# FIRE CASE STUDIES IN 20<sup>th</sup> CENTURY SPANISH ARCHITECTURE

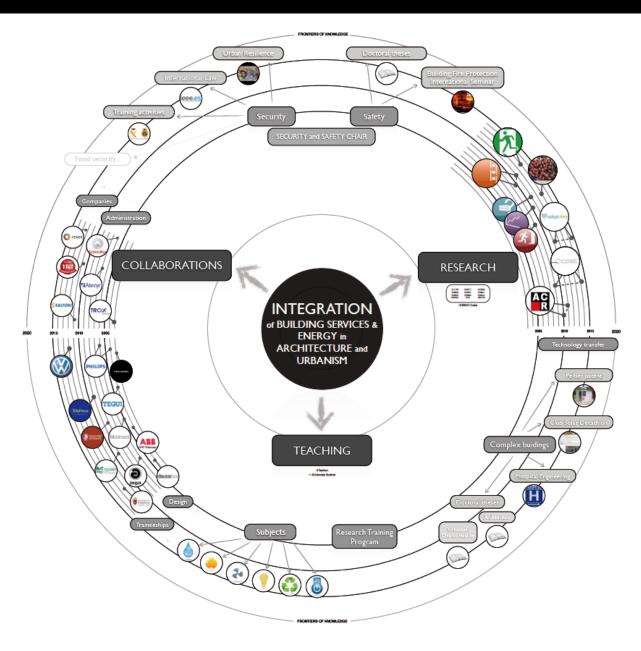
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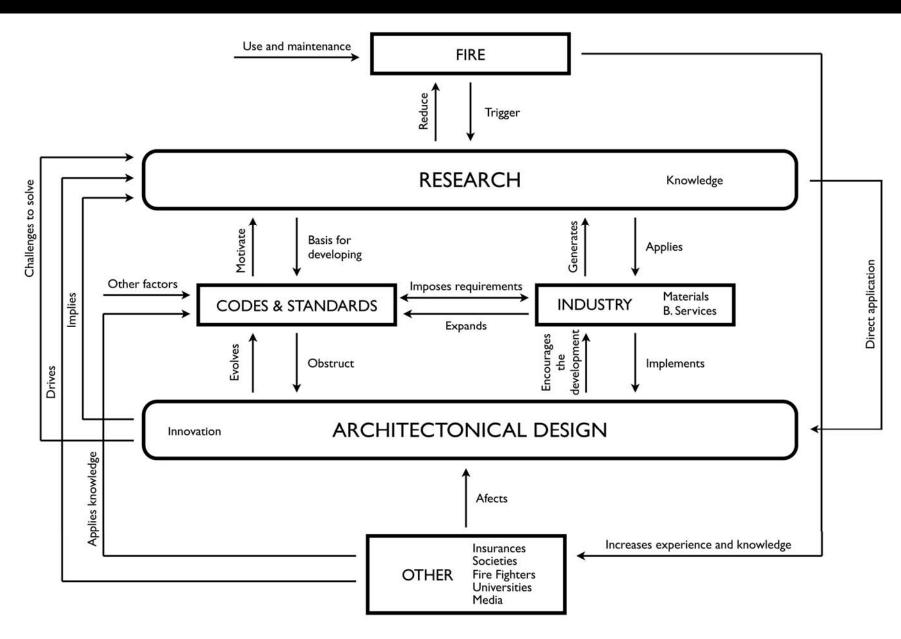
## 1. WHAT WE DO





## 2. MY RESEARCH





## 3. FIRE CASE STUDIES

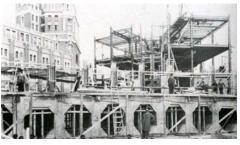


#### **CAPITOL BUILDING, MADRID, 1931-33**

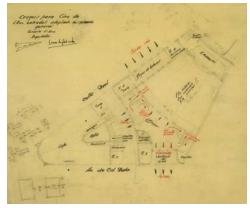








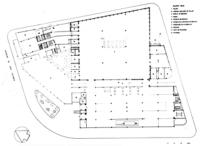


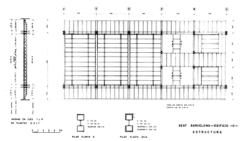


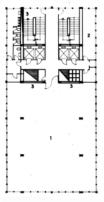
#### SEAT OFFICES, BARCELONA, 1961-64















# 3. FIRE CASE STUDIES



#### **TORRES BLANCAS, MADRID, 1964-69**











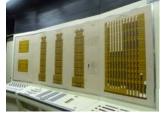


#### BANK OF BILBAO HEADQUARTERS, MADRID, 1974-81

















### 4. CONCLUSIONS



- 1. Fire codes don't make the building safer.
- 2. The concern about fire protection and prevention is reactive.
- 3. Connections between different agents are complex.
- 4. Good quality education is needed at all levels.
- 5. High rise buildings are driving most of the research in fire safety.