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SEMINAR 7: PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE

SPECIAL GUEST:

HALIME DEMIRKAN

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INTERIOR ARCHITECTURE and ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN DEPARTMENT SEMINAR: Halime Demirkan / Bilkent University, Ankara "Universal Design"

Prof. Dr. Halime Demirkan from Bilkent University Interior Architecture and Environmental Design Department, gave the seminar 'Universal Design' to students within the context of IAED 451, Applied Workshop 1 in Interior Architecture and Environmental Design, on 21st of December. In the seminar Demirkan stressed the importance of designing for people from all age and different abilities. Demirkan also explained the principles of Universal Design and explained that the main idea behind Universal Design is to consider the needs of not only standard people but also of people with wheelchairs, blinds, pregnant people, elderly people or children. Finally she mention that mistakes regarding universal design principles is not only about spatial design but also related to all architectural and urban project applications and answered questions of students.

