

REGISTRATION 7:00 - 9:00 am

BREAKFAST & OPENING REMARKS 7:00 - 8:00 am

GENERAL SESSION 8:00 - 9:30 am

Revitalization of the Wilmington Waterfront

MIKE PURZYCKI, MAYOR, CITY OF WILMINGTON & SCOTT SCARFONE, PLA, ASLA, FOUNDER/PRINCIPAL, OASIS DESIGN GROUP

Learn about the history of the twenty year revitalization of Justison Landing, a 33-acre brownfield site once home to tannery and ship building facilities in Wilmington Delaware. Landscape architects worked with developers, project engineers, Riverfront Development Corporation of Delaware, and the Delaware Department of Transportation to create housing opportunities that support new commercial, office, and retail spaces at this urban riverfront. Lecture will highlight the design partnerships that yielded a plaza and park, people-friendly connections to the Christina River, and more than 2.4 miles of new streetscape treatments.

BREAK 9:30 - 9:45 am

CONCURRENT SESSIONS 9:45 - 10:45 am

National Parks Now: National Park Stewardship for its Second Century

SHAUN EYRING, ASLA, NORTHEAST CHIEF OF CULTURAL RESOURCES, NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

The National Park Service (NPS), manager of over 400 of America's iconic public landscapes and historic places, celebrated its 100th anniversary in 2016.

Moving forward, the agency plans to explore new conservation approaches, different ways of telling stories, and inventive methods for connecting with an increasingly diverse public. Partnership projects in the NPS Northeast Region that model a more dynamic and integrated landscape approach.

Using Compost to Create Sustainable Landscape Sites

RON ALEXANDER, PRESIDENT, R. ALEXANDER ASSOCIATES, INC.

Learn practical techniques for using compost in the landscape, including: complying with soil BMPs, protecting existing soil and vegetation, using compost and other organic amendments effectively, construction sequencing for site BMPs, specifying and inspecting soil and compost, using organics as approved erosion control BMPs, innovative site BMPs such as living embankments, flood and slide restoration. Case studies from diverse contexts will be presented.

BREAK 10:45 - 11:00 am

GENERAL SESSION & ANNOUNCEMENT OF AWARD WINNERS 11:00 am - 12:45 pm

Land Stewardship, Land Conservation, and Clean Fresh Water: How Good Science Can Help

BERN SWEENEY, PRESIDENT & SENIOR RESEARCH SCIENTIST, STROUD WATER RESEARCH CENTER

This presentation will review the current challenges regarding maintaining clean fresh water for humans and wildlife in the face of increasing pressure of human land use. It will then explore the tools available for using land for housing, business, and agriculture without sacrificing water resources. It will end by considering new and innovative ways to incentivize conservation, construction, and other practices aimed at a sustainable supply of clean water for all.

LUNCH WITH EXHIBITORS

12:45 - 2:15 pm

TOUR 2:15 - 4:30 pm

A - Urban Riverfront Revitalization

SCOTT SCARFONE, PLA, ASLA, FOUNDER/PRINCIPAL, OASIS DESIGN GROUP & NANCY BERGERON, PE DIRECTOR, RK&K ENGINEERING

Building on the first general session of the day, visit the Christina Riverfront to see firsthand the redevelopment that created 18 new development parcels for housing, commercial, office, and retail spaces. The project incorporated creative solutions to address urban runoff and other stormwater management issues. This tour will highlight the history, design, and unique development process that took place between the parties involved.

CONCURRENT SESSIONS 2:15 - 3:15 pm

Repositioning the 'Burbs Through Multi-Disciplinary Design

ERIC T. GOLDSTEIN, ASLA, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, KING OF PRUSSIA DISTRICT

Using a multi-program, multi-disciplinary approach with marketing specialists, landscape architects, planners, civil engineers, transportation engineers and more, King of Prussia District, in partnership with the township and county, is repositioning King of Prussia for the 21st Century. The community is experiencing soaring property values, more than \$1B in current economic development projects, significant job growth, and a substantial increase in tax and real estate transfer fee revenue.

The Magic of Children's Gardens: Inspiring Through Creative Design

LOLLY TAI, PHD, RLA, FASLA, TEMPLE UNIVERSITY

Through case studies the landscape design process and special considerations relevant for creating children's outdoor environments will be presented. Design concepts surrounding scale, water, plants, wildlife, heights, retreat, creative and active play, and stimulation of the five senses are highlighted. Educational and sustainable landscape concepts unique to each garden will be included.

BREAK 3:15 - 3:30 pm

CONCURRENT SESSIONS 3:30 - 4:30 pm

Leading the Way:

Geodesign for Landscape Architecture

JAMES QUERRY, MRP, RLA, ASLA & KIMBERLEE DOUGLAS, RLA, MLA, PHILADELPHIA UNIVERSITY; JAMES BURNETT, EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR, WPFSI

Geodesign is the application of GIS to the design and planning process. It introduces geospatial technologies, in both 2D and 3D, to design processes that begin with stakeholder participation and can result in opportunities for more creative, innovative, and value-driven solutions. All in REAL TIME.

