



Timetable

8am	REGISTRATION			
8.45am	Conference welcome with LI President Merrick-Denton Thompson			
9.15am	<p>Plenary one: Integrated places: where people and nature meet</p> <p>From the Humber to the heart of China, the first session will examine where people and nature meet: large-scale regeneration, densification and urban parks, the building of flood defences, and the destruction of landscape character by urbanisation.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Three ways to apply landscape as urban infrastructure: the Jiyang Lake Eco-Park project - <i>Professor Binyi Liu, from the Department of Landscape Studies at the College of Architecture and Urban Planning, Tongji University, Shanghai</i> • Integrating green infrastructure design and flood risk management on a massive scale - <i>Laura Rhodes, Flood Risk Advisor at the Environment Agency and Kate Collins, Director at Sheils Flynn</i> • Landscape as Infrastructure: natural systems inside and outside the city - <i>Professor Xiangrong Wang, Leading Professor and Vice Dean of the School of Landscape Architecture at Beijing Forestry University</i> 			
10.15am	Breakout session - four simultaneous seminars			
	<p>Seminar one - Room G33 Developing and connecting England's natural infrastructure</p> <p>Speakers: Chris Bolton, Natural England and Richard Hellier, Forestry Commission England</p>	<p>Seminar two - Room G34 Turning the tide: water management and urban design in the delivery of resilient landscapes</p> <p>Speakers: Sue Illman, Illman Young and Simon Ward, Atkins</p>	<p>Seminar three - Room G35 What goes around: closing the loop with our natural and manmade infrastructures</p> <p>Speakers: Paul Morris, Civic Engineers and Alex Patience, Livegraft</p>	<p>Seminar four - Room G36 Landscape led infrastructure: character, complexity and citizen participation with reference to HS2</p> <p>Speakers: Kate Ahern, LUC and Jo Phillips, Manchester Metropolitan University</p>
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11.45am	<p>Plenary two: Infrastructure as ecology: how landscape meets the challenges of carbon creation, habitat destruction and worsening public health</p> <p>The second plenary will explore how turning infrastructures into ecological networks can lead to massive ecological restoration initiatives.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The fruits of our labour: redefining the products of our constructed landscapes - <i>Eric Hallquist, Principal Director of Landscape Architecture at AECOM</i> • Jade reclaiming: design concept and de-enzyme of the Quarry Garden in Shanghai - <i>Professor Yufan Zhu, Executive Head of the Department of Landscape Architecture at the School of Architecture, Tsinghua University, Beijing</i> 				
12.45pm	<p>LUNCH</p>				
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2.45pm	<p>Plenary three: Natural capital: how understanding the value of landscape can unlock its full benefits</p> <p>The economic value of landscape is well known, but rarely understood. Natural capital accounting will be of immense importance to the profession in coming years, as by demonstrating the value of green infrastructure, we will be able to fully unlock its benefits. The third session discusses in detail the applications, and implications, of the natural capital initiative.</p> <p>Featuring</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Green into grey: how multifunctional innovations in integrated infrastructure can benefit traditional engineering - <i>Hugh Kippen, Research Assistant and Larissa Naylor, Lecturer in Physical Sciences, at the School of Geographical and Earth Sciences, University of Glasgow</i> • Natural Capital Manchester Urban Pioneer project - <i>Krista Patrick, Natural Capital Coordinator at the Greater Manchester Combined Authority</i> • Unlocking the value of green infrastructure for urban parks - <i>Peter Neal, Landscape Consultant at Peter Neal Consulting and Jon Sheaff, Director of Jon Sheaff & Associates</i> • Landscape design for ecosystem services - <i>Collette Patterson, Landscape and Urban Design Practice Lead and Jacqueline Fookes, Principal Environmental Consultant at Mott MacDonald</i> 				

3.45pm	BREAK			
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4.15pm	Seminar one - room G33 Delivering excellence and real results through good design and more Speakers: Graham Woodward, Atkins and Alan Carter, the Land Trust	Seminar two - room G34 From the A38 to Abu Dhabi: delivery and perception of landscape-led linear infrastructure Speakers: Neil Manthorpe, Atkins and Ian Lanchbury, Atkins	Seminar three - room G35 Infrastructure starts with people Speakers: Sophie Thompson, LDA Design and Andrew Linfoot, CH2M	Seminar four - room G36 Natural Capital Accounting: unlocking the value of green infrastructure Speakers: Peter Neal, Peter Neal Consulting, Jon Sheaff, Jon Sheaff & Associates, Merrick Denton-Thompson, Landscape Institute and Krista Patrick, Greater Manchester Combined Authority
5.15pm	Plenary four: Landscape as social infrastructure: transforming urban spaces The final session deals with social infrastructure; the places where we meet, eat, shop, relax, protest; the places where our communities form and thrive. It examines the changing face of our city centres and the part landscape practitioners can play in transforming our cities for the better, and looks at the role landscape can play in welcoming refugees and nurturing children. Featuring <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Making space for childhood: towards an infrastructure for play - <i>Maisie Rowe, freelance landscape architect, writer and illustrator</i> • Restoring vitality and vibrancy to town centres: the role of landscape infrastructure - <i>Dr Steve Millington, Director of the Institute of Place Management at Manchester Metropolitan University</i> • Refugees welcome in parks: the challenge of inclusion and wellbeing - <i>Dr Clare Rishbeth, Lecturer at the Department of Landscape, University of Sheffield</i> 			
6pm	Closing remarks from Daniel Cook, Chief Executive of the Landscape Institute			
6.30pm - 10pm	Drinks, dinner and music at Media City, Salford - featuring keynote speaker Lin Skaufel			