



LSA 498/698 | PSEU . Spring 2014 | Prof. Fernandez

### EXPERIMENT 3 . Imagining optimal public space

**PRODUCT: 11x17 print, pdf file uploaded to our weebly site & 3 min. verbal presentation**

**DUE: Monday, Feb. 10 for presentation**

A public space is a place to gather, meet, play, a place that is many things for many different people. According to Clements and Dorminey an individual's intelligence predetermines their interaction and relation to space. To solve for this they created a Spectrum Matrix tool to aid in the design process. Use their matrix as you conceptualize a space that engages a combination of intelligences.

Work in teams of two to develop:

One ideagram depicting the optimal public space (one that performs optimally for environmental, economic, social and aesthetic conditions).

Define how different intelligences are addressed and form part of your ideagram

#### Requirements:

- size - to be defined by student
- Print the document, upload it to weebly and prepare a verbal presentation
- 3 minutes per student - 2 minutes for feedback
- 150 word maximum design concept statement (for website)

#### Grading rubric (20 points):

You may obtain a maximum of 5 points for each of the following elements:

- followed all instructions and delivered on time . 5 pts.
- depicts utmost care and craft . 5 pts.
- achieved experiment's goal . 5 pts
- creative wisdom is displayed . 5 pts

#### References & Resources:

*Spectrum Matrix: Landscape Design and Landscape Experience* by Terry Clements and Sarah Dorminey