Hot Times in the Urban Forest: Climate Change and What it Means for Insect Pests

MICHAEL J. RAUPP, PHD.

PROFESSOR OF ENTOMOLOGY, UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND
Focus on physiological and phenological changes in plants, insects, and mites and how these changes relate to pest outbreaks. Explore how climate change has already altered the geographical distribution of insect pests in the US.

COCKTAILS with EXHIBITORS & PRESENTATION of AWARDS 4:30 - 6:30 pm

REGISTRATION

7:00 - 9:00 am

BREAK

11:00 - 11:15 am

BREAKFAST

7:00 - 8:00 am

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

11:15 am - 12:15 pm

CHAPTER BUSINESS MEETING

8:00 - 8:15 am

GENERAL SESSION

8:15 - 9:45 am

Independence National Historic Park

CYNTHIA MACLEOD, SUPERINTENDENT, INDEPENDENCE NATIONAL HISTORICAL PARK, NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

Almost 60 years ago Congress designated 50 acres in Philadelphia, with Independence Hall at the core, as a national park. The park was to highlight national landmarks and establish connector green spaces. The process included private and public partnerships that revitalized investment in the urban neighborhood. In 1997 there was both an opportunity to reexamine the mall design and an obligation to fix the 1976 location miscalculation of the park visitor center. With a collaboration between NPS and City of Philadelphia, landscape architects, engineers, architects, and private foundations, parts of the park were redesigned with input from the public. Examining the redesign 20 years later, ideas new in 1948 have been sustained and are still proving their worth even if perspective on the novelty has changed.

BREAK

9:45 - 10:00 am

TOURS

10:00 am - 12:15 pm

B - North Creek Nurseries

LAURA CRUZ & CLAUDIA WEST, NORTH CREEK NURSERIES

Visit North Creek's extensive test and trial gardens and learn how seasonal influences can impact the function of vegetated stormwater management systems and other plantings. Tour the state-of-the-art production facility to learn about North Creek's sustainable greenhouse management and growing practices. Learn how Landscape Architects can better collaborate with nurseries to find the best plants for their site's needs and how to ensure plants are available when they need them.

C - DuPont Environmental Education Center

HELEN FISHEL, DUPONT ENVIRONMENTAL EDUCATION CENTER

The DuPont Environmental Education Center is part of efforts to restore marshlands along the Christina River while creating economic vitality, enhancing the environment, and promoting public access to natural resources. The center is located on the edge of Wilmington's downtown and is sited within a reclaimed wetland--part of Russell W. Peterson Urban Wildlife Refuge. The building enhances and encourages the relationship between urban development and the natural environment. A boardwalk loop links the Center to the heart of the Refuge.

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

10:00 - 11:00 am

Restoring Beatrix Farrand's Wild Garden:

Lessons in Collaboration from Dumbarton Oaks Park

LARRY WEANER, APLD, PRESIDENT, LARRY WEANER LANDSCAPE ASSOCIATES & ANN ALDRICH, RESTORATION DIRECTOR, DUMBARTON OAKS CONSERVANCY

Dumbarton Oaks Parks, a Beatrix Farrand designed landscape in Washington, D.C., faced common contemporary problems of invasive plants, stormwater runoff, intense public use, and limited funding. A unique team of design professionals, non-profit representatives, government officials, contractors, and volunteers worked to restore Farrand's last remaining 'wild garden'. See how their collaborative, multidisciplinary approach balanced ecological restoration with historic landscape interpretation in an era of limited budgets and complex environmental and cultural challenges.

GeoDesign

KELLEANN FOSTER, RLA, ASLA, ASSOCIATE DEAN AND DIRECTOR & DAVID GOLDBERG, ASLA, SENIOR INSTRUCTOR, STUCKEMAN SCHOOL OF PENN STATE UNIVERSITY

Geodesign embraces the latest in GIS, visualization, and social science. Geodesign is a way of thinking when faced with complicated spatial issues that need systematic, creative and integrative solutions. Geodesign holds great promise for addressing the complexity of interrelated issues associated with growth and landscape change. Learn why landscape architects need to leverage our design expertise, combined with geospatial technologies, to remain at the forefront of this growing market.

Historic American Landscape Sites

NANCY MINICH, HTR, RLA, ASLA, NAM PLANNING & DESIGN, LLC; SUSAN M. MATTISON, RLA, ASLA, AICP & NANCY J. BROWN, ASLA, NATIONAL PRESERVATION INSTITUTE

If you have an interest in historic landscapes and would like to learn more about how a site fits into your area's history, consider documenting the landscape in the HALS format. A 45-minute PowerPoint presentation will review the National Park Service's Guidelines for HALS and how to list a Historic Landscape Site in the PA/DE Chapter. The presenters will discuss several successful HALS submissions and the PA/DE ASLA Chapter financial incentives to document a landscape.

