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CITIES & CLIMATE CHANGE SYMPOSIUM

The Boston Society of Architects and MIT's School of Architecture and Planning are initiating two open symposia starting in March 2008, gathering leading urbanists from the United States and overseas to frame the issues and opportunities facing the modern city in a period of global climate change and resource depletion. The goal is to establish a design and policy agenda for Boston and the New England region that benefits from best practices elsewhere and sets new standards for ensuring the environmental, economic and social sustainability of the city in a global economy.

Speakers will include architects, engineers, urban and regional planners, political leaders and specialists in urban policy, public health, new technologies and transportation. The expected audience will reflect an equally wide range of interests whose common point of enquiry is the future design and development of the 'green city'.

Symposium 1 > Friday March 28, 2008
Symposium 2 > Monday June 9, 2008

BSA  Massachusetts
Institute of
Technology

SCHEDULE & LIST OF SPEAKERS

8:30 Arrival | Registration | Coffee

9:00 Introduction TBD
 KEYNOTE ADDRESS Jaime Lerner, former Mayor of Curitiba, Brazil

10:00 Break

10:30 Session 1 GREEN CITIES | GREEN BUILDINGS
 Moderator TBD
 Zero Energy / Zero Carbon Fiona Cousins, Arup Associates, New York
 Tall Buildings Christoph Ingenhoven, Ingenhoven, Dsseldorf, Germany
 The Developer's View TBD

12:30 Lunch

13:30 Session 2 10 SLIDES | 10 MINUTES
 Moderator: Metropolis Magazine
 Six ten-minute presentations by innovators in the field, followed by discussion

15:00 Break

15:30 Session 3 GREEN CITIES | GREEN SYSTEMS
 Moderator TBD
 Harvard Green Campus Leith Sharp, Director Harvard Green Campus Building Initiative + TransSolar
 Boston Harbor: Plans A+B Antonio DiMambro, DiMambro Associates, Boston
 Landscape as Urban Utility Peter + Anneliese Latz, Kranzberg, Germany

17:30 Break

18:00 Session 4 TRANSLATION AND IMPLEMENTATION
 Moderator: TBD
 Political leaders, advocates and administrators discuss ways in which programs and projects can be translated into the US and New England context.

19:30 Dinner

NATURAL SYSTEMS & ARCHITECTURE FOR THE GREEN CITY

Green Cities | Green Buildings

Green Cities | Green Systems



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 Distributed Energy Allan Jones, Director London Climate Change Agency
 Seattle's Energy Gary Lawrence, Arup Associates, Seattle
 Chicago's Energy Sadhu Johnston, Mayor's Office, Chicago

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 Chips with Everything Bill Mitchell, MediaLab, MIT
 Mobility Technologies Trent Lethco, Arup Associates, New York
 Mobility, Energy, Waste Keith Collins, Manitoba

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ENERGY & MOBILITY IN THE GREEN CITY

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