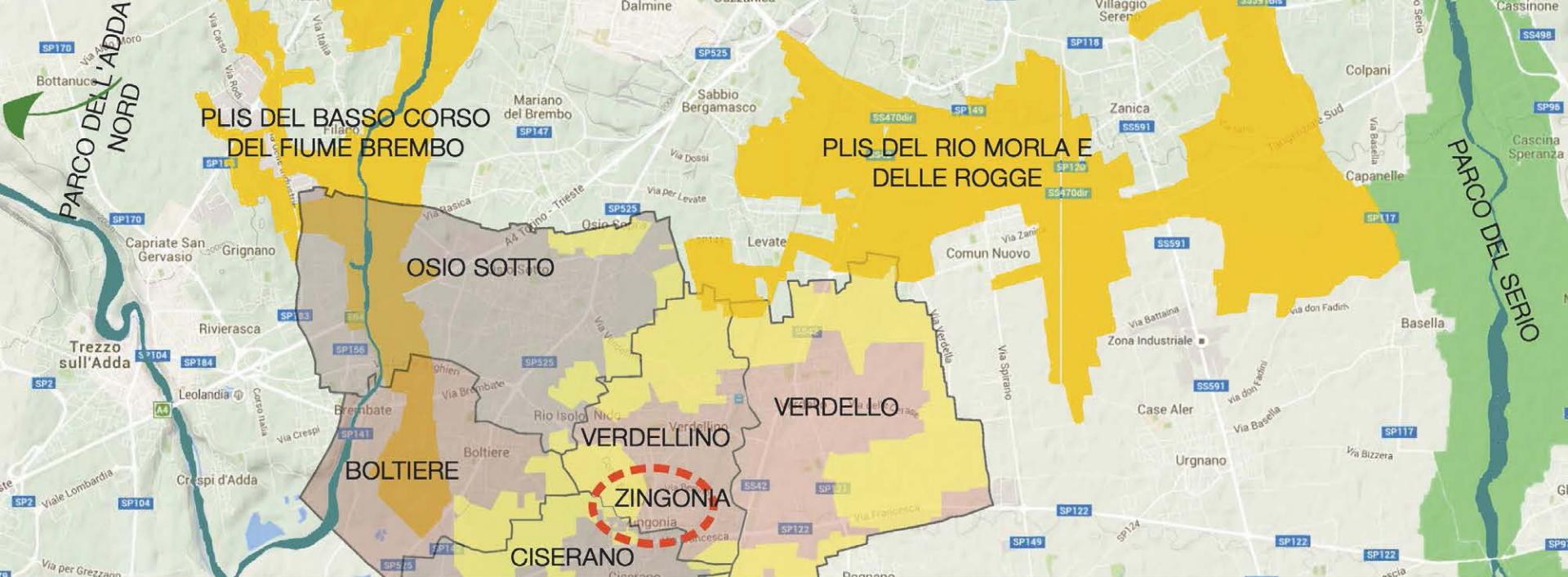
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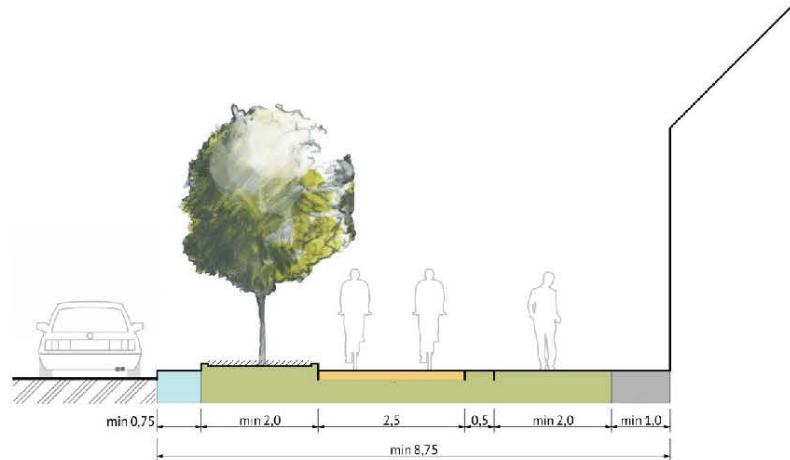
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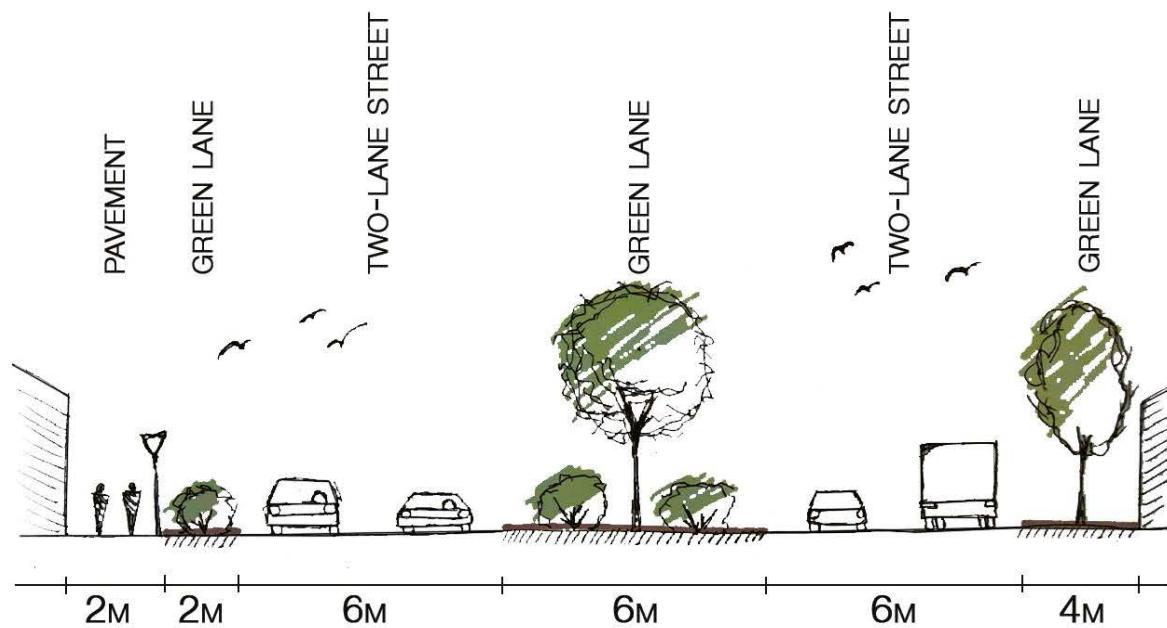


