

Architectural Connection in Historic Areas Contemporary Interventions

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Abstract

Architecture is timeless, but buildings cohabit periodically in territory. New and old relationship is an ample debate in historic areas architecture intervention discourse. Organizations, agencies and institutions are concerned with elaborating published documents, declarations, charters, norms and laws in order to instrument design in places with heritage values. The study is focused on new freestanding buildings in historic environments. New architecture insertions in historic settings which are considered for the present research are additions to larger historic urban environments with delineated ensembles. The link between architectural interventions and the historic habitat is analyzed from the written literature perspective. Design policies, control, regulations, approaches and philosophies are explored in order to grasp a general overview on architectural contemporary intervention in historic areas guideline apparatus. The main concern is to identify the impact of the written instruments on architectural design and transmitted message through new interventions. Moreover, the study follows to what extent architecture quality and the link between contemporary buildings and historic monuments are guided or influenced by heritage conservation policies and design control methodologies.

Rezumat

Arhitectura este nemuritoare, dar clădirile periodic conviețuiesc în spațiu. Relația între vechi și nou reprezintă un subiect amplu în discursul intervențiilor arhitecturale în zone istorice. Organizațiile și instituțiile elaborează documente, declarații, acte, norme și legi pentru a instrumenta proiectarea în zone istorice cu valoare de patrimoniu. Studiul este axat pe clădiri noi independente inserate în medii istorice. Noile inserții de arhitectura din siturile studiate pentru prezenta cercetare se află în medii urbane istorice ample cu ansambluri conturate. Legătura dintre intervențiile arhitecturale și habitatul istoric este analizat prin filtrul literaturii scrise. Sunt explorate politicile de proiectare, de control, regulamentele, abordările și filozofiile de intervenție pentru a contura o imagine de ansamblu asupra aparatului de reglementare al intervențiilor contemporane arhitecturale în zone istorice. Principala preocupare este de a identifica impactul instrumentelor scrise de design arhitectural și mesajul transmis prin acestea și prin noile intervenții. În plus, studiul urmărește în ce măsură calitatea arhitecturii și relația între clădiri contemporane și monumente istorice sunt ghidate sau influențate de politicile de conservare a patrimoniului și a metodologiilor de control.

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1. Introduction

The historic areas around monuments present spiritual and cultural connections transmitted through built surfaces. The process of designing contemporary architecture interventions in historic sites is a creative process as valid as designing new buildings. Compared to a building outside a defined historic zone new buildings or interventions in the historic area need to be more sensitive in order to protect the value of monuments and cultural identity.

The study focus is on the relationship between contemporary architecture and historic areas of intervention. In her work *“Contemporary architecture in historic urban environments. Conservation Perspectives”*, Susan Macdonald identifies the role of contemporary architecture in historic environments as reinvigorating while conserving the place’s heritage values.[1]

The design process can create buildings relationships, described by Edwards A. Trystan in *“Good and Bad Manners in Architecture”* as “polite” or “rude”. One of the main recommendations in order to create a “polite” or “rude” intervention is to undertake a value assessment prior to the start of the design process.[2]

In order to understand the difference between “polite” and “rude” in buildings relationships there are the following examples. The Guggenheim Museum Bilbao where Frank Gehry represents the “rude” because is taking the main role and creates “starchitecture”. The “polite” is illustrated by Danish National Maritime Museum from the BIG architects represented here by Bjarke Ingles and David Zahle. In this case the architects decided to hide the museum’s building underground in order to preserve the perspective to the Kronborg Castle. The new intervention acknowledges the main role of the Castle and shifts to the second place conserving and upgrading the historic importance of the area.

Both architecture examples are valued projects implementing economic growth while maintaining place heritage value. Even though the projects are placing themselves at two poles regarding their attitude towards the historic area (“polite” and “rude”), the outcome of their presence is comparable in terms of the area liveliness.

