

Department of the History of Art

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AHS 021 — CRN 50015

INTRODUCTION TO ARCHITECTURE AND URBANISM: SUBURBIA

What is suburbia? What is the history of the freeway, subdivision, and the mall? How did our environment come to look this way? Is there culture in this apparently endless series of highways, housing developments and strip malls? This course will answer these questions and will look at the architecture, urban form, and culture of suburbia. Through discussions, short papers and field trips, we will uncover the origins of this familiar landscape.

This course meets the College of Humanities, Arts & Social Sciences breadth requirement in Fine Arts.

Professor Patricia Morton

Monday and Wednesday, 9:40–11:00am, Arts Screening Room 335

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