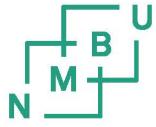


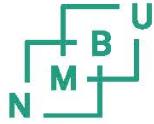
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marciapiede/technical sidewalk	0,75 M
prato/lawn	2 M
pista ciclabile/bicycle trail	2,5 M
distanza di sicurezza/safe distance	0,5 M
percorso pedonale/pedestrian footpath	2 M
pavimentazione/pavement	1 M

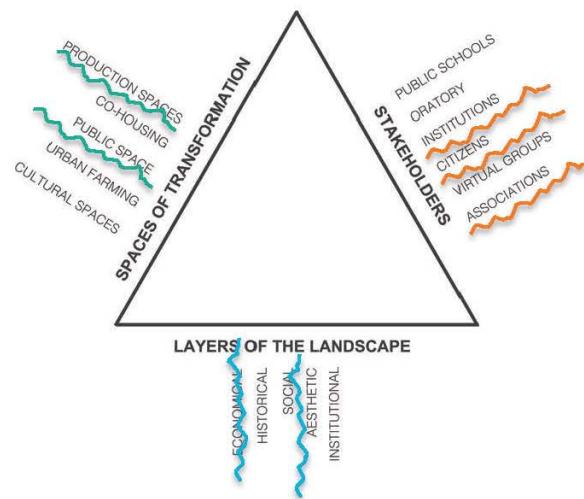






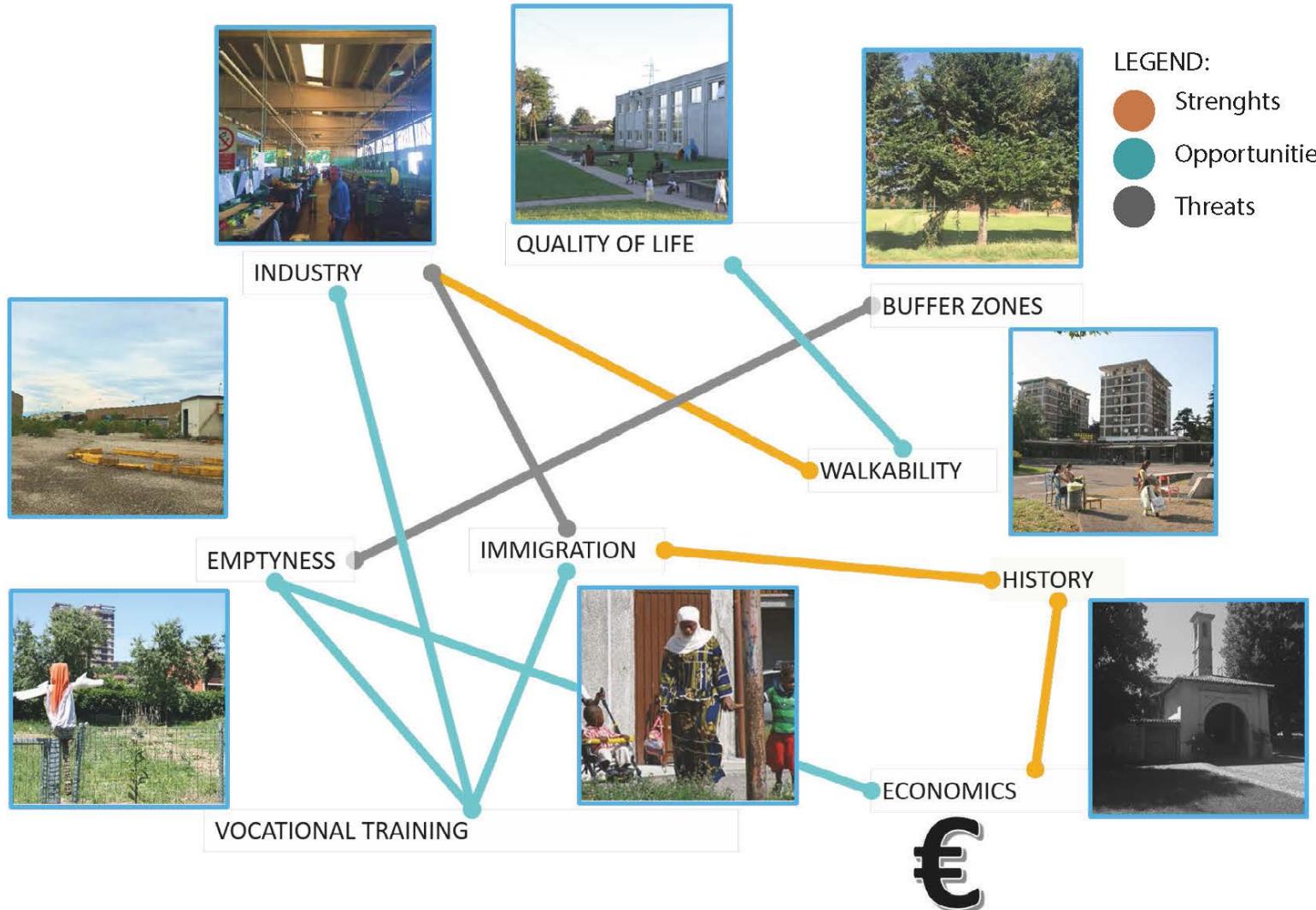
