

Schedule at a Glance

Welcome to Guelph!

The Canadian Association of Planning Students – L'Association Canadienne des Étudiants en Aménagement et en Urbanisme (CAPS-ACEAU) is a non-profit student-driven organization that hosts an annual conference for Canadian planning students.

This year, the 2010 CAPS-ACEAU conference will be held at the University of Guelph in Ontario, February 4th – 6th, 2010. The conference brings together planning students from across the country to expand their knowledge and engage in discussions about urban and rural planning issues both in Canada and internationally. The conference offers students the chance to collaborate with each other and with professional planners and academics to explore progressive solutions to today's most pressing planning challenges. It also provides the opportunity for students to present their own research, meet potential employers and learn about exciting jobs in their field.

This year's conference theme is *progressive planning*, and will feature a host of provocative speakers and exciting events. Session themes will include planning in First Nations communities, multiculturalism, climate change, healthy communities, sustainability and transportation, local food and agriculture and international planning. Our featured speakers include: Guillermo Peñalosa, former Commissioner of Parks, Sport and Recreation for the city of Bogotá, Colombia and current Executive Director at 8 - 80 Cities (formerly Walk and Bike for Life); Matthew Blackett, publisher, creative director and one of the founders of Spacing magazine; and a special address from Elizabeth May, leader of the Green Party of Canada.. We will also be featuring a special screening of a new documentary film from Leonie Sandercock and Giovanni Attili. Visit caps-aceau.org for more details.

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a work in progress?

8:30 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Landscape Architecture Building: Registration

9:00 a.m. to 12:00 p.m.

Meet at Landscape Architecture for departure: Guelph City Planning Tour Mobile Workshop, Local Food Mobile Workshop
MacKinnon 234: Peak Oil Futures Game

12:00 p.m. to 1:00 p.m.

East Townhall: Lunch provided

1:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.

East Townhall: Welcome Speeches from CAPS 2010 Committee; Maurice Nelischer, Director of University of Guelph School of Environmental Design & Rural Development; Marni Cappe, President of the Canadian Institute of Planners. Wayne Caldwell & David Douglas on Progressive Planning in a Rural Context. **PLUS** a special address from Elizabeth May, leader of the Green Party of Canada.

2:30 p.m. to 2:45 p.m.

East Townhall: Coffee Break

2:45 p.m. to 4:00 p.m.

East Townhall: Key Note Speaker Gil Peñalosa, former Commissioner of Parks, Sport and Recreation for the city of Bogotá, Colombia and current Executive Director, Walk and Bike for Life. Presented by CIP President, Marni Cappe. Question and answer session to follow.

4:00 p.m. to 4:15 p.m.

Break

4:15 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

East Townhall: Plenary panel session on transportation planning and urban sprawl with Michael Gordon, Harold Madi and David Gurin

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Film Screening 7:00 p.m. to 9:00 p.m.

Thornbrough Building: Don't miss a special screening of a new feature length documentary film from Leonie Sandercock and Giovanni Attili, *Finding Our Way: Healing Canada's Apartheid.*

Friday, February 5

8:00 a.m. to 8:30 a.m.

Peter Clark Hall: Registration (until 9:30) and Continental Breakfast

8:30 a.m. to 10:00 a.m.

Peter Clark Hall: CAPS-ACEAU Annual General Meeting. All students are encouraged to attend!

10:00 a.m. to 10:15 p.m.

Peter Clark Hall: Coffee Break

10:15 a.m. to 12:00 p.m. Participatory Workshops

Peter Clark Hall: Dan Sandink on disaster planning and catastrophic loss reduction

Peter Clark Hall: International consultant Luc Zandvliet on the planner's role in facilitating corporate engagement with communities

UC 441: Phillippa Campsie on Effective Communication for planners

12:00 p.m. to 1:15 p.m.

Peter Clark Hall: Catered buffet lunch and talk from Pascal Lavoie on progressive planning in an international context

1:15 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.

Student Presentations

2:30 p.m. to 3:00 p.m.

Coffee and student poster presentations

3:00 p.m. to 3:50 p.m.

Student Presentations

3:50 p.m. to 5:00 p.m. Meet a Planner

UC 333: Maurice Nelischer, Landscape Architecture

UC 334: Don Reid, Tourism, Recreation & Social Planning

UC 441: Pascal Lavoie, Municipal Partnership Planning in an International Context

UC 442: David Douglas, Community Economic Development

Peter Clark Hall: Mark Paoli, Rural Municipal Policy Planning

5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Peter Clark Hall: Student poster presentations and Wine and Cheese social event with planning professionals and employers

Note: UC = University Centre Building

Friday Evening Social!

7:00 p.m. - Close

Brass Taps Campus Bar

Saturday, February 6

8:00 a.m. to 9:00 a.m.

Science Atrium: Registration and Continental Breakfast

9:00 a.m. to 10:30 a.m.

Room 3317: David Douglas on Community Economic Development

Room 1511: George McKibbin & Lynne Peterson on Planning for Healthy Communities (Facilitated by Sue Cumming, OPPI President)

Room 2315: Beatte Bowron & Gary Davidson, Progressive Planning - A Global Perspective

10:30 a.m. to 10:45 a.m.

Break

10:45 a.m. to 12:15 p.m.

Room 2315: Panel Discussion on multiculturalism with Mohammad Qadeer, Denise Carnochan & Sandeep Agrawal

Room 1511: Panel Discussion on Planning for Local Agriculture and Food with Karen Landman, Stewart Hilts, Philippa Campsie & Wayne Caldwell

Room 3317: Panel Discussion on Ecological Architecture & Community Design with Charles Simon, Eha Naylor & Colin Lacey

12:15 p.m. to 1:15 p.m.

Science Atrium: Lunch provided

1:15 p.m. to 2:15 p.m.

Student Presentations

2:15 p.m. to 3:30 p.m.

Science Atrium: Closing Key Note Address from Matthew Blackett, publisher, creative director and one of the founders of *Spacing* magazine. Presented by OPPI President, Sue Cumming. Q&A to follow.

3:30 p.m. to 3:45 p.m.

Coffee Break

3:45 p.m. to 5:30 p.m.

Science Atrium: Special World Cafe Forum for all delegates. What does *progressive planning* mean to you? Plus concluding remarks.

Conference Closing Party!

7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Albion Hotel, Downtown Guelph

Note: All events from 8:00 a.m. to 5:30 p.m. on Saturday will take place in the Science Complex