2. Architectural Interventions in Historic Areas Instruments

The new intervention projects success in historic contexts depends also on the prior assessment and the designer sensitivity, but is not guaranteed. The context’s prior assessment is supported and guided by international instruments of conservation policies. This instrumentation functions as an organism, developing and growing time wise taking different formats such as: recommendations, declarations, charts and other documents written by groups of experts on conservation of the historic environment and, more specifically, on integration of new contemporary architecture in historical, urban or rural, contexts. (fig. 1)

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| ATHENS | 1933 | <i>International Congress of Modern Architecture</i> The Athens Charter, 1933 <i>Le Corbusier</i> |  |
| VENICE | 1964 | <i>International Council on Monuments and Sites (ICOMOS), 1965.</i> International Charter for the Conservation and Restoration of Monuments and Sites (The Venice Charter 1964). 2nd International Congress of Architects and Technicians of Historic Monuments. |  |
| QUITO | 1967 | <i>International Council on Monuments and Sites (ICOMOS), 1967.</i> The Norms of Quito (1967): Final Report of the Meeting on the Preservation and Utilization of Monuments and Sites of Artistic and Historical Value Held in Quito, Ecuador, from November 29 to December 2, 1967. |  |
| BUDAPEST | 1972 | <i>International Council on Monuments and Sites (ICOMOS), 1972.</i> Resolutions of the Symposium on the Introduction of Contemporary Architecture into Ancient Groups of Buildings at the 3rd ICOMOS General Assembly (1972). |  |
| LAUSANNE | 1973 | <i>International Council on Monuments and Sites (ICOMOS), 1973.</i> Resolutions of the Symposium Devoted to the Study of "The Streetscape in Historic Towns" Lausanne Switzerland, 17th to 22nd June 1973. |  |
| KAZIMIERZ DOLNY | 1974 | <i>International Council on Monuments and Sites (ICOMOS), and International Union of Architects (UIA), 1974. ICOMOS-UIA Seminar on the Integration of Modern Architecture in Old Surroundings.</i> Kazimierz Dolny, Poland, Oct. 19, 1974. |  |
| BRUGES | 1975 | <i>International Council on Monuments and Sites (ICOMOS), 1975.</i> The Resolutions of Bruges: Principles Governing the Rehabilitation of Historic Towns. |  |
| BRUGES | 1975 | <i>International Council on Monuments and Sites (ICOMOS), 1975.</i> Resolutions on the International Symposium on the Conservation of Smaller Historic Towns at the 4th ICOMOS General Assembly, May 29–30, 1975. |  |
| AMSTERDAM | 1975 | <i>Council of Europe, 1975.</i> Declaration of Amsterdam. |  |
| AMSTERDAM | 1975 | <i>Council of Europe, 1975.</i> European Charter of the Architectural Heritage. |  |
| NAIROBI | 1976 | <i>UNESCO, 1976.</i> Recommendation Concerning the Safeguarding and Contemporary Role of Historic Areas (1976): Adopted at the General Conference of the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization, meeting in Nairobi at its nineteenth session, from 26 October to 30 November 1976. |  |
| TLAXCALA | 1982 | <i>International Council on Monuments and Sites (ICOMOS), 1982.</i> Tlaxcala Declaration on the Revitalization of Small Settlements (1982): Adopted by the Third Inter-American Symposium on the Conservation of the Building Heritage devoted to the subject of "The Revitalization of Small Settlements," organized by the Mexican National Committee of ICOMOS and held in Tlaxcala, from 25 to 28 October 1982. |  |
| GRANADA | 1985 | <i>Council of Europe, 1985.</i> Convention for the Protection of the Architectural Heritage of Europe. |  |
| WASHINGTON | 1987 | <i>International Council on Monuments and Sites (ICOMOS), 1987.</i> Charter for the Conservation of Historic Towns and Urban Areas (Washington Charter 1987): Adopted by the ICOMOS General Assembly, Washington, DC, October 1987. |  |
| SAN ANTONIO | 1996 | <i>International Council on Monuments and Sites (ICOMOS) National Committees of the Americas, 1996.</i> The Declaration of San Antonio: Adopted at the InterAmerican Symposium on Authenticity in the Conservation and Management of the Cultural Heritage, San Antonio, Texas, March, 1996. |  |
| KRAKOW | 1999 | <i>International Council on Monuments and Sites (ICOMOS), 1999.</i> Charter on the Built Vernacular Heritage (1999): Ratified by the ICOMOS 12th General Assembly Mexico 1999. |  |
| XIAN | 2000 | <i>International Conference on Conservation Krakow 2000/2000.</i> The Charter of Krakow 2000: Principles for Conservation and Restoration of Built Heritage. |  |
| VIENNA | 2005 | <i>International Council on Monuments and Sites (ICOMOS), 2005.</i> Xi'an Declaration on the Conservation of the Setting of Heritage Structures, Sites and Areas: Adopted in Xi'an, China by the 15th General Assembly of ICOMOS on 21 October 2005: ICOMOS. |  |
| VIENNA | 2005 | <i>World Heritage Committee, 2005.</i> The Vienna Memorandum on "World Heritage and Contemporary Architecture: Managing the Historic Urban Landscape." Adopted by 29th session of the World Heritage Committee, Durban, 2005. |  |
| PARIS | 2011 | <i>UNESCO, 2011.</i> Recommendation on the Historic Urban Landscape, including a glossary of definitions. |  |
| PARIS | 2011 | <i>International Council on Monuments and Sites (ICOMOS), 2011.</i> The Valletta Principles for the Safeguarding and Management of Historic Cities, Towns and Urban Areas: Adopted by the 17th ICOMOS General Assembly on 28 November 2011 – Principes de la Valette pour la sauvegarde et la gestion des villes et ensembles urbains historiques: Adoptées par la 17e Assemblée générale de l'ICOMOS le 28 novembre 2011. |  |

