LAR 525 – Operative Landscapes
University of Tennessee School of Landscape Architecture
Precedent Project List

The following is a list of contemporary precedents presented as demonstrations of their respective operative themes. While most projects operate across multiple performance categories, their operative characteristics within a single theme were highlighted during each lecture. Project images, diagrams, videos, and other resources were used to illustrate fundamental science powering the performance characteristic, as well as underlying design concepts and drivers. When available, the primary designer or project source is also provided.

Restore, Regenerate

The following projects were presented as demonstrations of a progression from landscape restoration (restoring both ecosystem structure and function) to landscape regeneration (focus on function with novel structure and context)

Nine Mile Run Restoration Pittsburgh, PA Andropogon Associates, Primary Landscape Architect

Menomonee River Restoration Milwaukee, WI Wenk and Associates, Primary Landscape Architect

Fresh Kills Landfill New York, NY Field Operations, Primary Landscape Architect

Park Schinkeleilanden Amsterdam, Netherlands Buro Sant en Co, Primary Landscape Architect

Oystertecture New York, NY SCAPE, Primary Landscape Architect

Remediate

US Coast Guard Facility Elizabeth City, NC Source: PHYTO

Ford Factory Genk, Belgium Source: PHYTO

Woodburn Wastewater Treatment Facility Woodburn, OR

Source: PHYTO

Travis Air Force Base Fairfield, CA Source: PHYTO Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park London, England Hargraeves Associates, Primary Landscape Architect

Alumnae Valley Wellesy College, MA MVVA, Primary Landscape Architect

Renaissance Park Chattanooga, TN Hargraeves Associates, Primary Landscape Architect

Stimulate: Economic

Subset: Programmable Space, Temporal Investment Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park London, England Hargraeves Associates, Primary Landscape Architect

Erie Street Plaza Milwaukee, WI Stoss Landscape Urbanism, Primary Landscape Architect

Evergreen Brick Works Toronto, Canada Claude Comier and Associates, Primary Landscape Architect

Subset: Fixed Investment
Landscaftspark Duisburg Nord
Duisburg, Germany
Latz and Partner, Primary Landscape Architect

Southworks Chicago Chicago, IL SOM, Primary Urban Design

Subset: Generator of New Economic Ecosystems

Detroit Future City

Detroit, MI

Stoss Landscape Urbanism, Primary Landscape Architect

Subset: Economic Activity in Contextual Sphere
Renaissance Park
Chattanooga, TN

Hargraeves Associates, Primary Landscape Architect

Atlanta Beltline Atlanta, GA Perkins + Will, Primary Urban Design

Knoxville's Urban Wilderness Knoxville, TN Legacy Parks Foundation, Organizing Non Profit Subset: Cost Effectiveness, Cost Avoidance

Renaissance Park Chattanooga, TN

Hargraeves Associates, Primary Landscape Architect

Green City Clean Water Philadelphia, PA WRT, Primary Planners

Stimulate: Social

Through Jobs Creation, Industry and Commerce as Social Fabric
Detroit TechTown
Detroit, MI
Sasaki Associates, Primary Landscape Architect

Menomonee Valley Restoration Milwaukee, WI Wenk and Associates, Primary Landscape Architect

Public Health, Walkability + Sense of Community Knoxville's Urban Wilderness Knoxville, TN Legacy Parks Foundation, Organizing Non Profit

Atlanta Beltline Atlanta, GA Perkins + Will, Primary Urban Design

Healthy Environment, Atmosphere and Microclimate Klyde Warren Park Dallas, TX Office of James Burnett, Primary Landscape Architect

U.S. Coast Guard Headquarters Washington, DC Andropogon Associates, Primary Landscape Architect

Cambridge Civic Center Ontario, Canada Nedlaw Living Walls, Living Wall System Designer

Healthy Food, Food Access
Gary Comer Youth Center
Chicago, IL
Hoerr Schaudt, Primary Landscape Architect

Fayetteville 2030: Food City Fayetteville, AR University of Arkansas Community Design Center

Water Resources: Runoff Avoidance and Minimization

Slovenia and Natura2000 Slovenia, EU Slovenian Ministry of the Environment

Barking Riverside Green Roof Research Source: TURAS, University of East London

Captitol Canopy Sacramento, CA AtlasLAB, Landscape Architecture

Southwest EcoDistrict
Washington, DC
National Capitol Planning Commission

Serenbe Community Serenbe, GA Chattahoochee Hill Country Community Plan

Ford's River Rouge Plant Deerbourne, MI

U.S. Coast Guard Headquarters Washington, DC Andropogon Associates, Primary Landscape Architect

Brooklyn Botanic Garden Visitor's Center Brooklyn, NY MVVA, Primary Landscape Architect

Allianz Arena Munich, Germany

Klyde Warren Park Dallas, TX Office of James Burnett, Primary Landscape Architect

Seattle Sculpture Park Seattle, WA Weiss Manfredi, Primary Urban Design

Millennium Park, Lurie Garden and Maggie Daley Park Chicago, IL SOM, Gustafson Guthrie and Nichol, MVVA, respectively

Green City Clean Water Philadelphia, PA WRT, Primary Planners

Southwest EcoDistrict Washington, DC National Capitol Planning Commission Dockside Green Victoria, British Columbia Perkins + Will, Primary Urban Design

A New Norris House Norris, TN University of Tennessee College of Architecture and Design

Water Resources: Stormwater Management and Biological Treatment

Tianjin Qiaoyuan Wetland Park Tianjin, China TURENSCAPE, Primary Landscape Architect

Templehoff Wasserpark Student Project by Johanna F. Barthmaier PennDesign

Croton Water Filtration Plant Brooklyn, NY Ken Smith Landscape Architects, Primary Landscape Architect

Houtan Park Shanghai, China TURENSCAPE, Primary Landscape Architect

Uptown Normal Circle Normal, IL Hoerr Schaudt, Primary Landscape Architect

Baltimore Harbor Floating Wetlands Baltimore, MD Biohabitats, Primary Ecological Design

AMD+ART Park Vintondale, PA Dirt Studio, Primary Landscape Architect

George W. Bush Presidential Library Dallas, TX MVVA, Primary Landscape Architect

Shoemakers Green Philadelphia, PA Andropogon Associates, Primary Landscape Architect

Water Resources: Flood

Cedar Rapids River Corridor Redevelopment Plan Cedar Rapids, IA Sasaki Associates, Primary Planners

Mill Race Park Columbus, IN MVVA, Primary Landscape Architect Yanweizhou Park Jinhua City, China TURENSCAPE, Primary Landscape Architect

Buffalo Bayou Promenade Houston, TX SWA Associates, Primary Landscape Architect

Town Branch Commons Lexington, KY SCAPE, Primary Landscape Architect

Sea Change Boston Boston, MA Sasaki Associates, Primary Planners

Subset: Rebuild by Design Competition Entries Living Breakwaters New York, NY SCAPE, Primary Landscape Architect

Deeper than the Beach New Jersey Shore Sasaki Associates, Primary Planners

Resist, Delay, Store, Discharge New York, NY OMA, Primary Designers

Community (re)Building

Project shared due to a comprehensive and holistic approach toward use of operative landscapes for community building and rebuilding.

Detroit Future City Detroit, MI Stoss Landscape Urbanism, Primary Landscape Architect

Green City Clean Water Philadelphia, PA WRT, Primary Planners

Menomonee Valley Restoration Milwaukee, WI Wenk and Associates, Primary Landscape Architect

Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park London, England Hargraeves and Associates, Primary Landscape Architect