

## **Tim Stonor**

Tim Stonor is an internationally respected architect and urban planner who has pioneered the application of science-based urban modelling methods to create human-focused visions for the future of places. He is an expert in the analysis, design and prediction of human behaviour patterns in buildings and urban areas. His work demonstrates how social, economic and environmental value is created by the movement, interaction and transaction of people in space.

Tim is Managing Director of the strategic consulting firm **Space Syntax Limited**, a firm of architects and planners that provide an evidence-based, human-focused approach to urban planning, transport and building design. They use advanced 'spatial analytics' to show how the layout of space has a fundamental influence on the way people move and interact with each other, in buildings and cities.

Our discussion ranges widely, considering how we get around now and how digital technologies will alter the way we will navigate the cities of the future. The interview was recorded in St Andrew's Gardens in Bloomsbury, just a short walk from Space Syntax's offices.

Notes from the podcast interview by Andrew Stuck: Recorded in June 2013 in St Andrew's Gardens, Bloomsbury, London and published in July 2013 on <a href="http://talkingwalking.net">http://talkingwalking.net</a>

## **New Towns**

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/New towns in the United Kingdom

Space Syntax Laboratory at University College London <a href="https://www.bartlett.ucl.ac.uk/graduate/research/space/space-syntax">https://www.bartlett.ucl.ac.uk/graduate/research/space/space-syntax</a>

Space Syntax Ltd <a href="http://www.spacesyntax.com/">http://www.spacesyntax.com/</a>

Jeddah, Saudi Arabia – breeze from the Red Sea <a href="http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Jeddah">http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Jeddah</a>

Restoring a place to its future – Trafalgar Square – worked with Norman Foster <a href="http://www.fosterandpartners.com/projects/trafalgar-square-redevelopment/">http://www.fosterandpartners.com/projects/trafalgar-square-redevelopment/</a>

Academy of Urbanism <a href="http://www.academyofurbanism.org.uk/">http://www.academyofurbanism.org.uk/</a> – Know your place

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