

## Just Space(s)

An Exhibition & Programming Series  
Organized by Ava Bromberg and Nicholas Brown  
September 26 – November 18, 2007

[www.justspaces.org](http://www.justspaces.org)

Everyday we confront spaces that don't work – from our neighborhoods and parks, to our prisons, pipelines and borders. In this exhibition and programming series, artists, scholars and activists reveal how these spaces function – and dysfunction – making way for thought and action to create just societies and spaces.

*Just Space(s)* aims not merely to show what is unjust about our world, but to inspire visitors to consider what the active production of just space(s) might look like. It asks a crucial question: How do we move from injustice to justice exactly where we stand – in our neighborhoods and our institutions, at the level of the body, the home, the street corner, the city, the region, the network, the supranational trade agreement and every space within, between, and beyond?

The exhibition presents some of the most compelling and effective contemporary artistic and activist work linking critical theory and ethical and creative practice. A library/infoshop and symposia and event series extend the scope and scale of the main exhibition. By transforming LACE, in part, into an active learning environment, *Just Space(s)* seek to provide visitors with tools to consider alternatives to the reactionary political discourse that tends to dominate and frame our conceptions of justice - and constrain our abilities to imagine and implement it.

For more information and programming schedule visit: [www.justspaces.org](http://www.justspaces.org)

Opening event: September 26, 2007 – 7-10pm

*Just Space(s)* builds upon the recent publication of a special volume of *Critical Planning* (UCLA Journal of Urban Planning, Volume 14, Summer 2007) on the theme of spatial justice, which also serves as a companion to the show.

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### **CALENDAR OF EVENTS:**

**All events are at LACE unless otherwise noted**

Details on program participants are on

[www.justspaces.org/symposia.htm](http://www.justspaces.org/symposia.htm)

#### **Wednesday**

**09.26.07** – Opening Reception  
7:00 – 9:00 pm

#### **Saturday**

**10.06.07** – Intersection Repair workshop with members of Portland's City Repair  
1:30 – 5:30 pm

#### **Sunday**

**10.07.07** – Symposia Session #1 – Prisons and the Prison Industrial Complex  
1:30 – 5:30 pm

#### **Sunday**

**10.28.07** – Symposia Session #2 – Environmental Justice and Public Health  
1:30 – 5:30 pm

#### **Saturday**

**11.03.07** – Malibu Public Beaches Safari w/ the Los Angeles Urban Rangers  
11:00 am – 2:30 pm (Meets in Malibu)

#### **Friday**

**11.09.07** – Parking Public: A Tour of Hollywood Parking Lots and Utopias w/ the  
Temporary Travel Office  
12pm – 1:30 pm (Meets at LACE)

#### **Saturday**

**11.10.07** – Symposia Session #3 – Economic Justice and the Right to the City  
1:30 – 5:30 pm

#### **Sunday**

**11.11.07** – Performance: LATWIDNO – Land Access to Which Is Denied No One  
1:30 – 5:30 pm