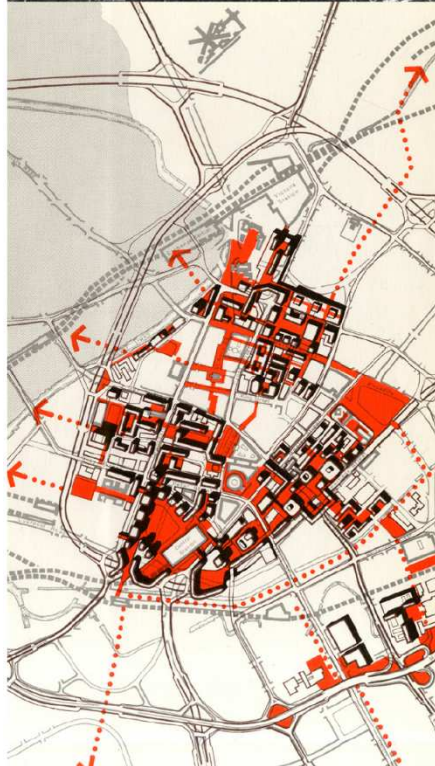




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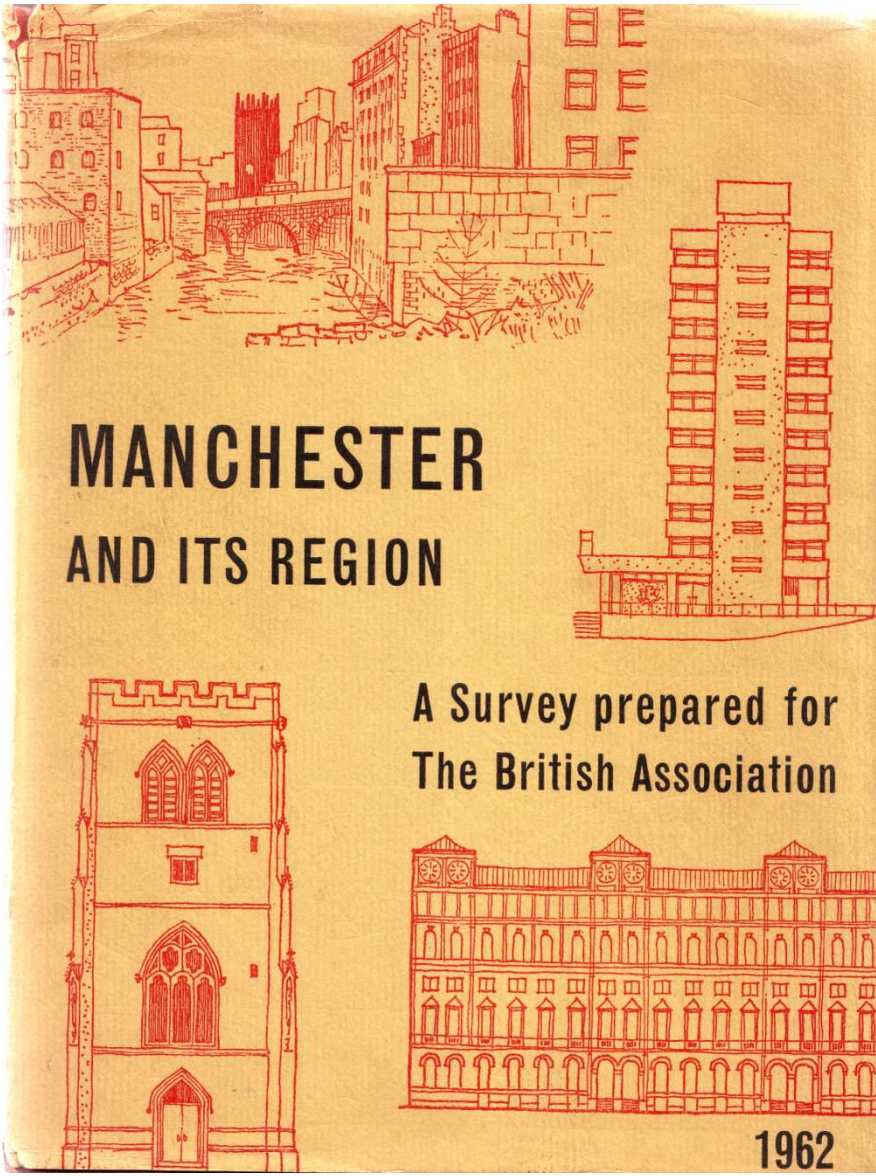
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- What changed and what drove changes
- Describing three key decades, documenting the plans enacted and projects (un)realised. Remaking the physical landscape, built fabric, social patterns, economic basis