INTERNATIONAL HERITAGE INSTRUMENTS - CONSERVATION POLICY (CIAM, UNESCO, ICOMOS, COUNCIL OF EUROPE, ICGROM, WORLD HERITAGE COUNCIL)

Figure 1. International heritage instruments – Conservation policy

In time, with every document issued there are new concepts introduced orchestrating historic areas developments.

Athens Charter, points 65 - 70 discussing "*Heritage of Historic Cities*" recommend earlier cultures building structures and city layouts preservation. Point 70 abolishes past architecture styles use for new structures in historic areas. Consequently, the architectural language *continuity* was encouraged.

The Venice Charter advocates for interventions not compromising historic buildings or their setting relationship. The Charter advocates for original scale, mass, color and for *distinguishable* new interventions. These measures *limit new interventions* number in historic areas in favor of intrinsic developed relationships.

In the Norms of Quito one of the most important actions is the buffer zone establishment, as well as regulations for volume relationships.

In 1975 Council of Europe issues two seminal policy documents. First, the Declaration of Amsterdam takes into consideration the social factor and calls for conservation approach involving both local authorities and citizens. It advocates for high quality contemporary architecture. Second, the European Charter of Architectural Heritage promotes modern architecture respecting the existing context, as well as its proportions, shapes, sizes, scale and use of traditional materials. The document refers to *compatibility* between intervention and existing.

Nairobi, 1976, UNESCO establishes the Recommendation Concerning the Safeguarding and Contemporary Role of Historic Areas, document focused on historic areas preservation. It pulls the alarm on historic areas damage that can suffer due to additions, incompatible uses and changes. Recommends *minimum intervention* and historic vistas preservation. In order to create new buildings is reinforced the need for context prior assessment determining the basic principles for the new intervention. "*Harmony of heights, colors, materials, forms, constants in the way the facades and roofs are built, relationship between the volume of buildings and the spatial volume, as well as their average proportions and their position*"[3] are major features to be studied.

1982 Tlaxcala Declaration "*reinforces the idea of using traditional technics while still reflecting current times*".[4] The document encourages inspiration from local architecture, referring to the concept of *continuity*.

The Washington Charter, article 10 states "*the introduction of contemporary elements in harmony with the surroundings should not be discouraged since such features can contribute to the enrichment of an area*".[5] Residents involvement is encouraged and a general information program is recommended to be established. The importance of participatory design in historic areas is also underlined.

Vienna Memorandum states change is an essential part of urban tradition, new interventions shouldn't cause harm, but should add culture. Therefore the idea that "*High-quality design and execution, sensitive to the cultural-historic context*" that could create "*continuity of culture through quality interventions is the ultimate goal*"[6] promoted.

Cesare Brandi's principles of restoration, recognizability, compatibility, reversibility and the minimum intervention, are reiterated and through time. (fig. 2) The theoretician comprises the vast documentation in an accessible tool, a book of restoration theory.

Figure 2. Teoria del Restauro. Cesare Brandi – Restoration principles



CESARE BRANDI 1906 - 1988

"TEORIA DEL RESTAURO" 1963
 "Il restauro costituisce il momento metodologico del riconoscimento dell'opera d'arte nella sua consistenza fisica e storica, in vista della sua trasmissione nel futuro"