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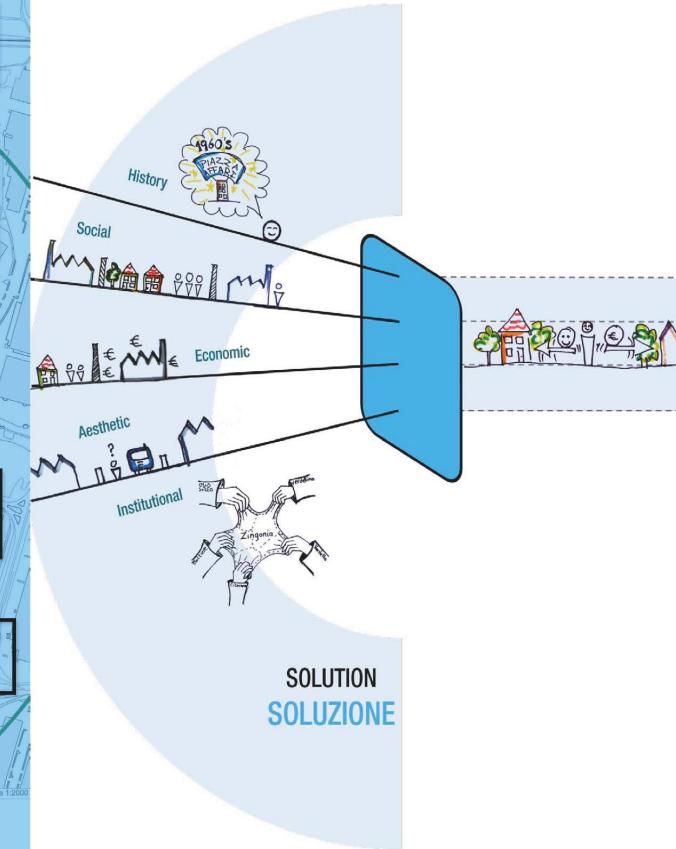
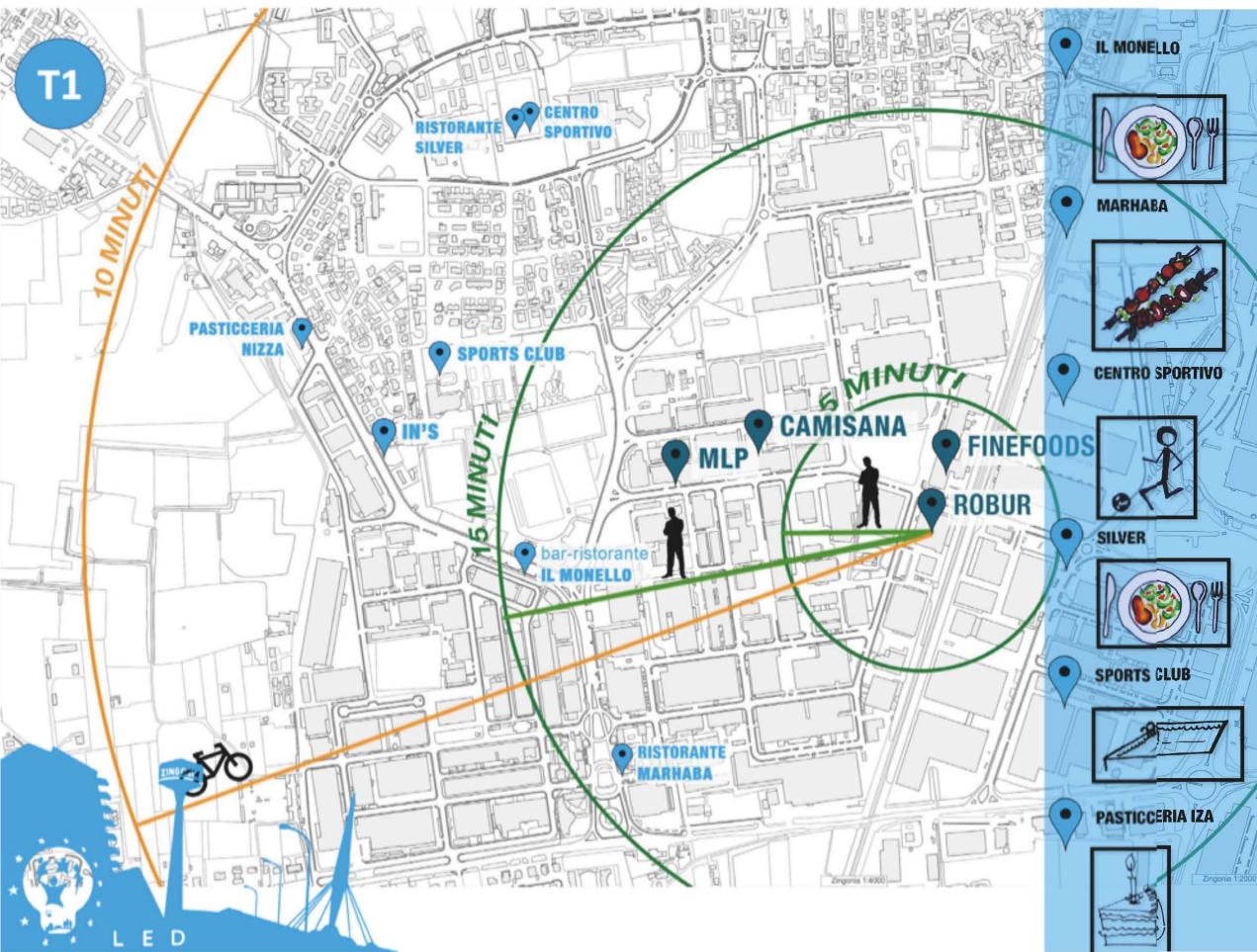
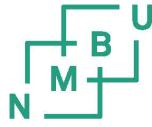
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The Silk Road

