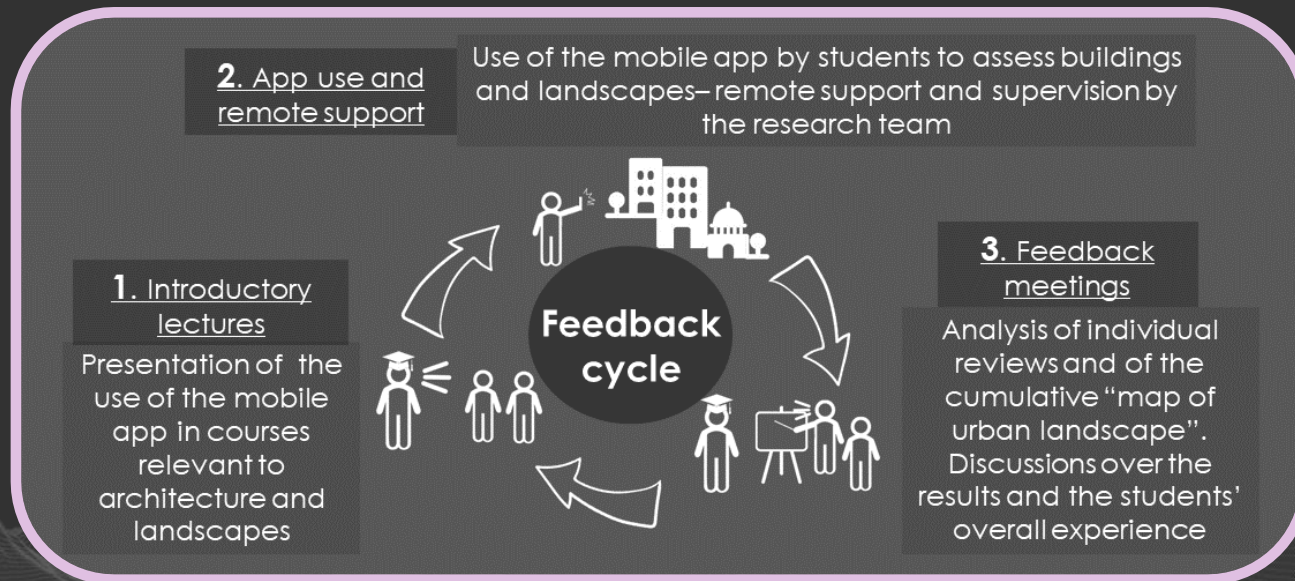


## INTEGRATING PARTICIPATORY PERCEPTION-MAPPING DATA AND STOCHASTIC IMAGE ANALYSIS FOR URBAN LANDSCAPE ASSESSMENT

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### IMAGE SELECTION AND CATEGORIZATION

Out of a dataset of more than 1000 reviews a set of 70 reviews were selected that were the most indicative of 7 major architectural movements which have affected the urban landscape of Italy and Greece (10 images per movement).

# CROWDSOURCED

Crowdsourced (raw) images using participants smartphone camera with the project's mobile app

# FILTERED

Batch filtering in Adobe photoshop to reduce shadows and highlights and adjust color contrast

