



Halina Dunin-Woyseth, CV

Dr. Halina Dunin-Woyseth is an architect and professor, affiliated with the Oslo School of Architecture and Design (AHO) for more than 30 years. Since 1990 she has been the founding head of the AHO's Doctoral Programme. Her research since then has been oriented towards establishing field-specific scholarship within architecture, design and the arts as one of the grounding concepts of the doctoral studies in these fields. Her interests are various issues of knowledge in design professions, epistemology of architecture and philosophy of science. She has addressed these issues in her Nordic and international publications. In co-operation with several Nordic schools of architecture and design she has worked towards developing a more "self-confident" scholarly culture in the creative fields. Beginning in the middle of the 1990s she published widely on the concepts of "making professions", "making knowledge" and "making disciplines".

In recent years she has been involved in the research programme "Architecture in the Making. Architecture as a Making Discipline and Material Practice", funded by the Swedish Research Council FORMAS (2011 - 2016) and established under the leadership of Professor Fredrik Nilsson at School of Architecture, Chalmers University of Technology. The project she is engaged in aims at contributing to the ongoing developments of theoretical and methodological frameworks for research in creative fields, with the aim to support the elucidation of knowledge in the making disciplines, and to strengthen the field-specific research based in creative practices in relation to other disciplines. After 2007 she has contributed to developing several doctoral programmes in Norway, Sweden and Belgium (at Telemark University College, Chalmers University of Technology, University of Gothenburg, Sint-Lucas School of Architecture/ now Faculty of Architecture, KU Leuven). At Sint-Lucas School of Architecture in Belgium she has co-operated with Professor Fredrik Nilsson on developing a new doctoral programme based on the concept of research by design. Together they have addressed this concept in numerous publications.

Halina Dunin-Woyseth has lectured extensively and supervised many PhD students in Norway, Sweden and Belgium. She has broad international experience with regard to the assessment of research and research institutions.