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Transdisciplinary Talks on Boundaries: Towards a New Lexicon

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The seminar affirms the need to apply **transdisciplinary methods in the study of boundaries**. Though this can be done in various ways, the construction of a transdisciplinary lexicon is key to facilitate a mutual understanding between researchers with different scientific backgrounds, as well as between researchers and policy makers.

Furthermore, a renewed lexicon can mitigate the risk of simplifying boundaries either as purely material or social entities. Accordingly, there are reasons to expand the scope of transdisciplinary methods and languages beyond the study of international borders so as to encompass boundaries of any kind through the commonality and variability of their manifestations. **Young researchers** from a wide range of disciplines propose and justify the entries for the lexicon in the form of position papers intended for open discussion. The idea of the seminar stems from the thematic group "**pushing the borders**" that first gathered at **FeltrinelliCamp**, a two-day workshop in urban studies for researchers and practitioners from all over Europe (Milan, 16/17 February 2018).

The seminar sessions will be moderated by: **Agostino Petrillo** (Politecnico di Milano), **Camilla Perrone** (Università degli Studi di Firenze) and **Luca Gaeta** (Politecnico di Milano).

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Programme

Thursday, 11 October
10:00 am - opening
10:15 - **first round of presentations**
12:15 - **open discussion**
1:30 pm - lunchtime
3:00 - **second round of presentations**
5:00 - **open discussion**

Friday, 12 October
9:00 am - **third round of presentations**
11:00 - **open discussion**
12:15 - **conclusive roundtable**

The seminar is coordinated by
Luca Gaeta together with Alice Buoli

Free admission upon registration: alice.buoli@gmail.com