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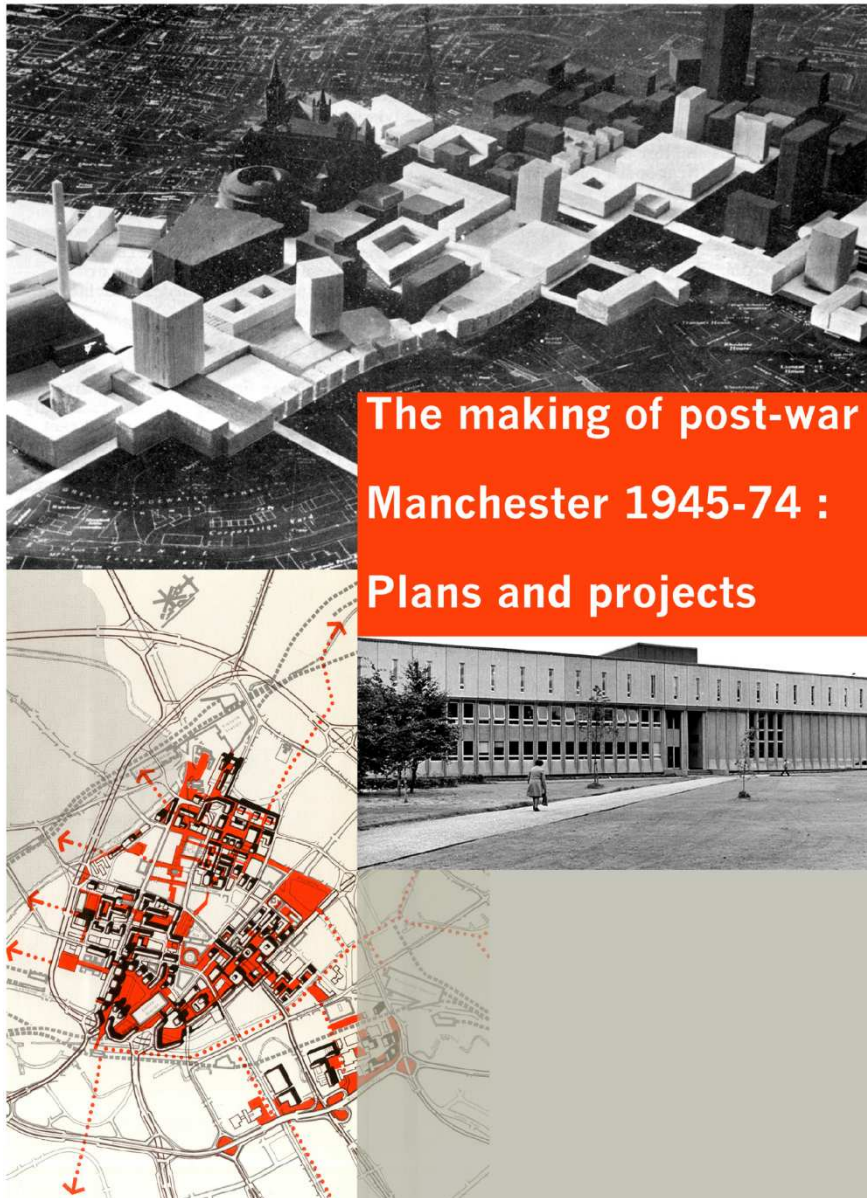
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- 12.30 - 1.30 **Lunch break**. MSS 'pop-up shop'. Browse 'Plans Gallery'
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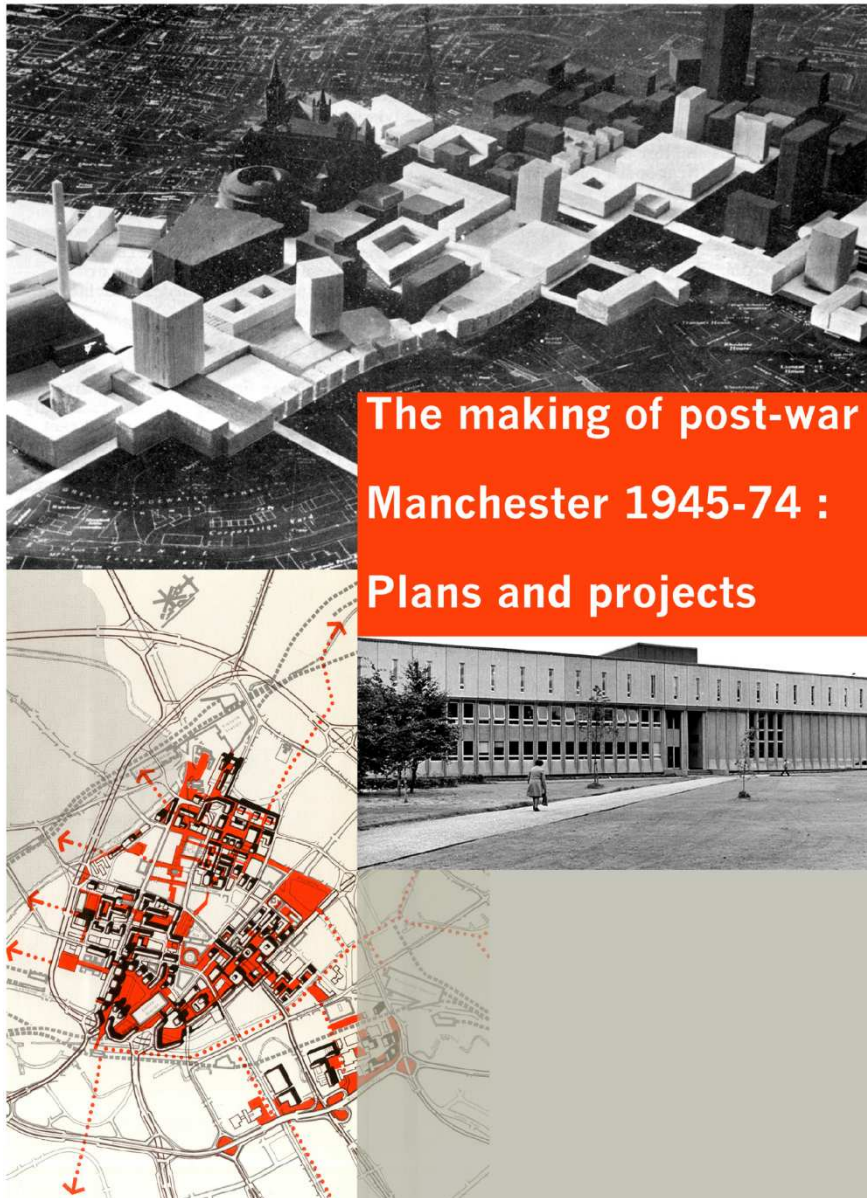
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