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**IFLA 47<sup>th</sup> World Congress  
Suzhou, China, 2010**

IFLA 47<sup>th</sup> World Congress will be hosted by the International Federation of Landscape Architects (IFLA) and the Chinese Society of Landscape Architecture (CHSLA), supported by the Ministry of Housing and Urban-Rural Development of the People's Republic of China and the Department of Construction of Jiangsu Province, and organized by Suzhou People's Government, in Suzhou, China on May 28-30, 2010.

***Theme***

***Responding to Nature to Achieve Harmony and Prosperity: Traditional Inheritance and Sustainable Development.***

***Sessions***

- Session 1: *Protection of Natural and Cultural Resources*
- Session 2: *Eco-system Construction*
- Session 3: *Landscape Planning & Design*
- Session 4: *Landscape Architectural Education*
- Session 5: *Landscape Construction & Technology*
- Session 6: *Landscape Management*
- Session 7: *Landscape Plants*

***Program***

- **25 May (Tuesday)**  
IFLA Executive Committee Meeting, Student Charette
- **26 May (Wednesday) – 27 May (Thursday)**  
IFLA World Council Meeting, Student Charette Registration
- **28 May (Friday) - 30(Sunday) May**  
IFLA World Congress
- **31 May (Monday) - 1(Tuesday) June**  
Post-congress technical tour to Shanghai World Expo and more.

***Venue***

- Suzhou International Conference Centre and Suzhou Central Hotel

### **Exhibitions and Fair**

IFLA Development Exhibition, World Cultural Landscape Exhibition, IFLA Student Competition Exhibition, China Landscape Architectural Achievements Exhibitions, China LA Education Exhibition and Landscape Architectural Industry Fair.

### **Call for Papers**

- Deadline for Abstracts: 30 November 2009
- Deadline for full papers: 31 March 2010

### **Congress Proceedings Publication**

May 2010

### **IFLA Student International Design Competition**

Theme: *Responding to Nature to Achieve Harmony and Prosperity: Traditional Inheritance and Sustainable Development.*

- Registration and Submission deadline 31 March 2010

### **Congress Website**

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