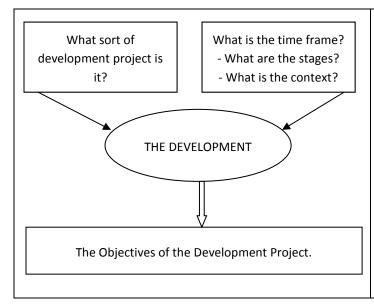
METHODOLOGY

HOW TO STUDY A DEVELOPMENT PROJECT?

STAGE 1. Description of the proposed development.



What sort of development project is it?

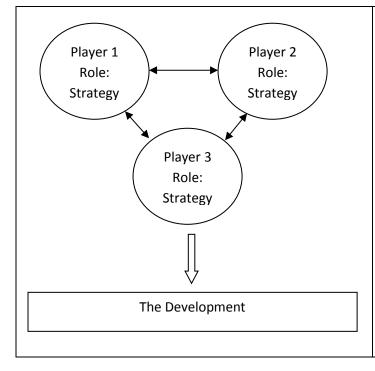
The development can be urban or rural, a new infrastructure, a cultural installation, part of an environmental management programme, etc.

What is its objective?

To make the space more attractive and accessible, safer, to give it a better social and economic balance, to improve living conditions, etc.

What is the time frame of the development? A historical and current overview of the area, the time span of the project, future plans, etc.

STAGE 2. The players of the project.



Who are the different players of the project? Local and regional authorities, sponsors, designers, developers, financial backing.

What are their strategies?

The strategies for each player and for the project as a whole. Interaction, solidarity and conflict between the players.

STAGE 3. On what scale is the development? What area does it serve?

What is the primary area targeted by the development? Living area and place in the landscape. How does the development impact the identity of the area? Communication and commercial policies, etc. What are the different scales of the development? The different uses, levels of territory (local, subnational, national, European), local and regional authorities, border areas, etc.