Via Della Seta





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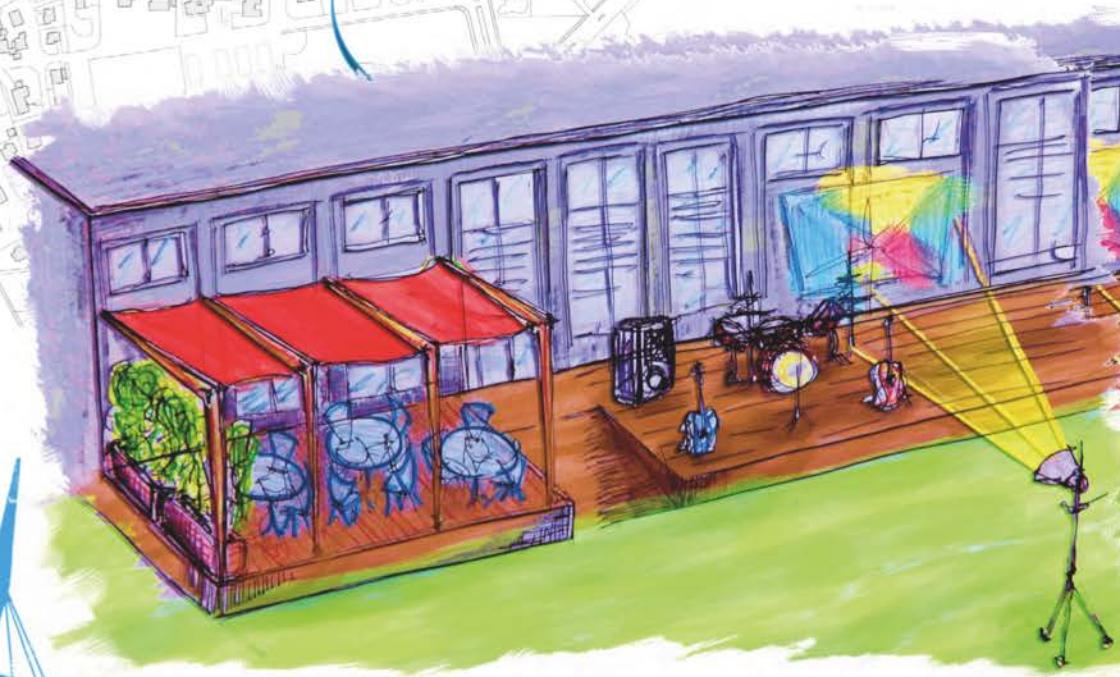
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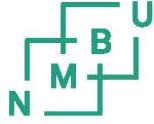
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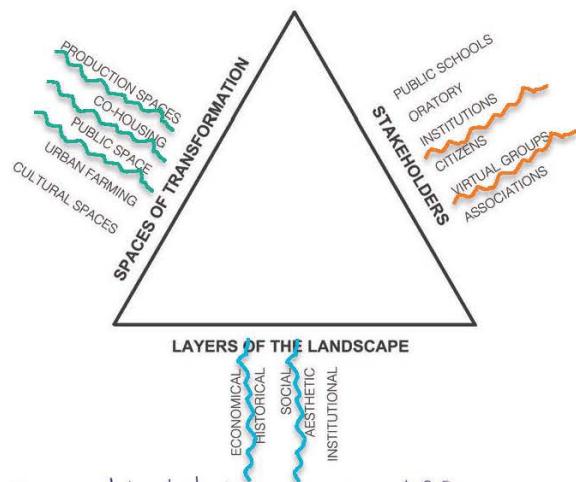


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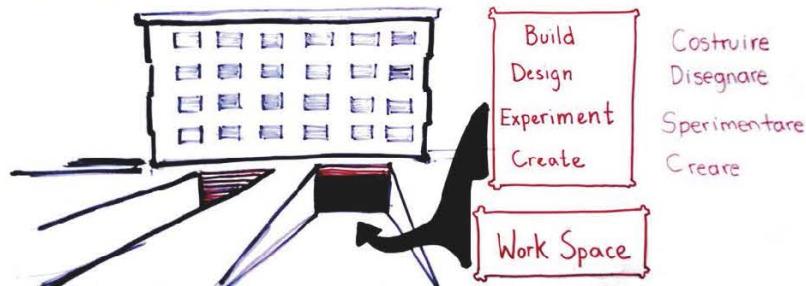


