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**CONFERENCIA ANTOINE PICON**

Estimada comunidad,

Tenemos el honor de invitarlos a la la conferencia que se realizará en el marco de la visita a Chile del académico **Antoine Picon**, Profesor titular de la cátedra *G. Ware Travelstead* de Historia de la Arquitectura y Tecnología y Director de Investigación a la *Graduate School of Design, Harvard University*.

La conferencia, que llevará por nombre: «**Learning from Utopia: Architecture and the Quest for Political and Social Meaning**», se realizará el jueves **3 de noviembre a las 13:30 hrs.** en el Auditorio de Arquitectura, Campus Lo Contador.

La conferencia se realizará en inglés.

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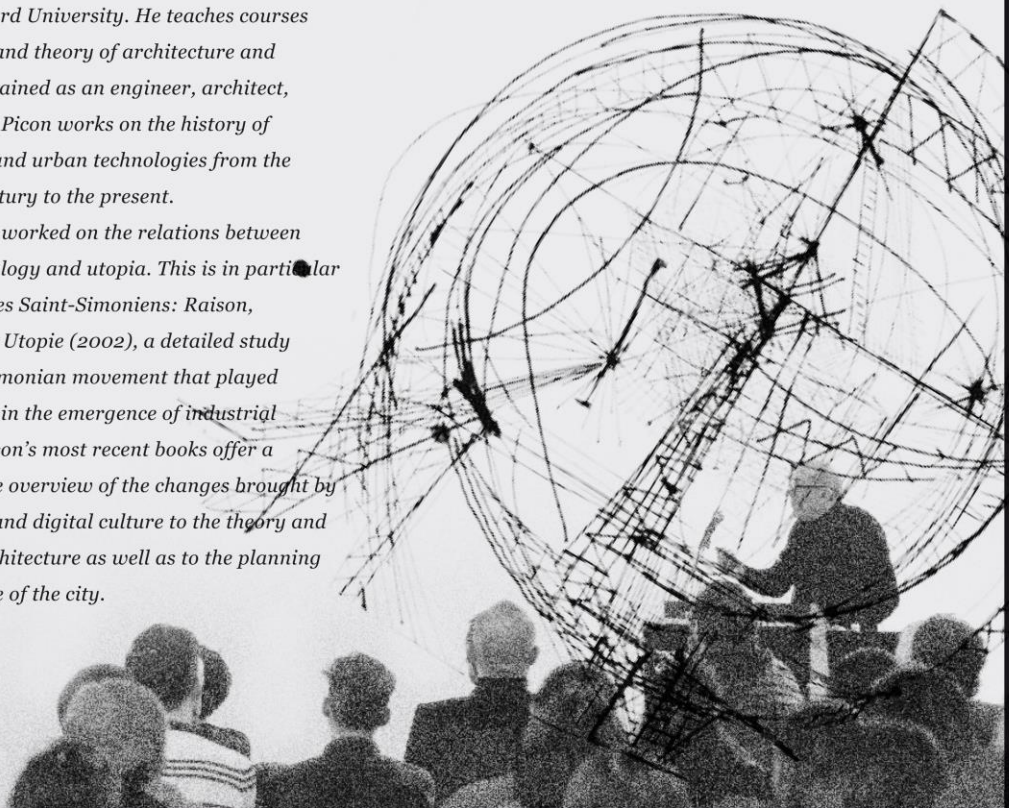
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