# AI - PROCESSED

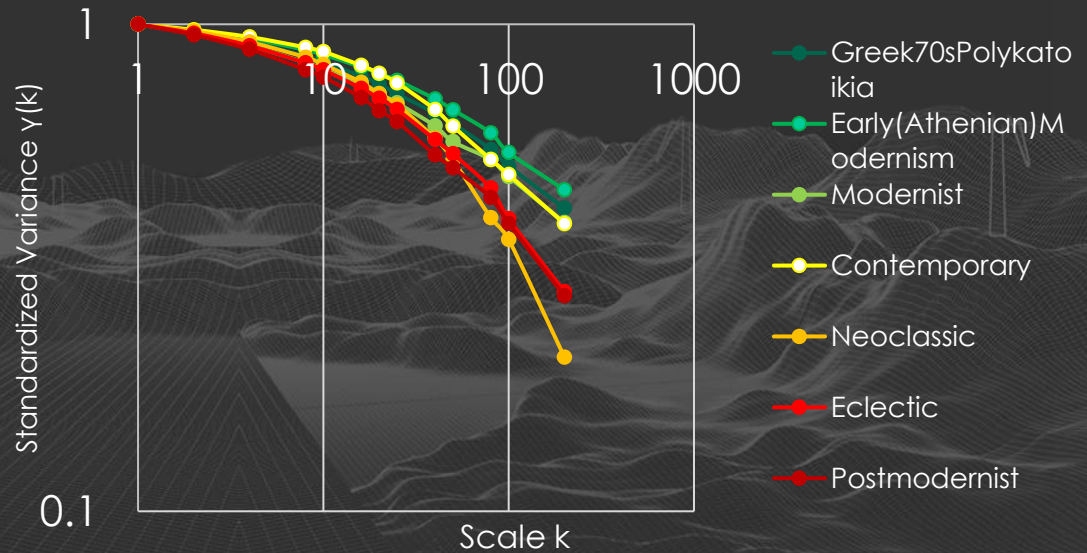
Processed using an LLM model to adjust the image to a frontal view and remove the background



## Stochastic 2D-C - Theory

$$\hat{\gamma}(\kappa) = \frac{1}{n^2/\kappa^2 - 1} \sum_{i=1}^{n/\kappa} \sum_{j=1}^{n/\kappa} \left( x_{i,j}^{(\kappa)} - \bar{x} \right)^2$$

Average climacogram per movement



# MAJOR HYPOTHESIS

(1)

## CROWDSOURCED (RAW) IMAGES:

Strong autocorrelation

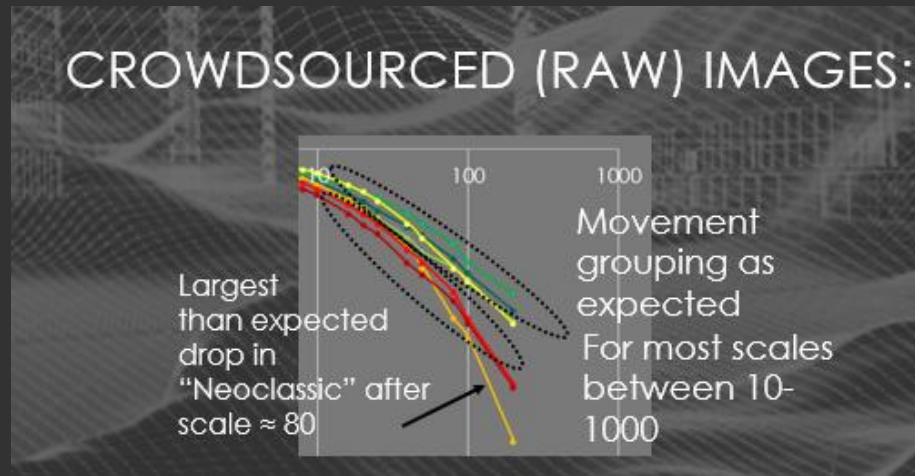
Minimal



Decoration

Weak autocorrelation

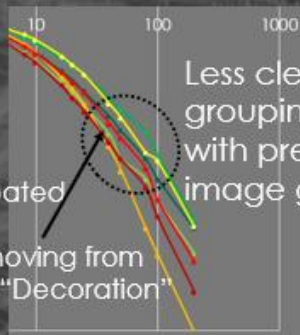
- Greek70sPolykatoikia
- Early(Athenian)Modernism
- Modernist
- Contemporary
- Neoclassic
- Eclectic
- Postmodernist



(2)

## FILTERED IMAGES:

Least anticipated Behavior by Modernist, moving from towards the "Decoration" group



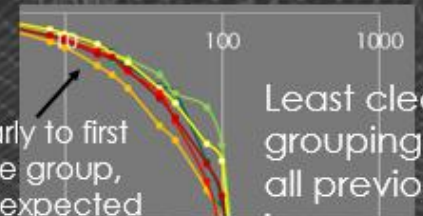
Less clear grouping than with previous image group.

(3)

## AI PROCESSED IMAGES:

Least clear grouping from all previous image groups

Similarly to first image group, than expected drop in "Neoclassic" but earlier from after scale ≈ 10



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