



Word Communal Heritage Site, Corviale, Rome, 2013.

World Communal Heritage

World Communal Heritage is an ongoing series of works dealing with specific urbanist ideas of the 20th century. In contrary to the existing UNESCO institution that lists world heritage sites, World Communal Heritage anticipates an institution that aims to nominate communal heritage.

The first campaign was started in Chisinau in Moldavia to affirm the open space between the buildings of modernist mass housing projects as communal space that is accessible for everybody. The core of the work is the *World Communal Heritage Manifesto*.

Excerpt from the World Communal Heritage Manifesto:

From France to the Soviet Union, Modernist town planning and public housing was driven by the idea of securing equal access to urban infrastructure, to light, air and green space. The solution were high-rise apartment-blocks that left a lot of open space for communal facilities such as schools, kindergartens, community houses with playgrounds, sports fields, pathways, and meadows in between the developments. These park-like spaces, immediately outside the dwelling, are available to all in equal measure and open for everybody's use. Let us constitute those open spaces as political space!

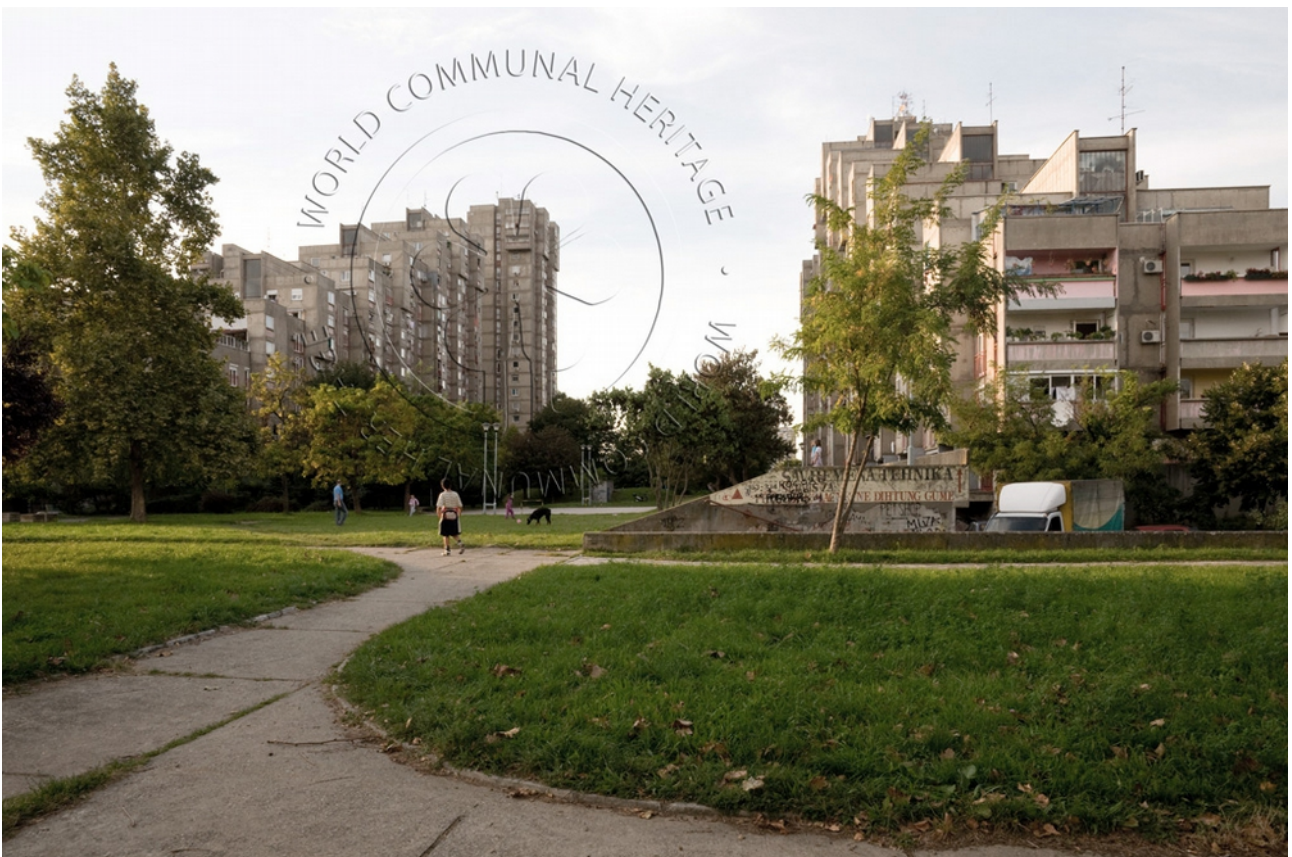
The work consists of:

Manifesto, photographs, campaign 2010-

Website *World Communal Heritage*: <https://communalheritage.wordpress.com>



World Communal Heritage Site, Heygate Estate, London, 2011.



