**Invitation to 2031 NOW Webinar #3 |
Guest speaker: arch. Krzysztof Ingarden | 13 January**

Igloo – Habitat and Architecture Association and Globalworth Foundation is announcing the third Webinar in the frame of [2031 NOW\_our cities in ten years](https://www.2031now.com/) **competition**. You are invited to join us on **Thursday, 13th of January, 13:00 EET** and meet our special guest **architect and professor Krzysztof Ingarden**, who will deliver a lecture based on a Polish-Japanese student joint project of urban renovation, with a general and theoretical view of modern urban utopias and their failure.

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**13 January | 13:00 EET**

**Guest Speaker: Krzysztof Ingarden**architect, professor and the Dean of Faculty of Architecture and Fine Arts, Andrzej Frycz Modrzewski Krakow University

**Lecture:** **Urban Utopias. Can We Avoid Their Mistakes?**

The case study that professor Ingarden will discuss is a student work focused on the revitalization of a housing settlement from the 1960s, Tokyo. The project involved the Faculty of Architecture and Fine Arts of Andrzej Frycz Modrzewski Krakow University and the Faculty of Architecture of Hosei University from Tokyo. A site called Nishiyamato Danchi near Tokyo was selected and the students’ task from both faculties was to design an urban renovation and modernization project during one semester. Professor Ingarden chose to present one of the projects that were marked as excellent (5), since it clearly shows the consequent methodological urban approach.

**Krzysztof Ingarden** is a member of the [2031 NOW competition jury](https://www.2031now.com/jury). He is an architect, professor and the Dean of Faculty of Architecture and Fine Arts, Andrzej Frycz Modrzewski Krakow University. Graduated Krakow Polytechnics in 1982. In 1983-1985 doctorate internship at the School of Art & Design, University of Tsukuba, Japan; 1984-1985 staff of Arata Isozaki & Assoc., Tokyo; 1987 J.S. Polshek & Partners, New York. Principal of Ingarden & Ewy; General Honorary Consul of Japan in Krakow, member of the Polish Academy of Arts and Sciences. Curator of the exhibitions: Kengo Kuma, Experimenting with Materials, Manggha Museum 12/2021; Arata Isozaki – Ostrava, Prague, Brno, 2019; Localized Modernism. Contemporary Chinese Architecture, Manggha Museum, Krakow, 2017; Poland, UIA Congress, Tokyo 2011.

Everyone is welcome to attend the webinar. See the connection details below:

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