



# Teddy Cruz, David Deutsch

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## Hudson 2+4

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**Location:**  
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pedagogical, urban-development,  
social

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The plan is being supported by the  
city's mayor, Richard Scalera and  
Parc Foundation (nonprofit  
foundation that sponsors arts  
programs in Hudson, NY, founded  
by David Deutsch)

**Duration:**  
2008

**Description:**

The project consists of an unconventional redevelopment plan aimed at reintegrating poor, immigrants and dispossessed people, into the everyday life of the city of Hudson. Starting with workshops conducted with immigrants and the elderly, the project includes communal gardens, playgrounds, an amphitheatre and other spaces in the city to be used for art or job-training. The project also includes the creation of a residential mixed-use housing complex, around a series of public zones.

**Goals:**

To use the architectural model in order to create a series of subtle but unexpected connections between east and west, poor and privileged.

**Beneficial Outcomes:**

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**Images:**

