



St. Jerome's Hermitage Garden is located in Orriols, a neighbourhood at the northern border of the city of Valencia. Its urban morphology has evolved parallelly to several migration waves during the last century.

Today, the neighbourhood is divided into two different areas. On one hand, the one developed in the 60's is an extremely dense area with obsolete housing types that hosts a multicultural environment. On the other, the one developed by the beginning of the century presents high standard introspective dwellings.

The lot where Saint Jerome's Hermitage is located, acts as a hinge between them. This plot of land resulted from the demolition of the original housing of what used to be the village of Orriols. By the end of the XX century, due to urban changes, the hermitage devoted to the patron of the village was relocated over a concrete platform to preside over this wasted space.

**Context: neighbours claiming for the transformation of the space.**



Outdoor cinema



Working session about the use of the space



Ciudad Sensible 2015 workshop on the opportunities of the lot.