



### RIO 2016 OLYMPIC PARK COMPETITION

The **RIO 2016 OLYMPIC PARK** is located in one of the four Olympic centers scheduled for development of the 2016 Games, and concentrates the greatest number of sporting equipment and installations. It is a fundamental space for the development of the Olympic Games and for the vitality of Rio de Janeiro. To participate in the Competition it is mandatory the assembly or constitution of a multidisciplinary Minimum Team, coordinated by an architect or urban planner, legally accredited, in Brazil or abroad. [Read more.](#)

### THE LEE KUAN YEW WORLD CITY PRIZE

**THE LEE KUAN YEW WORLD CITY PRIZE** is a biennial international award to recognise individuals and organisations that have made outstanding contributions to the creation of vibrant, liveable and sustainable urban communities around the world. It seeks to recognise individuals and organisations responsible for urban initiatives that display foresight, good governance or innovation in tackling the many urban challenges faced by cities. These urban initiatives can include (but are not limited to) urban planning projects, urban policies and programmes, urban management, as well as applied technology in urban solutions. [Read more](#)

### ACADIA 2011 DESIGN + FABRICATION COMPETITION

The **ACADIA 2011 ANNUAL CONFERENCE** with the support of FLATCUT\_ seeks proposals for innovative geometric forms that push the limits of design through the exploration of integrative material strategies for digitally fabricated assemblies. This year's conference theme addresses integrative trajectories and areas of overlap between design and other disciplines. While design's allied fields of engineering and construction will be explored, collaborative possibilities between design and other concentrations, such as computer science, material science, mathematics and biology will also be highlighted. [Read more.](#)

### EL SUR TAMBIÉN RESPIRA

**CONGRESO INTERNACIONAL FORESTAL Y VIVERISTA. ASUNCIÓN, PARAGUAY. 22, 23 Y 24 DE JUNIO.** Para más información, contactar [spap2008@gmail.com](mailto:spap2008@gmail.com)

### IFLA 48<sup>TH</sup> WORLD CONGRESS

**SCALES: OF NATURE. FROM URBAN LANDSCAPES TO ALPINE GARDENS. ZÜRICH, SWITZERLAND. JUNE 27-29, 2011. REGISTER NOW!!!!** Fee registration includes: full three days of **congress participation** (keynote speeches, sessions, workshops, round tables, science platform and more); **lunch** with local specialities during the congress; **coffee breaks** morning and afternoon during the congress; a **welcome kit**, including the congress proceedings, landscape architecture magazine and more congress material; **technical visits**: excursions to the most interesting and inspiring places in and around Zurich accompanied by local experts; **travel card** for the well-known public transport system of Zurich: free rides on trams, buses, trains, boats and on the cableways in the city; **official welcome reception** of the City of Zurich on June 26, 2011. A get-together in the green on the beautiful lakeside. Short welcome speeches by the mayor of Zurich and the IFLA President accompanied by an entertainment programme; **Open Firm Evening** on June 27th 2011. Have an inside look at the work and offices of your colleagues in Zurich. Get to know them and exchange experiences; **Farewell Party** on June 29th 2011. [Read more](#)

### FIRST INTERNATIONAL WORKSHOP ON URBANIZATION AND CULTURAL LANDSCAPE

**AN IRANIAN-ITALIAN SCIENTIFIC COOPERATION PROGRAMME.** This international workshop will address issues regarding the rapid growth and changes of the urban context and to understand its current status for an analytical approach for the preparation of a development plan and to examine its transformation and regeneration including the evaluation of the urban expansion impact to the historic contexts and cultural landscapes. [Read more](#)

### 8<sup>TH</sup> IALE WORLD CONFERENCE

**LANDSCAPE ECOLOGY FOR SUSTAINABLE ENVIRONMENT AND CULTURE** The goal of the congress is to highlight the frontiers of the science of landscape ecology and promote communication and understanding between different culture. **BEIJING, CHINA. 18 - 23 AUGUST, 2011.** [Read more.](#)

### 2011 WORLD WATER WEEK

**WATER IN AN URBANISING WORLD.** World Water Week is hosted and organised by the Stockholm International Water Institute (SIWI) and takes place each year in **STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN.** The World Water Week has been the annual focal

point for the globe's water issues since 1991. **AUGUST 21-27, 2011.** [Read more.](#)

