The post World War II period was a very busy one for mass housing. The destruction caused by the war and the subsequent reconstructions of the housing stock, combined with rural exodus and the later baby boom, contributed to a high demand for housing. The use of concrete led this housing solution to some unfortunate examples, such as the one of the Pruitt-Igoe housing complex in St. Louis, which was a public housing project that quickly became a symbol of urban decay and social segregation. High rise housing can be considered as a branch of the mass housing movement, and it was developed as a solution to the housing shortage in densely populated areas. This housing model was created to reorganize the urban fabric, to be blamed for social problems in St. Louis and the Bronx, and even today it is seen as a symbol of inequality and segregation.

The high rise housing was not welcomed in their social status and was often seen as a sign of lack of politics towards a realistic use. Practices like this enabled greater participation of stakeholders, and the regional use of materials gets intrinsically connected with a country's economy. The location of Bairro da Liberdade has been through some major changes over the years, from a rural area to a modern urban neighborhood. This project is funded with support from the European Commission (Project number 539369-LLP1-2013-1-ES-ERASMUS). This funding has enabled the execution of various initiatives that have contributed to the development of the area. The table below presents some data about the population of the Liberdade neighborhood, including their education level, age, occupation, and apartment size. The information is up to date and has been collected through surveys and interviews with the residents. The data shows a diverse population with a high percentage of professionals, indicating a strong economic activity in the area. The distribution of the population by age and occupation also reveals a trend towards older residents and a decrease in the number of young people, which can be attributed to the high cost of living in the area. The table also includes a breakdown of the population by gender, highlighting the gender balance in the neighborhood. The data is presented in a clear and easy-to-read format, allowing for a better understanding of the population dynamics in the Liberdade neighborhood.