World Communal Heritage Site, Blok 63, Novi Beograd, 2011.



World Communal Heritage Site, Rîșcani, Chișinău, 2010.



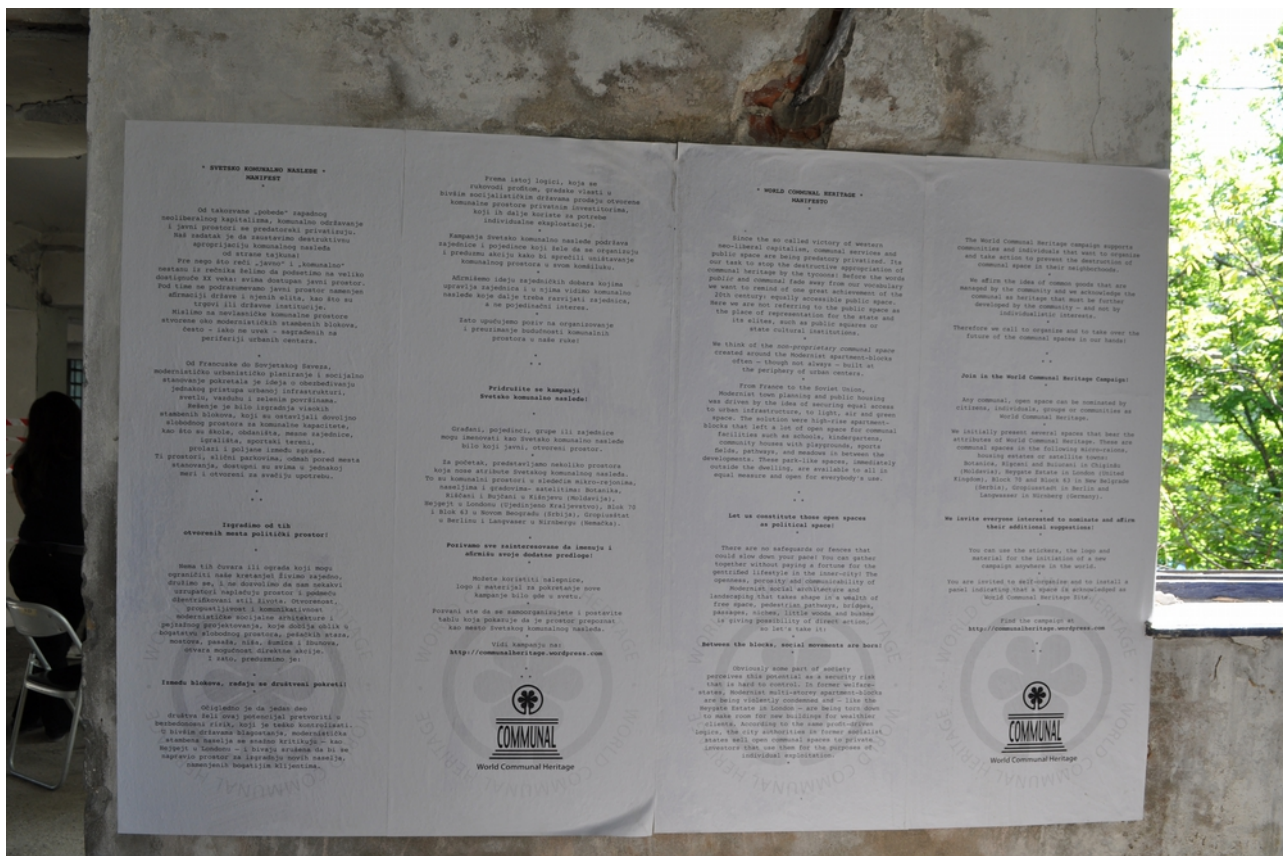
World Communal Heritage Site, Nutsubidze Plato, Tbilisi, 2014.



