

HETEROPOLIS

OPEN CALL FOR PARTICIPATION

The **Adaptive Actions** platform based in Montréal is working on a new book based on the concept of **Heteropolis** with support from the Leonard & Bina Ellen Art Gallery. Via this concept, AA (Adaptive Actions) questions what kinds of actions might open spaces up to indeterminacy, facilitate the hybridization of what already exists, and simultaneously value difference and mobilize new forms of urban relations, exchange, and diversity. AA also questions how heterogeneous spaces and actions might create common ground, that is to say how they might reveal radical intersections that continually reinvent the relational fabric that binds people, places, and things together. Heterogeneous spaces go beyond the representation of diversity and the collection of isolated fragments. By creating possibilities for indeterminacy these spaces act as triggers for creativity. Actions that create heterogeneity reveal the possibility of common ground through urban interventions and cultural tensions that might be identified as queer, native, ethnic, generational, economic, industrial, ecological, and so on.

Your contribution can take the form of an image, a scan, a drawing, a tweet (one sentence) or a short text (250 words or less) that might be based on a thought, an emerging concept, an observation or an action related to Heteropolis. We are particularly interested in contributions which explore the book and its pages as a unique, autonomous, and specific space for thought and action.



**DEADLINE FOR
FINAL SUBMISSION :
Monday June 4, 2012.**

You will find a more detailed description of Adaptive Actions and the Heteropolis book as an attachment.

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