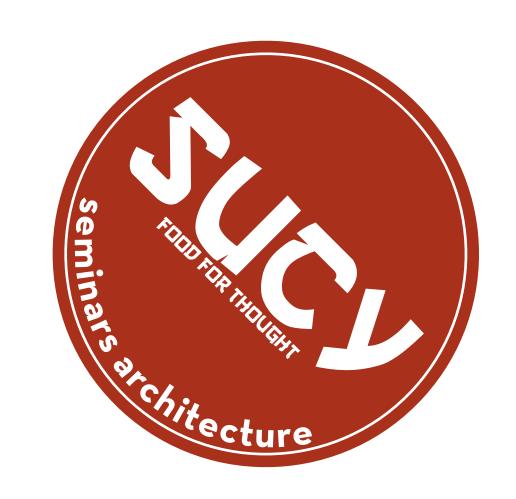
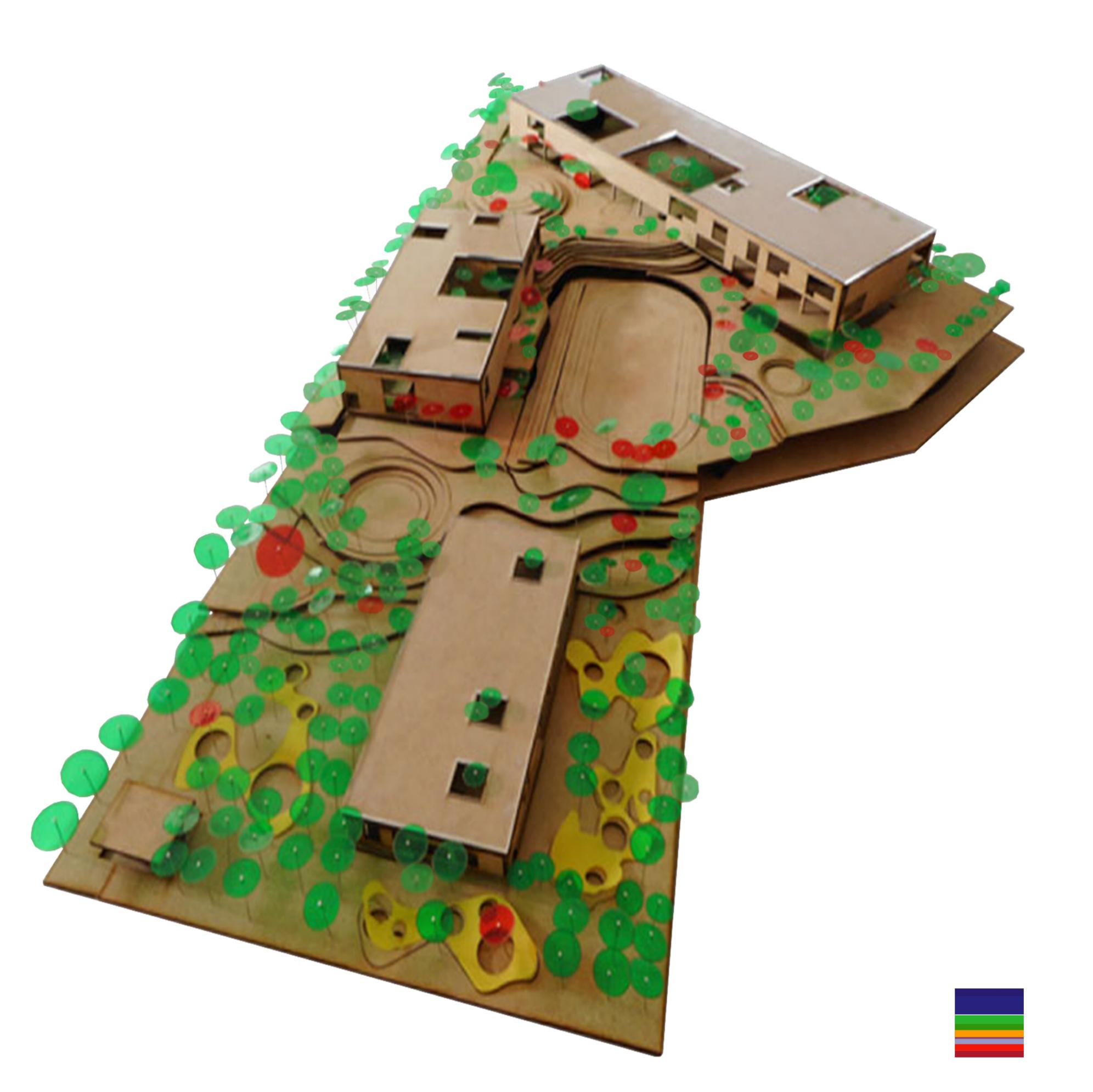
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AutonomeForme



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## Architectures and Learning Landscapes



The talk proposes a reflection on the relationship between architecture and landscape and on the strategies for building a balanced relationship between humans and nature inside the learning spaces. Courtyards, educational vegetable gardens, outdoor sports spaces and patios organized as open air classrooms are learning landscapes in which "green pedagogy" builds an ecological and sustainable vision. These environments of exploration and learning facilitate an experiential and immersive understanding of the natural world and develops a meaningful and lasting environmental education. Learning landscapes strengthen the role of the school as a civic center open to the community and define new ecosystems capable of reconnecting identities, histories, cultures and landscapes. The learning landscapes can educate people to develops sustainably by allowing the growt of a community capable of learning cooperatively, of assuming care responsibilities towards the ecosystem in wich we are part.

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In 2000 Lucia Pierro and Marco Scarpinato founded the research team AutonomeForme to define new urban strategies through the relationship between landscape and architecture. The research team develops projects for schools, public buildings, parks and abandoned areas determining new ecosystems through renaturalization processes. They have won international competitions including the 1st prize for a school in Rome with Herman Hertzberger; the GreenGoodDesign (Chicago-Athen); the Gold medal at the Holcim Prize-Europe. They activated the platform ConnectingCity+Landscapes and are part of the international research group MedWays. They write for «II Giornale dell'Architettura» Torino.



