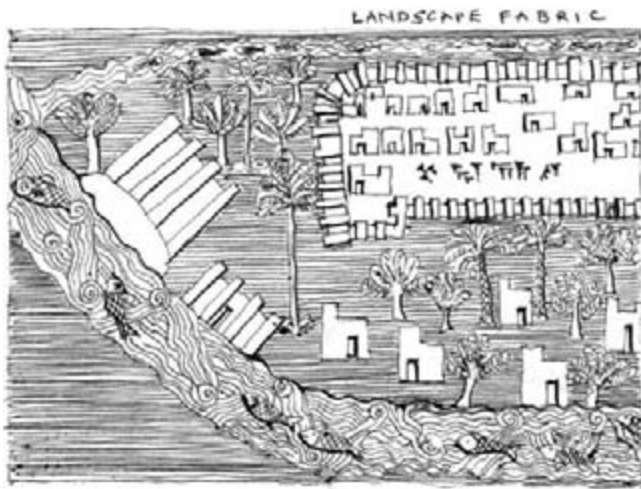


Contexts for the design of landscapes



DRAWING OF A BAS-RELIEF OF AN ANCIENT MESOPOTAMIAN SETTLEMENT
IMAGE SHOWS INTERACTION OF NATURAL LANDSCAPE, BUILDINGS/SETTLEMENT AND AGRICULTURE; CULTURE AND NATURE.

The following pages summarise some important contexts for landscape architecture. These include physical contexts such as the natural environmental context for design, as well as social and cultural contexts.