

Urban Research Program

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risks in suburban landscapes

Risk minimisation is fundamental in the establishment and implementation of many suburban residential development practices. Some of the discourses of risk that are linked to these developments have as their goal the production of particular ideals of community and sustainability. Allied with these social and environmental goals is the financial success of the development as a whole.

The seminar focuses on rationalities of risk (or different ways of understanding risk) attached to allegories of home ownership in the suburbs, as produced by the discourses of the Golden Grove Development.

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