

Academy Congress VII

The Resilient City
Derry~Londonderry 9 - 11 May 2012

Booking Form - or book online at academyofurbanism.org.uk

All prices below exclude VAT

1. The Congress
9 - 11 May 2012
Includes: City Tours, Evening Reception and Congress

- Standard ticket Academicians - £160 + VAT
 Standard ticket Non-Academicians - £180 + VAT
 Day ticket Academicians - £100 + VAT
 Day ticket Non-Academicians - £120 + VAT

Free full-time student places available - please call the Academy for further details

To assist our planning, please indicate if you will join us for the following:

- Wed 9 May
 Bus Tour Walking Tour
 Thursday 10 May
 Friday 11 May

2. The Congress Dinner
Thursday 10 May 2012
Reception, 3-course Dinner and Entertainment

- Standard ticket - £70 + VAT
 Table booking - £560 + VAT (10 for price of 8)

Please submit individual booking forms for each guest no later than Friday 4 May 2012, including any dietary or access requirements.

Return this form to:
The Academy of Urbanism, 70 Cowcross Street,
London, EC1M 6EJ **Or email to:** sg@academyofurbanism.org.uk

Confirmation
Your booking will be confirmed by email. A receipted VAT invoice will be emailed out no later than 5 business days before the event. If you have not received acknowledgment of your booking 7 days prior to the event, please contact us on +44 (0) 20 7251 8777.

Terms and Conditions
Bookings are subject to cancellation charges at the following rates
100% = 5 working days or fewer 50% = 6-15 working days
Email cancellations to sg@academyofurbanism.org.uk
Substitutions are permitted.

Travel & Accommodation
Please visit academyofurbanism.org.uk for more information on flights and hotels available to Derry~Londonderry

Delegate Details

Name

Position

Company

Email

Address

Tel / Fax

Special Requirements (dietary or access needs)

Group Booking Co-ordinator

Where you are booking as part of a group, please provide the name of the person co-ordinating your group to ensure we can cross-check details.

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Annual Congress VII The Resilient City Derry~Londonderry 9-11 May 2012



The robustness of our urban settlements in challenging times will be explored through the prism of the award-winning city of Derry~Londonderry, current holder of the Academy's Great Town Award and due to be the first UK City of Culture in 2013.

The city's exceptional physical and community story will be used to explore the resilience and adaptability of place through themes of heritage and culture, community and social capital, economic regeneration and urban design.

The 17th century walled city of Derry~Londonderry is the jewel in the crown of the 23 new towns created during the Plantation of Ulster. Its compact urban grid,

influenced by French predecessor Vitry-le-Francois, is believed to have been the prototype for early English colonial settlements in North America, including Philadelphia. 400 years later, the role of imaginative mindsets in transforming places is symbolised by Derry's 21st Century 'Peace Bridge'.

The Congress will draw an international audience and will engage directly with the host community in purposeful inquiry through interactive workshops that will share learning and leave a lasting legacy.

With lots of joyous celebration thrown in it promises to be our most distinctive and memorable Congress yet.

For updated programme details visit academyofurbanism.org.uk

Wednesday 9 May 2012

Cultúrlann Uí Chanáin
37 Great James Street

- 14.00 Registration
Performance by University of Ulster Magee,
School of Creative Arts, Dance strand
- 14.30 Welcome to Derry~Londonderry
Sharon O'Connor, Chief Executive, Derry City Council
Kevin Murray, Chairman, The Academy of Urbanism

14.45 STUDY TOURS

Option 1: City Centre Walking Tour led by
Mary McLaughlin AoU, Walled City Partnership
and local AoU members/PLACE

Option 2: Coach Tour of Derry~Londonderry
and its Hinterland



- 17.00 From Monastic to Modern
The Making and Re-making of
Derry~Londonderry from the 6th Century
Dr Brian Lacey, Archaeologist & Historian

