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Panel

Design, Social Innovation, and Graduate Design Education

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With An Introduction by Manuel Toscano, Principal, ZAGO /AIGA

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Within the last year, new graduate programs in design and social change have been launched at prominent design schools across the country. This panel will explore the key questions that result from this repositioning of design in the context of social innovation, action and interaction. Are we seeing a transformation in design education? In design? In the culture and society at large? What are the new types of partnerships that are forming to focus on innovation and social impact work? Why the momentum at the graduate level? Does this focus require a new or different kind of expertise? What kind of careers can graduates expect to have?