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KOIAS Fellows Meeting – Reading Giuliana Bruno with Ben Highmore

A KOIAS Fellows Meeting was held on March 11, 2026, at Anchor Kobe, a coworking and event space on the 15th floor of the Kobe Sannomiya Hankyu Building. The meeting consisted of a reading workshop on the work of Giuliana Bruno, focusing on two shorter texts: “Projective Environments, Atmospheric Architectures” (2024) and an interview published in *Significação* (2023). The discussion explored how Bruno’s work—particularly her recent book *Atmospheres of Projection* (University of Chicago Press, 2022)—might contribute to thinking about atmospheres, foregrounding materiality and environment beyond film studies’ traditional emphasis on representation.

Led by KOIAS Visiting Professor Ben Highmore, the session fostered an engaged exchange among participants on the relevance of Bruno’s atmospheric and environmental approach for contemporary interdisciplinary research at KOIAS.