18.00 EVENING CIVIC RECEPTION

St Augustine's Church, Palace Street

Hosted by Derry City Council
Welcome by Mayor Alderman Maurice Devenney
Performance by the University of Ulster Choir
School of Creative Arts, Music strand

- 20.00 Visit to the Apprentice Boys Memorial Hall

Delegates make own arrangements for evening
meal / entertainment



Celebrations in Derry~Londonderry

Thursday 10 May 2012

The Playhouse
5 - 7 Artillery Street

- 09.00 Registration

CITY NARRATIVE - THE RESILIENT CITY

- 09.30 Welcome
Kevin Murray, Chairman, AoU
- 09.40 **The Northern Ireland Perspective**
Alex Attwood MLA, Minister of the Environment
Department of the Environment,
Northern Ireland Assembly
The Derry~Londonderry Perspective
Aideen McGinley, Chief Executive,
Ilex URC
The Community Perspective
Eamonn McCann, Journalist,
Author, Political Activist
The Importance of Culture
Speaker representing the Department of Culture,
Arts and Leisure, Northern Ireland Assembly
The Role of Culture in Community Resilience
Shona McCarthy, Chief Executive
Culture Company

- 10.50 Questions and Debate

- 11.00 Refreshments



The Peace Bridge

DIMENSIONS OF RESILIENCE

- 11.20 Introduction by session Chair

Direction of Travel on Streets & Placemaking
Ben Hamilton-Baillie, Hamilton-Baillie Associates
The Strategic Role of Design in Resilience
Bryan Boyer, Strategic Design Lead,
SITRA, Finnish Innovation Fund
Resilient Cross-Border Towns & Cities
Hans Mommaas, Scientific Director, Brabant
Centre for Sustainable Development, Netherlands
People Who Are Neither But Somewhere in the Margin
Dr Aine Downey, Retired Senior Lecturer in Adult
and Community Education, University of Ulster

- 12.45 Questions and Discussion

- 13.00 Lunch

DERRY~LONDONDERRY LEARNING EXCHANGE

- 13.45 Six interactive workshops within which delegates
will explore, with local representatives, real live
projects and key initiatives.

- 1 Greater Ebrington
Mixed-use community - how to create a Place
- 2 Harbour Square / Riverside / Queen's Quay
Streets, spaces and movement
Ben Hamilton-Baillie, Hamilton-Baillie Associates
- 3 Placemaking - Vitality & Liveability
Heritage-liability or asset, value of the
grid + street
Mary Kerrigan AoU &
Mary McLaughlin AoU,
Walled City Partnership
- 4 Foyle Valley Gateway Masterplan
Enabling social capital to flourish
- 5 Building a Legacy in Education, Creativity & Cultural Awareness
John Peto, Director of Education, The Nerve Centre
- 6 Reclaiming the Walls
Kevin McGovern, RPD Consulting & Willie Miller, WMUD

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- 16.00 Rapporteur Feedback & Closing Response

LEARNING FROM EUROPE - KEYNOTE

- 16.45 Introduction
Kevin Murray, Chairman, AoU
- 16.50 Manuel Salgado
Vice Mayor, City of Lisbon
The Academy's European City of the Year 2012
- Questions and Discussion
- 17.25 Closing words from Chair

Thursday 10 May 2012

The Beech Hill Hotel
The Congress Dinner

- 19.00 Coach departs from Ebrington Parade Ground
- 19.30 Reception at Beech Hill Hotel
- 20.30 Dinner
- 21.30 The Urbanism Awards 2013
Announcement of the Finalists
- 22.00 After Dinner Speaker (tbc)
- 24.00 Close



Friday 11 May 2012

The Verbal Arts Centre
Bishop Street Within, BT48 6PU

- 09.30 **LEARNING FROM PLACE**
Review of special Place Partnering initiative in
Derry~Londonderry
- 10.30 Refreshments
- 11.00 **ACADEMY FUTURES WORKSHOP**
Review and refresh Academy Mission, Principles
and Purpose
- 12.30 Close
- Informal walking tours

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