

WORLD SOCIETY FOR EKISTICS

WSE Achievements and Prospects The Last 50 Years – The Next 50 Years September 2–7, 2012, Naples, Italy

Conference Program



Sunday, 2 September – Arrival of Participants in Naples

- 15:00-18:00 **Executive Council Meeting – Location (a) Hotel Excelsior**
Meeting I
Chair: Calogero Muscarà, President, WSE
Members:
Margery al Chalabi, Kjell Dahlström, Tom Fookes, Liu Jian (Vice Presidents)
Panayis Psomopoulos (Secretary General and Treasurer), Agni Vlavianos Arvanitis, Dieter Frick, Angela Ruiz Sternberg (Harshad Bhatia, Madhav Deobhakta, Deniz Incendayi and Nobuyuki Sekiguchi unable to attend) (in alphabetical order)
Other WSE participants:
Eduardo Barajas, Suhail al Chalabi, William Michelson, Luca Muscarà (in alphabetical order)
- 19:00 Informal meeting of all participants
- 20:00 Reception – Ristorante Transatlantico at Borgo Marinaro

Monday, 3 September

- 08:00- 09:00 Transfer from Hotel to Mostra d'Oltremare
- 09:00-12:00 **WSE visit to the Sixth World Urban Forum Opening Ceremony – Location (b)**
- 12:00-12:30 Official opening of the Sixth Session of the World Urban Forum Exhibition
- 12:30-14:30 Lunch break (open)
- 14:30-16:00 **1st Session: The WSE 2012 Program of Action – Location (c) TBC**
Chair: Calogero Muscarà, President
Speakers: Luca Muscarà &/or Panayis Psomopoulos: "Intro to activities in 2012"
Tom Fookes/Bill Michelson Margery & Suhail al Chalabi:
"Rehearshal of Training Event and Networking Event for WUF6"
- 16:00-16:30 Coffee break (open)
- 16:30-19:00 **2nd Session: The WSE 2013 Program of Action**
Chair: C Muscarà, President
Speakers: Panayis Psomopoulos: "WSE Achievements&Prospects: The Last 50 Years - The Next 50 Years"
Ruşen Keleş: "50 years since the conception of the WSE (1964)"
Margery al Chalabi: "50 years since the first Delos Symposion (1963)"
Catharine Nagashima: "100 years since the birth of C.A. Doxiaids (1913)" (speaker TBD)

19:30 Concert of Neapolitan Music at the Mostra d'Oltremare (Location b) or PastaParty at Bersagliera.
21:30 Transfer from Mostra d'Oltremare to Hotel Excelsior

**Tuesday, 4 September – WSE Participation in the Sixth WORLD URBAN FORUM
Meeting V**

08:00-09:00 Transfer from Hotel to Mostra d'Oltremare (TBC)
09:00-12:00 **WSE Training Event at WUF6 (Training Event 12)** Location (d)
“Urban Futures methodologies for complex, interactive & dynamic settlement systems”
As part of this event there is a Plenary and a Small Group session, with the Small Group session involving WSE members who wish to be either a group leader or a rapporteur (note taker)

Tom Fookes (Chair), William Michelson; Rapporteurs: Margery and Suhail al Chalabi, Dieter Frick, Ahmed Zaib K. Mahsud, John Minnery, Álvaro Uribe, Meltem Yilmaz (in alphabetical order)

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12:00-14:00 Lunch (open)

14:00-16:00 **WSE Networking Event (NE 57) at WUF6** Location (e)
“Urban Research and Capacity Development”.

Tom Fookes (Chair), Agni Vlavianos Arvanitis, John Byrne, Margery al Chalabi, Suhail al Chalabi,
Kjell Dahlström, Jean-Paul Hubert, William Michelson (in alphabetical order)

16:30-19:00 Visit to historical center (bus leaving from Piazza Tecchio by the monument in front of the main WUF entrance.
Participants should be there by 420pm)

20:00 Dinner (open) and/or WUF Cultural Event (see WUF6 program)



Wednesday, 5 September – WSE Symposion, “Liveable Cities & Quality of Life”

Location (Villa Bandini, viale Colli Aminei 21, inside CTO)

Meeting II

09:15-09:45 **SPECIAL PRESENTATION:**

Emeritus Prof. Lennart LEVI – *Karolinska Institutet, Stockholm, Sweden*

“Social Determinants of Stress and Stress-related Health – Promotion of Wellbeing from the Cradle to the Grave” (paper presented by Prof. Luca Muscarà)

09:45-10:45 **3RD SESSION: LIVABLE CITIES & QUALITY OF LIFE – PLANNING AND DESIGN**

Chair: Prof. Agni Vlavianos Arvanitis, *Biopolitics, Athens, Greece*

Panelists:

Prof. Dr. Dieter FRICK – *Technische Universitaet Berlin, Berlin, Germany*
“Spatial Synergy and Supportiveness of Public Space”

Prof. Dr. Meltem YILMAZ – *Hacettepe University, Ankara, Turkey*

“An Inclusive Design Approach for Sustainable Urban Development”

Prof. Emine Nur ASILTURK – *Hacettepe University, Ankara, Turkey*

“Design process of social sustainability and an evaluation with rehabilitated building samples in the urban future”

10:45-11:00 Coffee break

11:00-11:45 SESSION 4: LIVABLE CITIES & QUALITY OF LIFE – CITIES AND ENVIRONMENT

Chair: Prof. Dr. Ruşen KELEŞ, *Ankara University, Ankara, Turkey*

Panelists:

Prof. Dr. Agni ARVANITIS VLAVIANOS – *Biopolitics, Athens, Greece*

“Biopolicy: Creating the Vision for Liveable Cities”

