
DETAILED PROGRAM

Wednesday – March 11, 2009

Pre-Conference Tour of the Mississippi Gulf Coast

8:00 am Bus departs from the corner of Royal Street and Canal Street a block west of the hotel
Buses will return to the hotel by 5:00 pm. A box lunch is included.

Registration, Welcome Reception, Public Lecture

3:00 pm Registration open on Mezzanine of Hotel Monteleone (closes at 7:00 pm)

5:30 pm Welcome reception, Queen Anne Ballroom, Hotel Monteleone

6:30 pm Public Lecture (each presentation approximately 20 minutes in length)
Tong Mingkang, President, ICOMOS China - *Response to Earthquakes in China*
Elena Korka, Greek Ministry of Culture - *Wildfires in Ancient Olympia, Greece*

Thursday – March 12, 2009

Welcome and International Examples

8:00 am Registration open Mezzanine of the Hotel Monteleone (closes at 1:00 pm)

9:00 am Jown Fowler, Chair, US/ICOMOS Board of Trustees
Jonathan Poston, US/ICOMOS Symposium Chair, Clemson University/Charleston

9:20 am Patty Gay, Executive Director, Preservation Resource Center, New Orleans

9:40 am Zoe Kosmidou (Greece)
Wildfires in Ancient Olympia

10:00 am Rasool Vatendoost (Iran)
The desert city of Bam and its Cultural Landscape after the earthquake of December 2003: A Risk Preparedness Case”

10:20 am John Fidler (United Kingdom)
Response to fires at Windsor Castle and elsewhere in England

10:40 am Coffee Break

11:00 am Juana Blanes (Cuba)
The protection of the fortifications in the Caribbean and the impacts of hurricanes and tropical storms. Which will be their future consequences?

11:20 am Richard Ciolek-Torello (USA)
Wildfires and the Protection and Rehabilitation of Heritage Sites in Southern California

11:40 pm Question and answer session

12:00 noon Lunch (on your own)



Field Sessions (3.5 hours)

1:30 pm Buses depart from the corner of Royal Street and Canal Street, one block from the Hotel Monteleone. Field tours are scheduled to return to the Hotel Monteleone by 5:00 pm.

Session 1 - Neighborhoods:

Holy Cross (Preservation Resource Center)
Lower 9th Ward (Historic Green, Louisiana Department of Historic Preservation)
Central City (Tulane University)

Session 2 – Site Recovery

Jackson Barracks (Heather Knight, Tulane University School of Architecture)
St. Louis Cemetery No. 1 (Lindsay Hannah, Goodwin & Associates/UPenn)
Long Vue House & Gardens (Patricia O'Donnell, Heritage Landscapes)

Note: Session 2 will pass through the Lower 9th Ward allowing participants to see several areas of destruction, rehabilitation, and restoration, but buses will not stop there.

Friday Morning – March 13, 2009

Lessons Learned & New Approaches/Emerging Technologies

- 9:00 am Z. Gul Unal (Turkey)
New Approaches and Regimentations in the Cultural Heritage and Disaster Management Aftermath the 1999 Marmara Earthquake: Istanbul, Turkiye
- 9:20 am Trinidad Rico (Argentina)
Heritage of Disaster or Heritage post-Disaster? A Discussion of Conservation Principles and Methods in Post-Tsunami Aceh.
- 9:40 am Craig Bennett (USA)
Lessons Learned from Charleston's Hurricane Hugo – 20 Years Later
- 10:00 am Gail Lazarus (USA)
The FEMA Historic Preservation Demolition Program in New Orleans in Response to Hurricanes Katrina and Rita
- 10:20 am Coffee Break
- 10:40 am Eugene Cizek (USA)
Emerging Technologies and Disaster Response Planning
- 11:00 am Andrew Ferrell (USA) with Barrett Kennedy
Disaster Protection for Heritage Resources in the Coastal Zone Using Spatial Video Documentation
- 11:20 am Norman Levine, Jim Ward (USA)
Disaster Preparedness Considerations in Long Term Planning Efforts: A Case Study Highlighting Experiences in and around Charleston, SC
- 11:40 am Frank Matero (USA)
Before and After: the foresight and hindsight of survey, analysis, and intervention at St. Louis Cemetery No. 1 in New Orleans, LA



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- 12:00 noon Jim Cook (USA)
Preserving Our Past - Linking Preservation/Conservation Professionals with Emergency Response and Recovery Operations Following a Disaster
- 12:20 pm Chris Marrion (USA)
Fire and Extreme Event Preparedness and Recovery: Addressing Challenges Through a Risk-Informed, Performance Based Approach
- 12:40 pm Question and answer session
- 1:00 pm Lunch (on your own)
- 2:00 pm Workshop: Implications of the recent US Ratification of the Hague Convention and a recent court case involving Section 402 of the National Historic Preservation Act Sponsored by the Department of Defense
- Panelists: Joan Val Albaa (International Committee of the Blue Shield) - invited
Corine Wegener (US Committee of the Blue Shield)
Brian Lione (US Department of Defense)
John Fowler (Advisory Council on Historic Preservation)
- 3:30 pm Coffee Break
- 3:45 – 5:00 pm Breakout sessions for US/ICOMOS Scientific Committees (see signs for location)

Saturday, March 14, 2009

Existing Frameworks/Preparedness

- 9:00 am Adriana Scaletti (Peru)
National Emergency Preparedness Plan for Cultural Heritage - Peru
- 9:20 am Aimee Primeaux (USA)
COSTEP: Coordinated Statewide Emergency Preparedness
- 9:40 am Diane Douglas (USA)
Floods, Fires, and Earthquakes: Hazard Mitigation Planning to Minimize the Adverse Effects of Natural Disasters on Heritage Resources: Plans developed in response to the Disaster Mitigation Act of 2000
- 10:00 am Robyn Riddett (International Committee on Risk Preparedness)
Heritage Disaster Preparedness in Australia
- 10:20 am Coffee Break
- 10:40 am Ann Hitchcock (USA)
Protecting Natural and Cultural Heritage Under the US National Response Network
- 11:00 am Historic Green – a New Model for Sustainable Recovery
- 11:30 am Questions and Discussion
- 12:00 noon Lunch (on your own)



- 1:30 pm US/ICOMOS Annual Meeting
Election of new Board members
Election of new Fellows
Old & New Business
- 2:30 pm Jonathan Poston, Symposium Chair, Moderator
Toward New US/International Cooperation in Disaster Preparedness, Rapid Response,
and Sustainable Recovery – Discussion open to all symposium attendees
- 4:00 pm Closing Remarks and Adjournment
- 6:00pm Closing Reception and Auction (ends at 8:00 pm)
Beauregard-Keyes House, 1113 Chartres Street

Sunday – March 15, 2009

Post-Conference Tour of Evergreen Plantation

- 9:00 am Bus leaves from corner of Canal and Royal Streets
- 3:00 pm Bus stops at the Louis Armstrong New Orleans International Airport
- 3:45 pm Bus returns to the Hotel Monteleone

