



The 45th IFLA World Congress



Transforming with Water, the 45th IFLA World Congress, will be held at the Orpheus Congress Centre, Apeldoorn, The Netherlands. The Congress will run in parallel with the Triennale, which hosts various other cutting-edge landscape events, such as the European Summer School, A Wider View on Cultural Landscape Challenges in Europe, the Conference Landscape and Leisure, and various exhibitions on garden history and landscape architecture.

Day 1 Highlights: Living with Water

Governors Island re-emerged – transforming a park with water

Adriaan Geuze, Partner, West 8 Landscape Architects, The Netherlands

Surrounded by water, steeped in the natural and cultural history of the estuary, Governors Island will re-emerge as the next great "world park": an icon for the city, a beacon in the harbor.

Transforming with the Arid - Water oriented network development in Oasis City

Binyi Liu, Professor and Chairman of the Department of Landscape Studies, Tongji University, China

A landscape planning project that uses water in innovative ways and incorporates extensive forestry plantings in Aksu City, Xinjiang Province, China

Transforming with the Rains - Water adaptive landscapes in ancient Chinese cities

Kongjian Yu, Professor at the Graduate School of Landscape Architecture, Peking University, China

While reducing greenhouse gas emissions is a priority, it is of no less significance to develop adaptive strategies to mediate the potential hazards caused by climate changes.

Water and space in The Netherlands - Living with Water in the 21st Century

Renske Peters, Director Water, Director-General Water, The Netherlands

The Netherlands has been living with water for ages. Water still has major influences on the landscape. Dutch water policies are changing to a more integrated and adaptive approach to water and space.

Workshop: Design solutions for environmental improvements in the Banger area, Semarang, Indonesia

Hilde Westera, Hoogheemraadschap van Schieland en de Krimpenerwaard, Netherlands



Day 2 Highlights: Land meets Water

Atelier Dreiseitl Waterscapes

Herbert Dreiseitl, Artist, Landscape Architect

Waterscapes are leaders in the field and innovators in landscape architecture and urban hydrology, with an international reputation for creative stormwater management and sustainable design.

Building shores with Nature: community design around Kobe City to live with water

Mayumi Hayashi, Associate Professor, University of Hyogo, Japan

After the Great Hanshin Awaji Earthquake, a Green Belt Strategy was planned to comprehensively manage sand defence dams, forestation, forest recreation, and ecological conservation round Kobe City.

Urban River fronts along the Rhine

Cornelia Redeker, Architect and researcher, TU Delft

Rhine river front transformations currently taking place due to new conditions set by climate change and industrial conversions offer the chance to reintroduce spatial complexity on a local scale.

Day 3 Highlights: Flow of Water

Flow of Water (*provisional title*)

Anne Spirn, Professor of Landscape Architecture, Massachusetts Institute of Technology

Spirn is credited with playing a seminal role in applying theories and principles of ecological landscape design to urban areas.

Perceptions of Water: place-telling at Dubai Creek

Tim Kennedy, Assistant Professor, American University of Sharjah, United Arab Emirates

The new modernist narratives being set in place are at odds with the sustainability of the authentic experience that the Dubai Creek has to offer.

Urban riverfront rehabilitation: recalling Nature to the public realm

Sareh Moosavi and **Kamyar Abbassi**, Beheshty University, Iran

After abusing urban rivers through years of hard use and neglect, river corridors have been reassessed as important resources for the preservation of nature and habitat restoration.

Critical reflection on the Han River Renaissance Project in Seoul

Kyung-Jin Zoh, Professor, Seoul National University, Korea

The Cheonggyecheon Restoration Project has been one of the successful recent public projects in the city.



Registration

The IFLA World Congress is the only world-wide platform of landscape architect professionals. The IFLA Congress brings together the world's leading decision makers in landscape architecture, ecology, design, planning and architecture. IFLA2008 is an innovative platform where the newest developments in the landscape world are discussed and knowledge and ideas are openly exchanged under the banner **Transforming with Water**. IFLA2008 promises to be exciting and innovative, and gives unmatched opportunities to meet world leading professionals in landscape decision making and cross cultural water knowledge.

For more information on registration, the full program, Congress facilities, and fees for IFLA2008, go to:

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Fees (All prices include 19% VAT)

- 3-day Conference pass € 480,- **Early bird fee € 380,-***
- 1-day Conference pass € 260,-
- 3-day Student pass € 150,-
- 1-day Student pass € 50,-
- 1-day Excursion pass € 45,-
- Social Program (Incl. Dinner) € 75,-

The Orpheus Congress Centre is surrounded by good hotels, restaurants and bars, while the city centre and its attractive environment, pavement cafés, tourist attractions and entertainment facilities are in close reach by public transport.

IFLA2008 will help you find different types of accommodation. You can book your stay in a bungalow in the beautiful landscape of Apeldoorn. This type of accommodation provides the comfort of a personal room combined with 'home' facilities at reduced rates. Or you can book your stay in several hotels in Apeldoorn. Please refer to the IFLA 2008 website for details at:

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