Recognizable

Athens Charter 1931: Article 70 abolishes the use of past architecture styles for new structures in historic areas.
 Venice Charter 1965: Article 12 advocates that any replacement of missing parts be distinguishable from the original – so as not to falsify the artistic or historic evidence – yet also be harmonious.
 Resolution of Contemporary Architecture into Ancient Groups of Buildings 1972: Paragraph 2 states that contemporary architecture should employ materials of its own time without affecting the qualities of the surrounding historic environment in terms of "mass, scale, rhythm and appearance".
 Resolution of Contemporary Architecture into Ancient Groups of Buildings 1972: Paragraph 3 states that imitations should be avoided because they undermine the authenticity of historic sites.
 The Resolutions of Bruges 1975: "integration of modern architecture in old towns" in order to maintain their authenticity.
 Declaration of Amsterdam 1975: "since the new buildings of today will be the heritage of tomorrow, every effort must be made to ensure that contemporary architecture is of high quality."
 Tenelec Declaration 1982: Article 5 under "Recommendations" reinforces the idea of using traditional techniques while still reflecting current times.
 Washington Charter 1987: "the introduction of contemporary elements in harmony with the surroundings should not be discouraged since such features can contribute to the enrichment of an area."
 Xi'an declaration 2005: recommends that these projects should not only contribute to the significance and character of the site, but also "positively interpret" it.
 The Vienna Memorandum 2005: Article 17 states that in addition to causing no harm, new interventions should add cultural value.
 The Valletta Principles 2011: contemporary architecture must respect the local values and characteristics and should build continuity with the past while still expressing its own time.

Compatible

Athens Charter 1931: Articles 65 through 70 on "Heritage of Historic Cities" support the preservation of city layouts and building structures that express earlier cultures while allowing sufficient changes to provide a healthy environment for their inhabitants.
 Venice Charter 1965: Article 6 advocates for the preservation of a monument's original setting by respecting the existing scale, mass, and color, noting that no new construction, demolition, or changes that alter these relationships should be allowed.
 Venice Charter 1965: Article 13 condemns any additions to a historic building that compromise its interesting parts, its traditional setting, the balance of its composition, or its relationship to its setting.
 Resolution of Contemporary Architecture into Ancient Groups of Buildings 1972: The resolutions begin by reaffirming the importance of preserving historic building ensembles and their inherent harmony.
 Resolution of Contemporary Architecture into Ancient Groups of Buildings 1972: Paragraph 4 states that new uses are positive as long as they cause no harm – that is, the new uses are compatible with the historic site.
 The Streetscape in Historic Towns 1973: condemns new buildings and urban elements that are not compatible with the historic streetscape.
 The Resolutions of Bruges 1975: "integration of modern architecture in old towns" in order to maintain their authenticity.
 The Resolution Conservation of Smaller Historic Towns: Article 5, paragraph III, recommends that new developments follow the existing scale, and respect the relationship to the landscape, the character, and dominant buildings.
 European Charter of the Architectural Heritage 1975: Article 7 recommends the use of "integrated conservation," where conservation is at the core of urban and regional planning and includes the preservation of both physical and social structures in historic cities.
 Recommendation Concerning the Safeguarding and Contemporary Role of Historic Areas 1976: designing by following the same principles that define the local character.
 Declaration of San Antonio 1996: any new elements in historic cities and landscapes still must be "harmonious with the character of the whole."
 Charter on the Built Vernacular Heritage 1999: "Principles of Conservation," Article 2 advises that contemporary interventions should be respectful of cultural values and traditional character.
 Charter on the Built Vernacular Heritage 1999: "Guidelines on Practice," Article 2 calls for interventions that "maintain the integrity of the site, the relationship to the physical and cultural landscape, and of one structure to another."
 Charter on the Built Vernacular Heritage 1999: "Guidelines on Practice," Article 4 advises that any replacement materials or parts associated with alterations maintain a "consistency of expression, appearance, texture and form throughout the structure and a consistency of building materials."
 The Vienna Memorandum 2005: Article 22 reinforces the need for "high-quality design and execution, sensitive to the cultural-historic context."
 Recommendation on the Historic Urban Landscape 2011: Article 12 regarding new constructions in historic urban landscapes, this document calls for action to promote harmonious integration of contemporary interventions.
 The Valletta Principles 2011: The document advocates for interventions that preserve both tangible and intangible heritage values of historic cities. Section 4.
 The Valletta Principles 2011: "Proposals and Strategies," Article (c), "Contemporary architecture," reinforces the idea of compatibility to the context, citing article 28 of the Nairobi Recommendation, and adds that "perspectives, views, focal points and visual corridors" should also be preserved.

