

# Content of Álvaro Trabanco and Sofia Gralha's concepts

## Futures concept

### Historical Utopians

- » *Republic* - Plato
- » *Utopia* [book] – Thomas More
- » *The Commonwealth of Oceana* – James Harrington (related: *John Locke's Road to Serfdom* – John Quiggin)
- » *The 60s Communes: Hippies and Beyond* – Timothy Miller

### Utopic socialism

- » *Looking Backward From 2000 to 1887* – Edward Bellamy
- » *News From Nowhere* – William Morris
- » *The Great Explosion* – Eric Frank Russell
- » *A Modern Utopia* – H. G. Wells

### Tech Futures and Foresights

- » *A Primer on Futures Studies, Foresight and the Use of Scenarios* – Joseph Voros
- » *Discourse, Speculation and Disciplinarity: Designing Urban Futures* – several authors
- » *City | Data | Future*
- » *City | Data | Future* (video)
- » *The UrbanIXD Manifesto*
- » *Critical Design / Critical Futures*

### Philosophical Approaches to Futures

- » *Becoming* (concept), Heraclitus
- » *The Future is Subhuman* – Keith Ansell-Pearson about Malcolm Bull's Anti-Nietzsche
- » *Prolegomena to Any Future Materialism* – Adrian Johnston
- » *Futures* – Jacques Derrida
- » *Crimes of the Future* – Jean-Michel Rabaté
- » *El final de la utopía* – Herbert Marcuse
- » *Dialectic of the Past / Disjuncture of the Future: Derrida and Benjamin on the Concept of Messianism* – Owen Ware
- » *Philosophy in the Making* – Quentin Meillassoux
- » *Weak Messianism: Walter Benjamin's Arcades Project* – Alexander Gelley

## Contemporary

- » *The Future Lasts Forever* – multiple authors
- » *Crença na utopia é ainda a melhor forma de questionar a exclusão social* – Slavoj Žižek
- » *Vivir en el fin de los tiempos* – Slavoj Žižek
- » Julian Assange in conversation with Slavoj Zizek moderated by Democracy Now's Amy Goodman
- » *Let Us Be Realists And Demand The Impossible: Communism* – Slavoj Žižek
- » *Festival of Dangerous Ideas*
- » *Be realistic, demand the impossible* – Alan Dobson
- » *Design for transitions - from and to what?* - Cameron Tonkinwise

# Critical concept

## Critical Design

- » *What is critical design?, Don't Panic* – Roger Ibars
- » *Speculative and critical Design in the gallery and beyond , The speculative and the mundane in practices of futuremaking - Exploring relations between design anthropology and critical design* - Mette Gislev Kjærsgaard and Laurens Boer, SDU design, University of Southern Denmark

## Design Critical Practice

- » *Critical of What?* - Ramia Mazé
- » *Difficult forms: Critical Practices of Design and Research* - By Ramia Mazé and Johan Redström
- » *Default Systems in Graphic Design* - Discussion between Rob Giampietro and Rudy VanderLans
- » *A Swedish Perspective on Critical Practice* - Rick Poynor
- » *Forms of Inquiry* - exhibition
- » *Iaspis Forum on Design and Critical Practice: The Reader* - several authors
- » *Black Transparency* - Metahaven
- » *Designs for an overpopulated planet: Foragers, 2009* - Dunne and Raby
- » *After Life Euthanasia Device, 2009* - Dunne and Raby
- » *Emigre 57* - The Experimental JetSet
- » *Call For Entries... A feature article without content* - Daniel Eatock
- » "Re-View" issue #7 - Re-magazine
- » *That New Design Smell Magazine*

## Design Fictions

- » *Design fiction* - Wikipédia
- » *Design Fictions About Critical Design* - Cameron Tonkinwise
- » *Just Design, Being Dogmatic about Defining Speculative Critical Design Future Fiction* – Cameron Tonkinwise
- » *What is design fiction?* - Joshua Tanenbaum
- » *On Design Fictions* - Bruce Sterling
- » *What is the future of critical design?, Don't panic* - Roger Ibars
- » *Critical Design / Critical Futures - Speculative Design Futures: Theory + Praxis* - Emily Kao
- » *Cognitive Redirective mapping: Designing futures that challenge anthropocentrism* - Tristan Schultz
- » *Speculative Everything: Design, Fiction, and Social Dreaming* - Anthony Dunne, Fiona Rab

## Design Criticism

- » *Graphic Design & Critical Thinking* – class first given in fall 2006 at the Rhode Island School of Design in Providence, RI
- » *Critical Thinking by Design* - Joanne Gainen Kurfiss, Santa Clara University
- » *Research Through Design and Knowledge* – Jeffrey Bardzell, Shaowen Bardzell, Lone Koefoed Hansen
- » *A plea for more critical thinking in design, please* - John Barratt
- » *Learning to Think Critically* - Steven Bradley

## Post-Critical / Un-Critical

- » *Avoiding the Post-critical* - Francisco Laranjo
- » *Toward Critical Autonomy or can Graphic Design save itself* - Andrew Blauvelt
- » *The Work of Task* - Andrew Blauvelt
- » *Critical of What? Toward a Utopian Realism* - Reinhold Martin
- » *Surface, White Night Manifesto* - Metahaven
- » *The First Things First Manifesto* - several authors
- » *Post-Critical Again* - Charlie Cannon

## Filosofia/História

### Pós-modernismo

- » *Graphic Design in the Postmodern Era* - Mr. Keedy
- » *Fredric Jameson's interpretation of postmodernism* - Ira Chernus
- » *Postmodernism, or, The Cultural Logic of Late Capitalism* - Fredric Jameson
- » *What is post-modernism?* - Charles Jencks
- » *Critical Modernism: Where is Post-Modernism Going?* - Charles Jencks
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### Modernismo

- » *Modernism in Design* - Paul Greenhalgh

## Ethics

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