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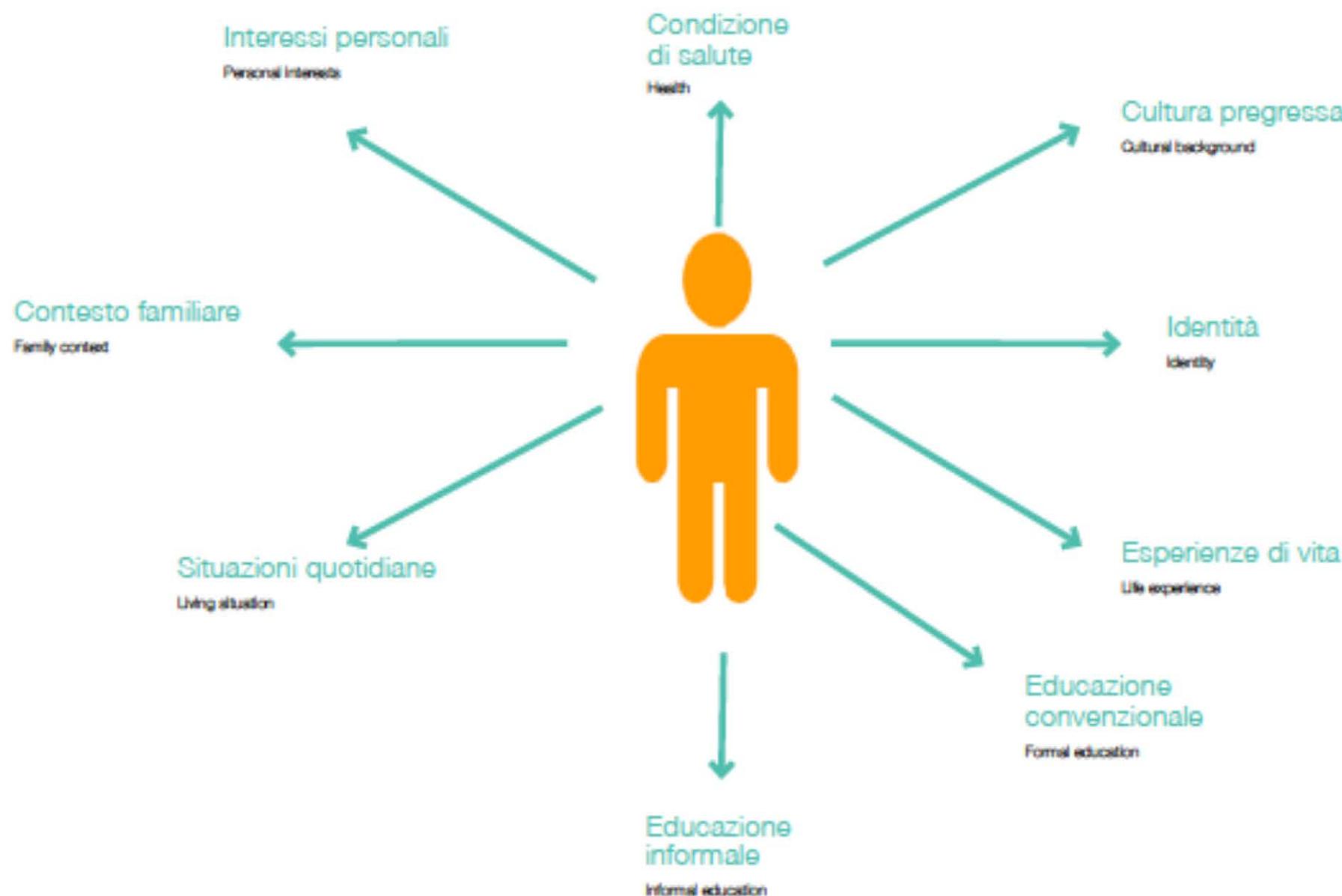
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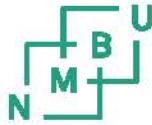


Tante Abilità, piccoli Affari



Esperienze / Background





Le Quattro Torri e la Portineria, punto di riferimento
The Four Towers and the Porter as a reference point

1



Parco nei pressi delle Torri
Park near the Towers

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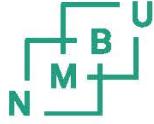


Portici e cortile interno in Piazza Affari
Porches and internal courtyard in Piazza Affari