Reversible

The Streetscape in Historic Towns 1973: condemns new buildings and urban elements that are not compatible with the historic streetscape.
 Integration of Modern Architecture in Old Surroundings 1974: design should be founded on a scientific analysis of the relationship between society and historic fabric.
 The Resolutions of Bruges 1975: potential threat of new buildings that do not follow the traditional urban pattern in historic towns.
 Convention for the Protection of the Architectural Heritage of Europe 1985: Article 9 on sanctions indicates that in cases of infringement of laws protecting architectural heritage, the authorities must respond in an adequate and relevant way. The response may " entail an obligation on the offender to demolish a newly erected building which fails to comply with the requirements or to restore a protected property to its former condition."
 Xi'an declaration 2005: article 8 advocates for the use of impact studies prior to the implementation of any new development that may impact the significance and setting of a heritage structure, site, or area.

Minimum intervention

Venice Charter 1965: Article 13 condemns any additions to a historic building that compromise its interesting parts, its traditional setting, the balance of its composition, or its relationship to its setting.
 The Norms of Quito 1987: Action 8d calls for regulations for areas adjacent to historic areas (thereby establishing the need for buffer zones), as well as regulations for "land use, density and volume relationships".
 Integration of Modern Architecture in Old Surroundings 1974: change should not be allowed to happen at the expense of local identity.
 Integration of Modern Architecture in Old Surroundings 1974: design should be founded on a scientific analysis of the relationship between society and historic fabric.
 The Resolutions of Bruges 1975: Article 9 explains how these two ideas should be reconciled. It advocates for the idea of adapting a historic town in a way that "no fabric, its structure and its history are not destroyed. If its character is to be preserved, the layout, density and dimensions of the town must be retained."
 Declaration of Amsterdam 1975: protect these towns and villages against "the growing dangers with which they are threatened – neglect and decay, deliberate demolition, incongruous new construction and excessive traffic."
 Recommendation Concerning the Safeguarding and Contemporary Role of Historic Areas 1976: Article 28 describes the appropriate procedures for designing new buildings in historic areas, which include an initial assessment of the context in order to determine the basic principles that will guide the design. This analysis shall examine dominant features, such as "the harmony of heights, colours, materials and forms, contents in the way the facades and roofs are built, the relationship between the volume of buildings and the spatial volume, as well as their average proportions and their position," with particular attention given to lot size.
 The Vienna Memorandum 2005: Article 21 advises against "all forms of pseudo-historical design" and adds that "continuity of culture through quality interventions is the ultimate goal."
 The Valletta Principles 2011: Section 3, "Intervention Criteria", although these principles see change as a positive and natural phenomenon in historic urban sites, the amount and type of permissible change are limited by this section. The criteria presented here include values, quality, quantity, coherence, balance and compatibility, time, method and scientific discipline, governance, multidisciplinary and cooperation, and cultural diversity.

3. Case Studies

In prior assessment of historic areas both qualitative and quantitative approaches are regarded. In the following case studies Cesare Brandi's restoration principles were used as guidelines as well as overlapping the sequential and Kevin Lynch's analysis. The latter are quantitative tools, while the first are qualitative analysis guidelines.

3.1 Deva Citadel

In case of Deva Citadel the analysis elements varied big to small scale. The relationship between the old and new parts of the city with the citadel and the landscape participation in the urban development. The relation between the parts and their participation to the hole underwent systematic analysis.

Most striking characteristics observed are the urban ax and its continuity. Even if in an excentric position, the symbolic presence at the core of the Deva city of the Citadel is maintained by the urban characteristics. The whole urban tissue of the city is concentrated on the presence of the citadel, maintaining a main axis emphasizing its important place. The physical place in relation to the city is not only visually highlighting the monument, but also underlines the relationship established between the community and the urban tissue. (fig. 3)

3.2 Ulpia Traiana Sarmizegetusa

Samizegetusa is a particular example because of layering of XIX century settlement on an ancient roman site. The village developed on the ancient ruins, materials from the site being used at its construction. A small part of the ancient settlement is visible today, the rest being buried under the inhabited village. (fig. 4 and fig. 5)

The rural settlement is comprised of two parts, the community and the architectonic site. The parts are segregated. Besides the physical overlapping there is no relationship between the inhabitants and the heritage. The village could be positioned anywhere and still have the same attitude towards the roman inheritance.

