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Final Conclusions

- Basic duties for all: if people can enter a building without limitation, the building must also be accessible to persons with disabilities. In short: either everyone or no one.
- The theme of accessibility would be a reflex, a standard like fire safety.
- An equivalent basis to everyone: all together via a ramp is better than a subgroup separately through another side.
- But also fairness and common sense.
- Accessibility is a goal. Universal Design is the strategy, the way to use.
- Each site is unique and requires a customized solution.
- Design for All (sooner or later get everyone to cope with limitations).
- Avoidance of visible interventions (accessibility can subtly be embedded).
- Continuous chain for everyone.
- The person as a whole: not only access accessible but also the reception, the toilets, the cafeteria, ...).
- Recording from the start.
- As strong as the weakest link.
- Multidisciplinary approach: public participation and involvement of users in the start avoids inaccessible results despite goodwill.
- Organizational proper function linking monuments: possible reallocation of existing features such as: do not put the tourist information office on the first floor.
- Thematic unlock – social cultural mix (children, seniors, ethnic minority ...)
- Follow-up should be done by final users (who dare this action and uses press)
- Dialogue between interest defenders, historical importance and accessibility



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