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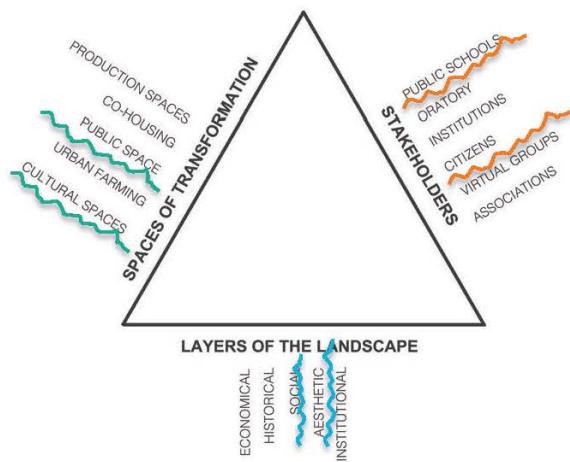


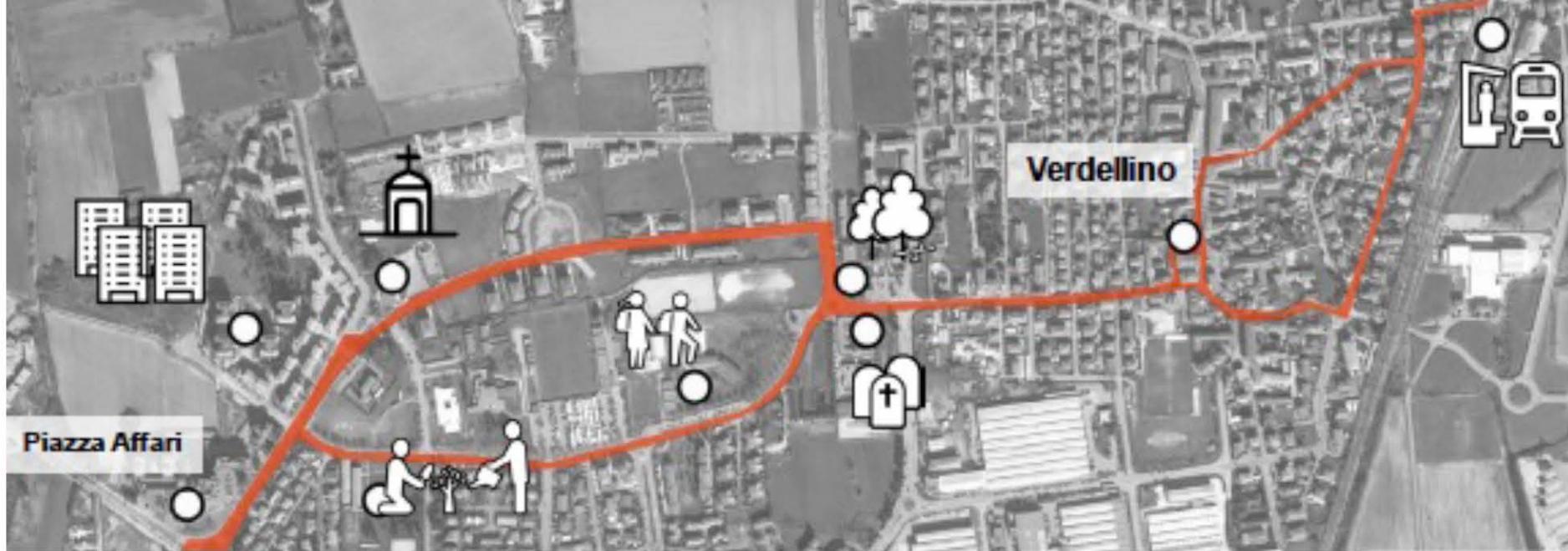




TEAM: ZINGONIA ON THE MOVE

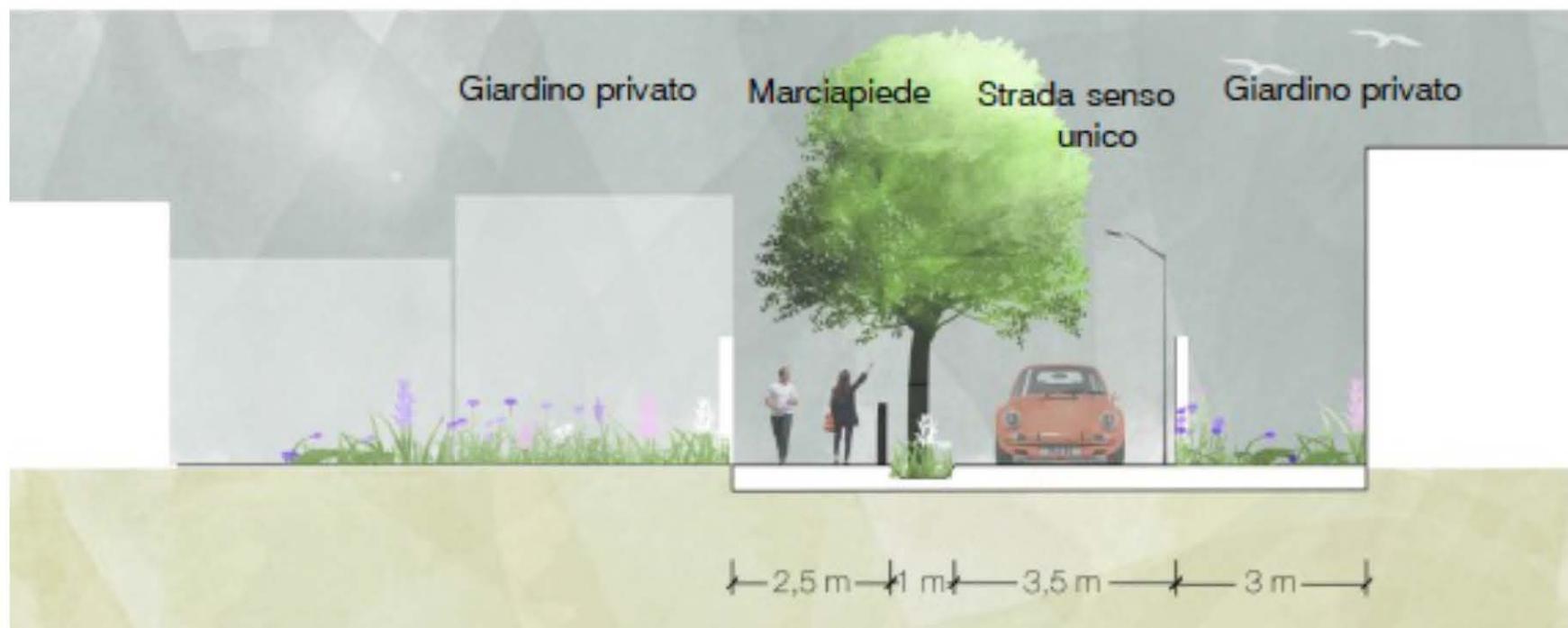
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- Necessitano di miglioramento