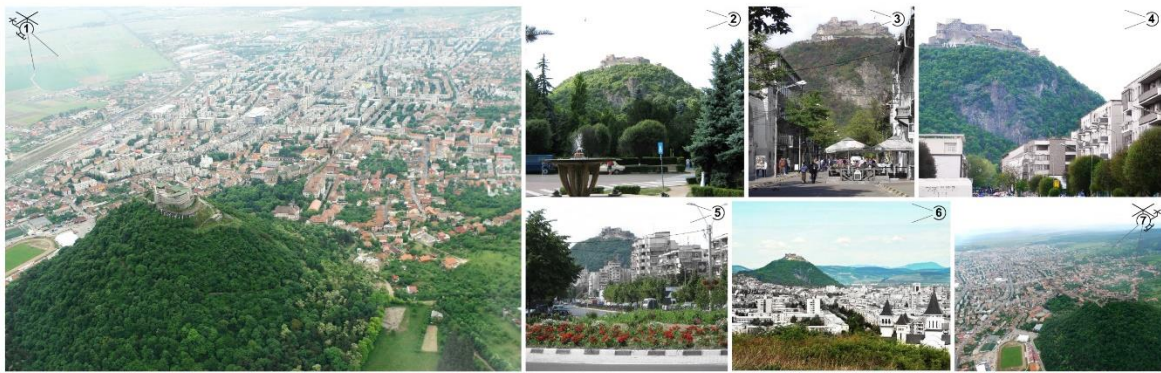
4. Conclusion

The two examples are exhibiting different situations of interventions in historic areas. The physical interventions is relevant also for the community's attitude towards the architectural heritage.

Monuments play an important role for the community identity. Nowadays we witness restoration cases excluding the community. Recent European projects focus on monuments as tourism attractors. The monument role in the local community in transmitting the heritage is neglected.

The mentioned instruments guiding new interventions in historic areas are underlining the importance of community involvement in monument restoration projects.

At this stage the main question is how can we, as architects, enable the relationship between the communities and their monuments?