World Communal Heritage Campaign Inex-film. Exhibition view Inex-film, Belgrade, 2011.



World Communal Heritage Campaign Inex-film, Belgrade, 2011.



World Communal Heritage Manifesto. Exhibition view Inex-film, Belgrade, 2011.



World Communal Heritage Campaign Helsinki, Kalasatama, billboard print, 2012.

Kalasatama

Place:
Kalasatama, Helsinki

Construction time:
2011 -

Infrastructure:
200 floating flats
for precarious
migrant workers

Contractor:
European Social Fund
City of Helsinki





World Communal Heritage Campaign Helsinki, Senat Square, billboard print, 2012.

Senat Square

Place:
Helsinki Senat Square

Construction time:
2011-

Infrastructure:
100 flats
for precarious
migrant workers

Contractor:
European Social Fond
City of Helsinki



World Communal Heritage Campaign Helsinki, Kiasma, billboard print, 2012.

Kiasma

Place:
Kiasma, Helsinki

Construction time:
2011-

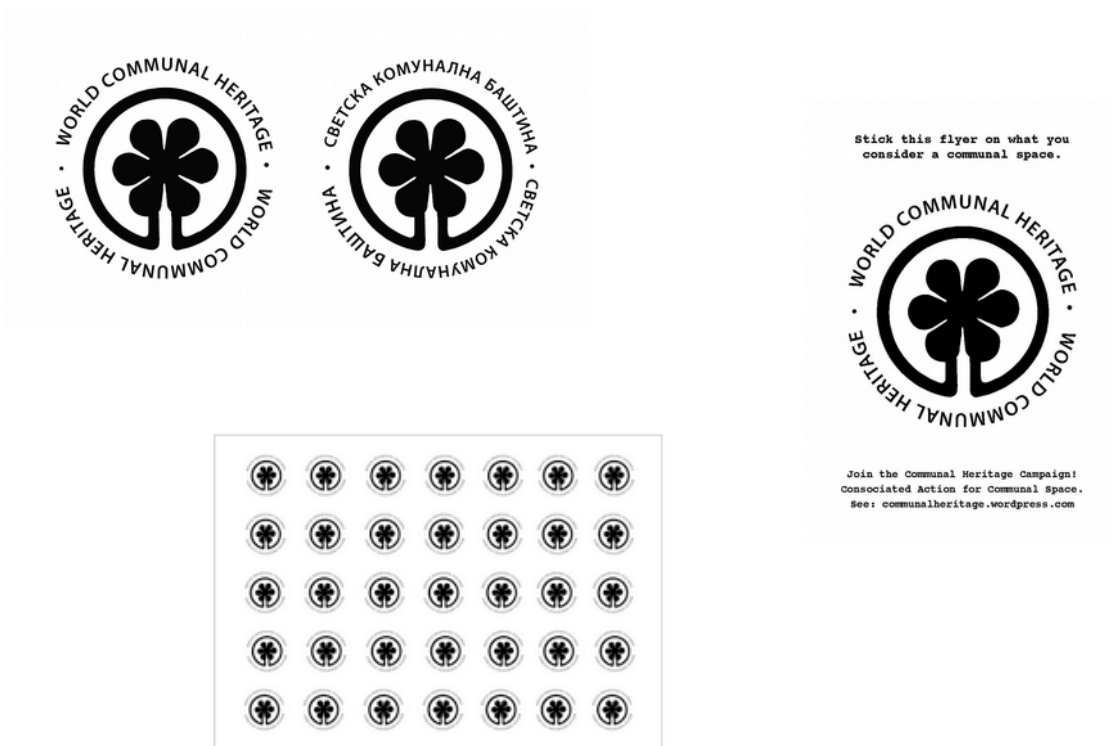
Infrastructure:
70 flats
for precarious
migrant workers

Contractor:
European Social Fond
City of Helsinki





World Communal Heritage Campaign Helsinki. Exhibition view of *The Housing Agenda*, La maison Folie Wazemmes, Lille, 2012.



World Communal Heritage Campaign. Flyers and stickers.