- Buona luminosità
- Luminosità sufficiente
- Intensità della luce





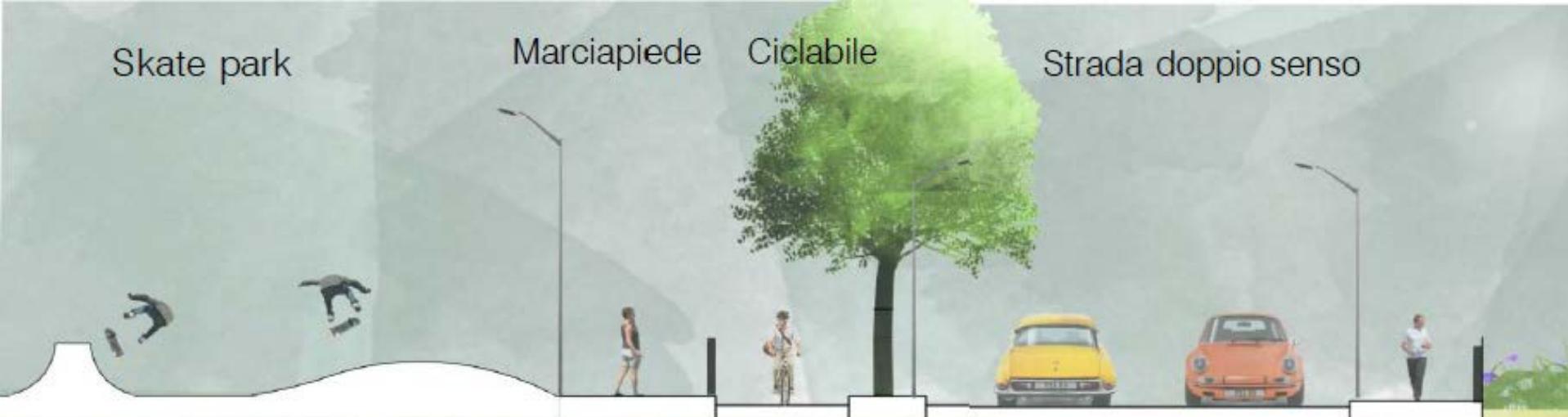


Skate park

Marcia piede

Ciclabile

Strada doppio senso



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