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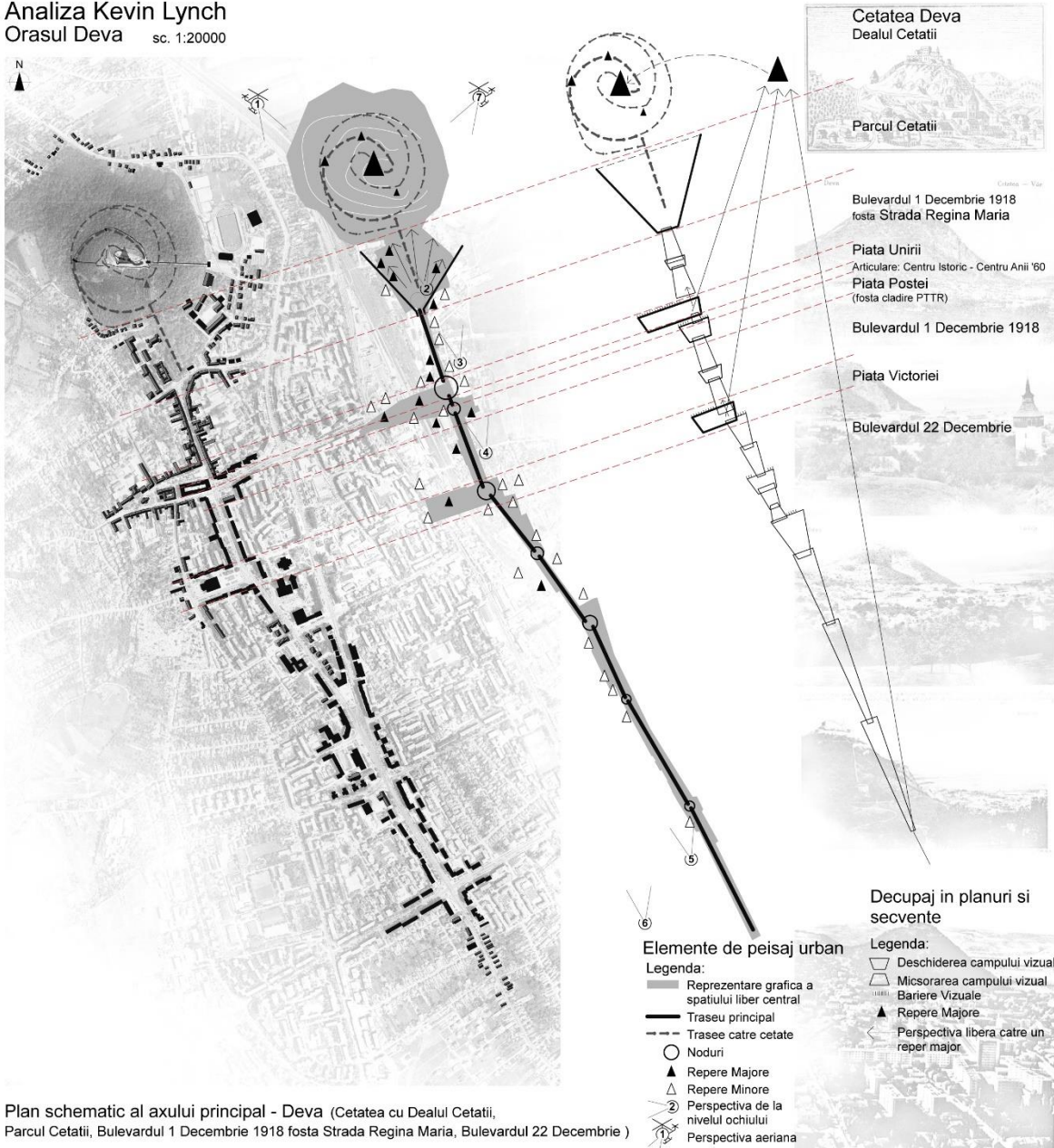
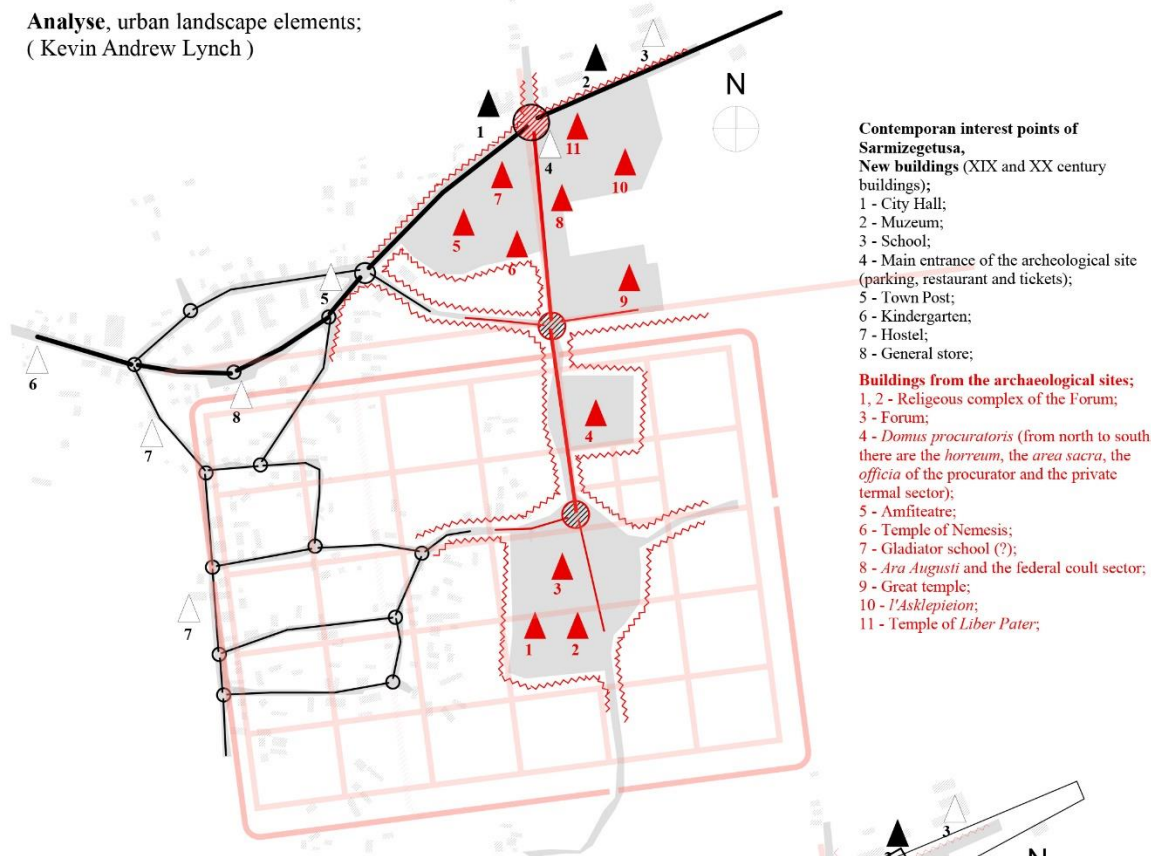


