



KTU DEPARTMENT OF ARCHITECTURE September 25-27 Trabzon Türkiye
LivenARCH IX-2025 International Congress: PRIORITIES IN / OF ARCHITECTURE

“When everything is a priority, nothing is a priority”, Karen Martin.

The ninth edition of the “**LivenARCH: Livable Environment and Architecture**” congress, which was first held in 2001 and takes place every two years, will once again be hosted by the Department of Architecture at Karadeniz Technical University (KTU) with the theme “**LivenARCH IX-2025: PRIORITIES IN/OF ARCHITECTURE.**”

While the main theme of the congress, held biennially, is “Livable Environments and Architecture,” each congress presents a sub-theme for participants. The sub-theme for 2025 has been determined as “**PRIORITIES IN ARCHITECTURE**”. In this context, the congress, which will be held between 25-27 September 2025, will open discussions on the concepts of “functionality”, “aesthetics”, “sustainability”, “durability and safety”, “cost-effectiveness”, “adaptability”, “cultural and social context”, “technological integration”, “accessibility”, “innovation and creativity”.

All discussions in the content of “LivenARCH IX-2025 International Congress: PRIORITIES IN/OF ARCHITECTURE” should aim to answer the following questions:

- Does architecture have priorities?
 - If architecture has priorities, what are they, and what are the reasons for them being priorities?
 - If architecture has priorities, which priorities does the discussion focus on?
- Does architecture not have priorities?
 - If architecture does not have priorities, what are the reasons for their absence?
 - How does the discussion prove the absence of priorities in architecture?”

LivenARCH IX-2025 invites researchers and practitioners from different disciplines, cultures, countries and generations to participate with their papers.



LivenARCH-IX 2025: KEY DATES

March 14, 2025	Abstract Submissions
June 13, 2025	Acceptance of Abstracts
September 05, 2025	Full Paper Submissions

September 25-27, 2025 LivenARCH Congress

Congress language is English.

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