

## **SOCIAL HO(using)LLAND**

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This thesis project is working with the theme of the Dutch housing market. During my time in The Netherlands I have wanted to discover and explore the urban and residential pros and cons with the dutch housing. What diffrentiets the dutch from the swedish and other european nations in terms of housing the least privileged ones of us? How big is the social housing market and how integrated is it in the society? What is good and what could be better? What are the future development plans and how is the building tradition?

During the research I have come across articels and facts about the benefits of the social mixtures in the cities. How can we integrate people better in our society? Can we find a way to live together despite our differences in income, ethnicity , skin color etc? Is there a way of combining social mixture and densification of our cities through socially mixed housing projects?

During the research I have picked a suiting site in the area of central city of The Hague ( Den Haag ) to make my own suggestion for improvment. I have also visited and documented some simular examples of the dutch architecture catalog.

The final project reflects and works with the theme of social mixing architecture and traditional dutch dwelling. By combining different target groups, respecting boundaries and offering a mutual meeting platform I hope to contribute to the dutch housing market and the city of The Hague.

