



DREAMING ISTANBUL

Sister City Ghosts /
Kardeş şehir hayaletleri

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“The term "Sister cities" or "Town twinning" is used for world cities that are paired for the aim of creating good relationships between those, building cultural bridges, and for better human ties.”

So, what would happen if we were to take a map from one of Istanbul’s sister cities and place it over the map of Istanbul in order to navigate, experience, and discover the ghost city that sisterhood has to offer? – A Dérive/Détournement guided by this new psychogeographical map.

The Naked City - A Dérive: [Dolaşırken göçebe]

The following cities have been sister cities with Istanbul: (in alphabetical order)

Almaty - Kazakhstan (1998); Amman - Jordan (1997); Bangkok - Thailand (2009); Barcelona - Spain (1997); Beirut - Lebanon (2010); Benghazi - Libya (2013); Berlin - Germany (1989); Busan - South Korea (2008); Cairo - Egypt (1988); Cologne - Germany (1997); Constanta - Romania (2001); Damascus - Syria (2006); Dubai - UAE (1997); Durrës - Albania (1998); Filipe - Bulgaria (2001); Guangzhou - China (2012); Houston - Texas / USA (1988); Jakarta - Indonesia (2007); Jeddah - Saudi Arabia (1984); Johor Bahru - Malaysia (1983); Kazan - Tataristan / Russia (2002); Khartoum - Sudan (2001); Lahor - Pakistan (1975); Mary - Turkmenistan (1994); Mexico City - Mexico (2010); N'Djamena - Chad (2014); Odessa - Ukraine (1997); Osh - Kyrgyzstan (1998); Rabat - Morocco (1991); Rio de Janeiro - Brazil (1965); Rotterdam - Holland (2005); Sarajevo - Bosnia Herzegovina (1997); Shanghai - China (1997); Shimonoseki - Japan (1972); Saint Petersburg - Russia (1990); Skopje - Macedonia / FYROM (2003); Tabriz - Iran (2010); Tbilisi - Georgia (2016); Tunis - Tunisia (2010); Venice - Italy (2007)

http://www.greatistanbul.com/sister_cities.html#sthash.Oj6MjWhf.dpuf