Prof. Luca MUSCARÀ – *Università del Molise, Italy*

“Climate Governance and Transnational Urban Networks”

11:45-12:45 Invited Presentation

Prof. Dr. Shagun MEHROTRA – *The New School, New York, USA*

“The Assessment Report on Climate Change and Cities and how to become part of Urban Climate Change Research Network”

13:00-15:00 Lunch

15:15-16:45 SESSION 5: LIVABLE CITIES & QUALITY OF LIFE – URBAN MOBILITY & TRANSPORTATION

Chair: Prof. Ahmed Zaib KHAN MAHSUD – *KULeuven & VUBrussels, Belgium*

Panelists:

Prof. Elif COLAKOĞLU – *Ataturk Univ, Erzurum, Turkey*

“The Transportation Planning at the Southern California Mega-Region and Southern California Association of Governments”

Dr. Jean-Paul HUBERT – *IFSTTAR, Paris, France*

“How demand for transport has changed in French biggest cities”

Emeritus Prof. William MICHELSON – *University of Toronto, Toronto, Canada*

“Retooling the interaction of time & space as factors in quality of life in livable cities”

Dr. Kjell DAHLSTRÖM – *General Transport System Foundation, Uppsala, Sweden*

“Consider light mobility a crucial factor”

17:00 Transfer from Villa Bandini to Hotel Excelsior

Thursday, 6 September – WSE SYMPOSION (cont'd) – location: (Villa Bandini)

09:00-10:45 SESSION 6: LIVEABLE CITIES & QUALITY OF LIFE – THEORETICAL ARGUMENTS

Chair: Prof. Dr. Jean-Paul HUBERT – *IFSTTAR, Paris, France*

Prof. Ahmed Zaib KHAN MAHSUD – *KULeuven & VUBrussels, Belgium*

“Sustainable Urbanism: Challenges & Opportunities”

Prof. Çağatay KESKINOK – *Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey*

“Planning the future in the 2000s”

Prof. Rolee ARANYA – *NTNU, Trondheim, Norway*

“Does Insurgent Planning represent a hope for cities of the South – Evidence from Kathmandu, Nepal” (TBC)

Dr. Catharine NAGASHIMA, *WSE, Zushi, Japan*

“Rehabilitation in the Aftermath of the Great East Japan Earthquake & the Fukushima Disaster with special reference to Kawauchi-mura” (paper presented by Tom Fookes)

10:45-11:00 Coffee Break

11:00-13:00 **SESSION 7: LIVEABLE CITIES & QUALITY OF LIFE - CASE STUDIES**

Chair: Prof. Dr. Meltem YILMAZ – *Hacettepe University, Ankara, Turkey*

Prof. Margaret MACKENZIE-HOOSON – *California College of the Arts, San Francisco, USA*

“Gerhard Rosenberg: Pioneer in culturally responsive planning for Polynesian migrants to New Zealand cities”

Prof. Bilge Sayil ONARAN – *Hacettepe University, Ankara, Turkey*

“Transformation of Shopping Areas in Future Cities”

Prof. Jaroslav MACHÁČEK – *University of Economics, Prague, Czech Republic*

“Amenity Migration and Quality of Life in Settlements”

Arch. Talik CHALABI – *CAP, Vienna, Austria*

“Conceptual master plan for a university campus in Iraqi Kurdistan and other projects”

Prof. Petros PETSIMERIS – *Université Paris 1, Panthéon-Sorbonne*

“Spatiality and Temporality of Urban Diffusion: the cases of Italy and Spain”

Prof. Dr. Ruşen KELEŞ – *Ankara University, Ankara, Turkey*

“Quality of Urban Life in Turkey and the Policies of Urbanization and Environment”

13:00-14:15 Lunch

14:30-16:00 Departure for Caserta

16:00-17:30 **Visit to the Royal Park of the Vanvitelli Complex (Reggia di Caserta)**

17:30-19:00 **Visit to the Royal Apartments of the Vanvitelli Complex (Reggia di Caserta)**

20:00 Dinner at Staropruga Restaurant

22:00 Return to Hotel Excelsior

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Friday, 7 September – Location (d)

08:30-09:00 Transfer from Hotel to Università L'Orientale – Palazzo Du Mesnil (walking distance from Excelsior)

09:00-09:30 **Welcome address** by Prof. Lida VIGANONI, provost of the Università degli Studi di Napoli L'Orientale

Opening of the Session: Calogero Muscarà, President, WSE
 09:30-11:00 **The C.A. Doxiadis 2012 Lecture Meeting III**
 Prof. Cesare DE SETA, Università di Napoli Federico II: *Naples Urban History*
 11:00-11:15 Coffee Break
 11:15-13:00 **Special Session on Urbanization in the People's Republic of China**
 Prof. MAO Feng *Human Settlement Evolution In Erlitou Site During 1900 B.C To 1500 B.C*
 Prof. MAO Qizhi *General Trends of Urbanization in China*
 Prof. SHAO Lei *Urban Housing Reform and Housing Security System in China*
 Dr. HUANG He *Cultural & Creative Industries in Beijing*
 Prof. LIU Jiang - *Research and Practice of Sciences of Human Settlements in China*
 13:00-14.30 Lunch
 14:30-15:15 **The F. Compagna Lecture:** by Prof. Italo TALIA, Università di Napoli Federico II
Francesco Compagna: Europe and the "weakest regions"
 15.15-15:30 **World Society for Ekistics Award to Università L'Orientale**
 15:30-19:00 **Executive Council Meeting and General Assembly Meeting IV**
 21:00 Farewell Dinner