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Hands-On Urbanism explores urban gardening through the lens of informal settlements and the politics of space. Curated for the Architecture Centre Vienna and shown at the 2012 Venice Architecture Biennale, cultural theorist Elke Krasny critically unveils a history of citizen-led acts leading to collective community ambition, responding to urban and economic pressures.

An empty lot is opportunity. On fertile ground, Calgary's Vacant Lots Garden Club was founded in 1911 on the premise of collective community good. Started informally, managed collectively, there were over 3,200 private and municipally-owned lots under the Club's domain at its peak. What's the value of community? And at what price is opportunity?

to attend:

<https://seeding.eventbrite.ca>

\$12 adults, \$5 students

the panelists

Adrian Buckley/Urban Harvest Project
Andrew Hewson/SAIT Polytechnic
Mike Ricketts/Bridgeland Vacant Lots Garden
Dennis Scanland/YYC Growers & Distributors

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