Reference Community: The Role of

Research + Design in Shaping a University Campus

MARIN BRACO, ANDROPOGON ASSOCIATES; TIM TOLAND, PHD., RLA, ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR & TOBY LISS, SUNY SYRACUSE

This session highlights two projects on State University of New York- College of Environmental Science and Forestry's campus that promote biodiversity: The Gateway Center Green Roof and the newly redesigned campus Quadrangle. The discussion will focus on how these projects are advancing green infrastructure research with native species from marginal plant communities. The presentation will also explain the relationship between private practice and academic research.

LUNCH & GENERAL SESSION

12:15 - 2:15 pm

Landscapes of Adaptation

GENA WIRTH, ASLA, SCAPE LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE, PLLC

Coastal design projects that integrate social, physical, and ecological resiliency into the design of vulnerable shoreline edges will be illustrated. Presentation will focus on the Living Breakwaters, one of six winning proposals in a global competition funded through the Department of Housing and Urban Development Initiative "Rebuild by Design". The presentation will reveal how the multiple project threads of ecology, risk, and community connection are translating on-the-ground and shaping design practice in the 21st century.

BREAK

2:15 - 2:30 pm

CONCURRENT SESSIONS

2:30 - 3:30 pm

Artful Rainwater Design:

Creative Ways to Manage Stormwater

STUART ECHOLS, ASLA, ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR & ELIZA PENNYPACKER, ASLA, DEPT. HEAD, PENN STATE UNIVERSITY
Artful Rainwater Design (ARD) is a design strategy focusing on non-point source pollution, water balance, and small-storm hydrology. ARD has been used to create projects that provide engaging and educational experiences of rain, resulting in greater user satisfaction and perceived value. Case studies and specific design techniques that can enhance the value of stormwater management systems will be presented.

How to Create an Invasive Weed Control Program

DREW O'NEILL, VICE PRESIDENT, WEEDS INCORPORATED

The presentation will cover all of the different aspects of creating Invasive weed control management programs including identifying locations, species, and what herbicides and equipment you need. Additional in-depth information about specific terrestrial and aquatic vegetation will be given to help make identification of and how to eliminate those species.

PRESIDENT'S COUNCIL

3:30 - 4:30 pm

ALL CHAPTER MEMBERS ARE INVITED.

ASLA PA - DE Chapter ANNUAL MEETING, April 21 - 22, 2017

Register and Pay Online: padeasla.org/events-calendar/2017-annual-meeting

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| ASLA Member: | \$225/\$260 circle: FRI or SAT | \$280/\$315 |
| Non-member: | \$265/\$300 circle: FRI or SAT | \$375/\$410 |
| ASLA Student Member: | \$70 circle: FRI or SAT | \$95 |
| Student Non-member: | \$125 circle: FRI or SAT | \$170 |

EARLY BIRD RATES ARE IN GREEN - register before March 17 at 5pm for EARLY BIRD RATE

Walk-in registration is an additional \$50 and will be added at registration.

TOURS additional fee; Tours fill on a first-come, first-served basis. Please circle each tour you are registering for.

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| Tour A: Wilmington Waterfront (Friday, 2:15 - 4:30 pm) | \$15 |
| Tour B: North Creek Nurseries (Saturday, 10 am - 12:15 pm) | \$15 |
| Tour C: DuPont Environmental Education Center (Sat., 10 am - 12:15 pm) | \$15 |

TOTAL REGISTRATION FEE: \$ _____

NAME: _____

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ADDRESS: _____

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ARE YOU REQUESTING CEUs? _____

**Confirmation provided via email - address required.

12 CEUs available for full conference attendance. All tours and sessions are approved by LA CES. Approval pending from AICP. Attendance verification provided upon request for GBCI.

Hotel Reservation Information

DOUBLETREE BY HILTON DOWNTOWN WILMINGTON - LEGAL DISTRICT
700 NORTH KING STREET
WILMINGTON, DE 19801 1-800-737-7181

Hotel Reservation Information:

A block of discounted hotel rooms have been reserved for exhibitors and meeting participants. These rooms ALWAYS book up fast, so please make your arrangements as soon as possible after submitting your completed form(s). The discounted room rate for the PA-DE ASLA Chapter's 2017 Annual Meeting is as follows but does not include applicable state and local taxes.

\$149 per Night for Single / Double / Triple / Quad Occupancy. This rate is available for Thursday, April 20, 2017 - Sunday, April 23, 2017

Please call the DoubleTree by Hilton to reserve at 1-800-737-7181. Be sure to reference the American Society of Landscape Architects PA-DE Chapter to obtain the discounted rate. All reservations must be accompanied by a guaranteed major credit card. **Hotel Reservation Cut-Off Date:** Book by 11:59 pm on Thurs., March 30, 2017.

Public Transportation

Downtown Wilmington is accessible by SEPTA REGIONAL RAIL WILMINGTON/NEWARK line. The DOUBLETREE HOTEL is within 1/2 mile of Wilmington Station. Check SEPTA.ORG for schedules and fares.

WATCH FOR MORE DETAILS ON GROUP ACTIVITIES:

Saturday morning BIKE TOUR

Friday evening Baseball Game:

WILMINGTON BLUE ROCKS vs. WINSTON SALEM

For A Visitor's Guide: visitWilmingtonDE.com



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