The planning procedure is designed to control positive change within our towns and cities but also to protect our local historic buildings and areas of natural beauty making sure that the land is developed to everyone’s long term interest.

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We are at a watershed in the public’s perception of architecture and design. Governments and public bodies alike now acknowledge the crucial role they have on our quality of life. The creative industries are being championed as a major contributor to society both at cultural and economic levels.

Our CPD course aims to deepen planners’ understanding of the world of architecture by providing them with new knowledge and tools.

**Day 1 - What is architecture?**
- History of Architecture in the specific region.
- Place: The DNA of architecture.
- Three approaches to architecture:
  - The Centre for 21st Century Practice.

**Day 2 - Context and Content**
- Heritage implications of development.
- Aspects of conservation.
- Contemporary interventions in historic settings.

**Day 3 - The Planning Process**
- European planning systems.
- Lessons from European Cities.
- The Use of Design Statements.

**Day 4 - Involving others**
- Architects and community engagement.
- User participation in the design process.
- Case Study: Centre for Community Participation.

**Day 5 - Development**
- The Volume Housebuilder.
- The difficult client/brief.
- Riverside Developments.

**Day 6 - Delivering Quality**
- Development Actors.
- Costing design proposals.
- New materials, new ways.

**Day 7 - How we work**
- A one day collaboration with UD students on design workshop/ mapping the city.
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