

Unit **D** 2006-2007

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Project 1.

Structural growth: Portable Single Person Dwelling

What can structure provide for spatially on a small scale? We will test this through the development of a shelter for one. This dwelling should take in account the varied possibilities of site location and the temporal realities of existing in them.

AIM:

Take a structure found in nature as a starting point for the development of a portable single person dwelling. The project requires the making and testing of materials and material systems. Across the scales of 1:10 – 1:1

SITE:

Is it for the city or the country? Or Both?

SPACE / FUNCTION REQUIRMENTS:

Basic needs for survival. What does an individual require in a dwelling? For you to elaborate further!



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Time line:

03-10-06	Tuesday	unit meeting / pin-up
06-10-06	Friday	tutorials
09-10-06	Tuesday	tutorials
<u>12-10-06</u>	<u>Thursday</u>	<u>TBC rhino workshop w/ diploma unit 9</u>
13-10-06	Friday	tutorials
<u>16-10-06</u>	<u>Monday</u>	<u>TBC rhino workshop w/ diploma unit 9</u>
17-10-06	Tuesday	model workshop 1
20-10-06	Friday	model workshop 2
23-10-06	Tuesday	tutorials
27-10-06	Friday	photography workshop TBC
30-10-06	Tuesday	final review
03-11-06	Friday	unit meeting

TBC = to be confirmed

Production and output:

Making:

You will be expected to familiarize yourselves with the workshops in the school and to use them on the production of this project. General introductions will be arranged and scheduled for the unit. That said not all making needs to take place in the workshop.

Drawing:

Drawings are very important!

Working drawings will be produced and developed in addition to other modes of drawing that embody precise information.

Format:

We suggest you use a page size format for this project.