

SITE REPORT #1B

FURTHER RESEARCH

Choose and revise one of your questions for further research from part 1A of this report.

Revised Research Question:

When designing the green life in a public space such as Zuccotti Park, what have landscape architects (or designers) taken into consideration? How have they gone about the project?

Find a book, government document, or newspaper article that could help you answer your question.

MLA Citation for Book, Government Document, or new article:

Lange, Alexandra. "Celebrating a Rugged Vision of Landscape Architecture." *The New York Times*, The New York Times, 23 Dec. 2016, www.nytimes.com/2016/12/23/arts/design/celebrating-a-rugged-vision-of-landscape-architecture.html.

Why did you select this source? How does it address all or part of your research question?

The article does address every part of my research question. It explains architect Lawrence Halprin's design intentions and visual language by saying that he "used concrete to create rugged, climbable topography that echoed canyons, waterfalls and riverbeds, and were intended to bring nature back into cities riven by urban renewal. He drew watercolors of the rocks and trees of the Pacific Coast, then translated those shapes into geometric compositions." By considering what people in these hectic cities needed, he not only imitated (and brought) nature into the center of such madness, he also created spaces that people could experience.

Describe the process you used to find this source including any keywords and the search engine or tool you used to search.

On The New York Times website, I searched up "landscape architect," which was a bit too broad, "landscape architects consider," "landscape architect rules", and lastly, surprisingly the winner, "landscape architecture." I thought that the last search was going to be too broad for me to find anything I could use, but even with its 21,698 results, I found "Celebrating a Rugged Vision of Landscape Architecture" without having to scroll for a while. Like the results that came up for "landscape architect" though, "landscape architecture" consisted of articles tributing landscape architects that have passed away.

What other sources or further information would you need to answer your question? Where would you look for them?

Books about landscape architecture and landscape architects would definitely be sources that would further answer my questions. Such books could be accessible in any library including the one in our school due to our it having a major in architectural technology.