### THE INTERNATIONAL MEETING OF THE LANDSCAPE AND GARDEN

Organised by the cultural association Arketipos. To be held from **SEPTEMBER 2-4, 2011** in the beautiful setting of **CITTÀ ALTA, BERGAMO, ITALY.** Further information at [info@arketipos.org](mailto:info@arketipos.org)

### URBAN NATURE AND CONTEMPORARY ART

**WHERE DOES NATURE END AND ART BEGIN?** The Summer University of Turku, Finland, is organizing an international Urban Nature and contemporary art event in **TURKU, SEPTEMBER 8 – 9, 2011** ([www.turku.fi](http://www.turku.fi)). Urban Nature is a multidisciplinary and multiprofessional event where environmental and horticultural art intertwine with landscape and urban planning in an intriguing way. [Read more.](#)

### ISOLA NATIONAL CONFERENCE 2011

**CULTURAL LANDSCAPES.** This conference aims to cogitate on the Indian sub-continental cultural landscapes from the earliest known evidence of civilization, to the classical period of about the fifth century C.E. **AHMEDABAD, GUJARAT, INDIA. SEPTEMBER 10 – 11, 2011.** [Read more.](#)

### WORLD HABITAT DAY

The **UNITED NATIONS** has designated the first Monday of October every year as **WORLD HABITAT DAY.** This year, World Habitat Day will be celebrated on **OCTOBER 3<sup>RD</sup>, 2011** and the Global Celebration will be hosted by the Government of Mexico. The idea is to reflect on the state of our towns and cities and the basic right of all, to adequate shelter. It is also intended to remind the world of its collective responsibility for the future of the human habitat. [Read more](#)

### ASSISES OF EUROPEAN LANDSCAPE

The 5<sup>th</sup> edition of **ASSISES OF EUROPEAN LANDSCAPE** in **STRASBOURG, FRANCE. OCTOBER 10-12, 2011.** 3 days of reflection on **LANDSCAPE AS A WEALTH CREATOR:** what does conserving and creating landscapes contribute to the creation of new wealth? Whether it appears patrimonial or innovative... Whether it is concerned with the attractiveness or quality of the living environment, the landscape is now revealed to be a dynamic force in our territories. To determine which actions must be undertaken to act effectively, we must assess the relationships which exist between its qualities - cultural and ecological - and societal and economic dynamics. [Read more](#)

### CTBUH 2011 WORLD CONFERENCE

**WHY TALL? - GREEN, SAFETY, AND HUMANITY** aims to shed new light on the meaning and value of tall buildings in the modern society from the perspectives of green, safety, and humanity. The Conference will also provide you an opportunity to experience the dynamic aspects of Seoul and Korea in terms of economic viability and cultural diversity, especially since many high-rise building projects are taking place or are planned in Korea. **OCTOBER 10-12, 2011. SEOUL, KOREA.** [Read more.](#)

### EURASIA WASTE MANAGEMENT SYMPOSIUM

The Symposium will provide a comprehensive overview of effective waste management strategies across the Asian and the European regions. **HALIÇ CONGRESS CENTER, ISTANBUL, TURKEY. NOVEMBER 14-16, 2011.** More at [info@eurasiasymposium.com](mailto:info@eurasiasymposium.com).

### ASLA 2011 ANNUAL MEETING AND EXPO

**LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE RAISING: OCTOBER 30-NOVEMBER 2, 2011. SAN DIEGO, USA.** At no other time since the founding of the profession have landscape architects enjoyed greater recognition by allied design professionals, the development community, and the general public. Only landscape architects have the knowledge of natural systems as they relate to the broader built environment. Landscape architects also have the vision to develop design solutions for the long term. This is allowing them to emerge from the background to lead design teams on many of the most significant projects of our time. [Read more.](#)

### ECOMOBILITY 2011

**MOBILITY FOR THE FUTURE OF SUSTAINABLE CITIES.** EcoMobility refers to an environmentally sustainable way of mobility that combines the use of non-motorized means of transportation such as cycling and walking with the use of public transportation. EcoMobility also encompasses such new sustainable transportation solutions and technologies as car sharing and electric vehicles in light of shared systems. **CHANGWON, REPUBLIC OF KOREA, OCTOBER 22-24, 2011.** [Read more.](#)

### I KNOW WHERE I'M GOING – UNESCO CONFERENCE

The **UK NATIONAL COMMISSION FOR UNESCO** is currently **CALLING FOR PAPERS** for a conference on **remote access to World Heritage sites and new technologies**, scheduled for **NOVEMBER 23-24, 2011** in **EDINBURGH, UK.** [Read more](#)