Figure 3. Deva citadel analysis



Figure 4. Ulpia Traiana Sarmizegetusa site plan

Analyse, urban landscape elements;
(Kevin Andrew Lynch)



- Contemporan interest points of Sarmizegetusa, New buildings (XIX and XX century buildings);**
 1 - City Hall;
 2 - Muzeum;
 3 - School;
 4 - Main entrance of the archeological site (parking, restaurant and tickets);
 5 - Town Post;
 6 - Kindergarten;
 7 - Hostel;
 8 - General store;
- Buildings from the archaeological sites;**
 1, 2 - Religeous complex of the Forum;
 3 - Forum;
 4 - *Domus procuratoris* (from north to south, there are the *horreum*, the *area sacra*, the *officia* of the procurator and the private termal sector);
 5 - Amfiteatre;
 6 - Temple of Nemesis;
 7 - Gladiator school (?);
 8 - *Ara Augusti* and the federal coult sector;
 9 - Great temple;
 10 - *!Asklepieion*;
 11 - Temple of *Liber Pater*;

Analyse, cut in planes and sequences;
(Kevin Andrew Lynch)

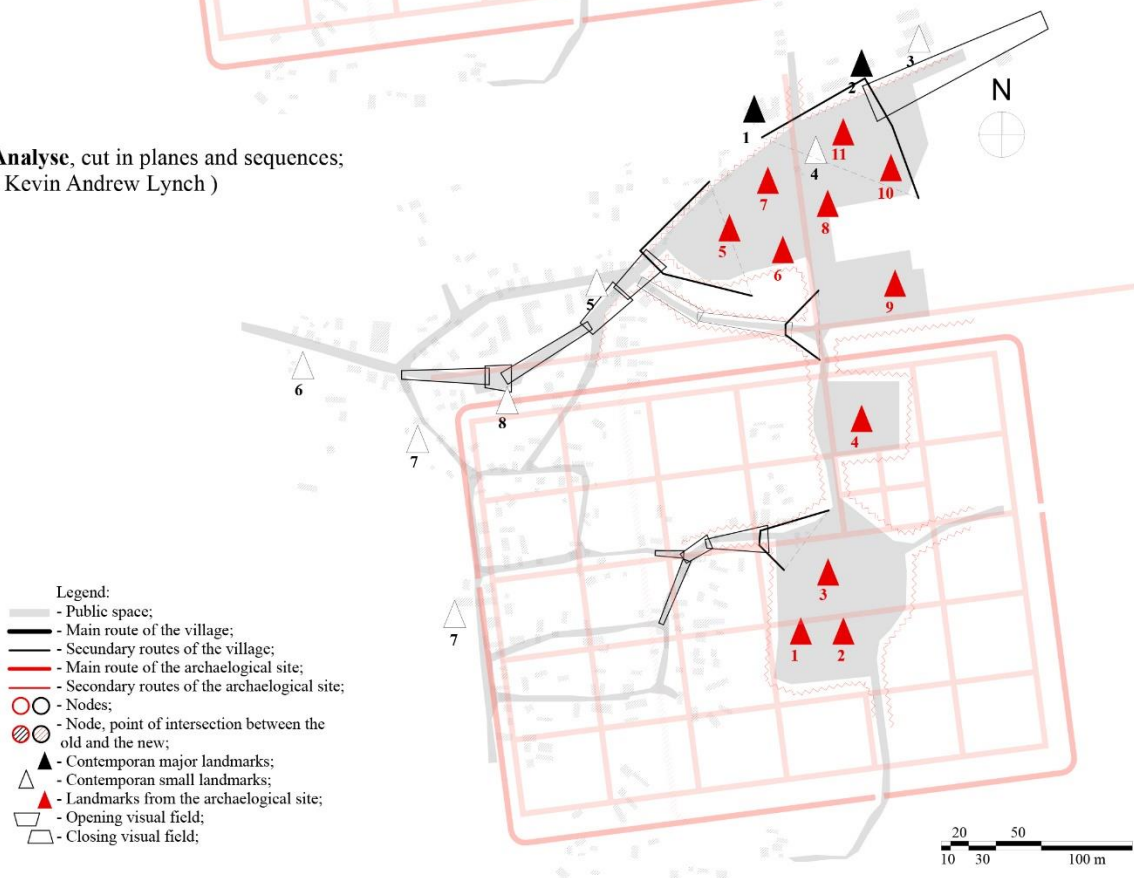


Figure 5. Ulpia Traiana Sarmizegetusa analysis

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