

**AN INTERPRETATION OF TRADITIONAL TECHNOLOGY** 

## activity **DOUBLE INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP**

Nowadays contemporary architecture is evolving fast. Does this evolution improve the quality of the space?

Traditionally architecture had the knowledge of comfort. The Spanish Persiana is an instrument inherit from the arab culture. The Japanese Sudare is inherit from the chinese culture. Both systems are still popular and valuable. Looking through modern architecture we can see how these elements are expressed and evolve. The aim of this workshop is to re-find out the value of the Persiana while looking for an evolution and new ways of use and expression. How can these blinds improve Barcelona city blocks? What can we learn form the Japanese Sudare?

This workshop has a second edition that will be held in 2018 at Tokyo and is part of a series of workshops that will connect our architecture traditions with the japanese ones.

## dates and venue **20<sup>th</sup> - 24<sup>th</sup> September 2017 in Barcelona**

participant universities	Waseda University, Tokyo Escola Tècnica Superior d'Arquitectura de Barcelona
coordinators	Carlos Alonso, Phd Architect and Associate Professor at ETSAB Takeshi Yamamura, Phd Architect and Professor at Waseda University
adressed to	<ul> <li>10 - 15 ETSAB students enrolled at:</li> <li>_Grau en Arquitectura (pla 2010)</li> <li>_Grau en Estudis d'Arquitectura (pla 2014)</li> <li>_Masters Universitaris: MArqEtsaB, MBArch, MBDesign, MBLandArch</li> </ul> Also open to current design students, phd candidates and young professionals
	of several disciplines including history, architecture and design.
observations academic	Each student will pay the visits' entrance fee, transportation and final presentation materials. Students need to bring their own laptops.
recognition	elective credits: 2 ECTS (Grau en Arquitectura, Grau en Estudis d'Arquitectura)
application	deadline: 18 <sup>th</sup> September 2017

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