



ALMA MATER STUDIORUM
UNIVERSITÀ DI BOLOGNA

Healthy landscapes: green, regeneration, safety



6 – 8 June, 2018

Venues

- University of Bologna, Aula Giorgio Prodi, Piazza San Giovanni in Monte (Bologna City Centre)



- University of Bologna, Imola district (Palazzo Vespignani, via Garibaldi 24, Imola)



Conference website (under construction): <https://events.unibo.it/healthylandscapes2018>

Conference theme

For the first time in history more than half the world's population resides in cities, a proportion that is expected to increase to 66 per cent by 2050. While, on the one hand, rural areas are under pressure due to the growth of urban areas, on the other hand, the demand for urban green areas is increasing, as recommended in the international strategic program 'Healthy Cities' of the World Health Organization. Prevention and safety in our living environment are the new basis for actions, policies, and projects aimed at promoting landscape quality and urban regeneration. Green areas play a crucial role for the healthiness of urban and periurban areas, reducing the heat island effect and improving the resilience to heat waves, mitigating soil, air and water pollution, thus playing a key role in environmental regeneration. Moreover, green systems are crucial to enhance ecosystem services and improve the ecological value, also in rural environments. Design and management of open spaces and green areas, urban agriculture and urban forestry are closely related with sustainability, in terms of healthiness of urban areas and countryside, green regeneration and requalification of degraded areas, mobility and smart cities, carbon footprint reduction, energy and resource sustainability, also in a circular economy perspective, and social inclusion and recovery promotion.

Experts in landscape-related disciplines, vegetation and agricultural and forestry sciences, green

areas design and management, urban regeneration and sustainability, environmental and urban prevention and monitoring, geography, social sciences, environmental psychology, as well as planners and decision makers, are invited to join a deeply interdisciplinary conference which aims at exploring the manifold and mutual relationships which are at the basis of the landscape-safety nexus, crosscutting research and practical experiences and policies bridging the landscape and green planning, health, and urban policies fields.

GENERAL PROGRAM

Uniscape activities (June 6)

- 9 -11,30 am: Uniscape General Assembly
- 12 am: Uniscape open meeting

Conference program

June 6 (*Bologna, Aula Giorgio Prodi, Piazza San Giovanni in Monte, Bologna City Centre*)

- 11 am: conference registration opens
- 1 pm: welcome lunch
- 2 pm: Conference opening and welcome address of the authorities
- 3 pm: Keynote speech
- 4 pm – 6.30 pm: oral presentations and discussion

June 7 (*University of Bologna, Imola district*)

- 8.30 am: bus transfer from Bologna to Imola
- 9.30 am: welcome address of the authorities
- 10 am: Keynote speech
- 11 am: oral presentations and discussion
- 1 pm: lunch
- 2 pm: oral presentations and discussion
- 4 pm: bike field trip at green areas of the city with on field lectures/discussions
- 8.30 pm: gala dinner (transfer by bus), return to Bologna after dinner (transfer by bus)

June 8 (*Bologna, Aula Giorgio Prodi, Piazza San Giovanni in Monte, Bologna City Centre*)

- 9 am: welcome address of the authorities
- 9.30 am: Keynote speech
- 10.30 am: oral presentations and discussion
- 1 pm: lunch
- 2 pm: oral presentations and discussion
- 4.30 pm: world café / roundtable discussion
- 6 pm: conclusions and conference closing

Thematic sessions

- urban planning, landscape projects and health promotion
- green/landscape-health/prevention nexus
- green regeneration and sustainability
- green-landscape-health and education

Keynotes and invited lectures

Juan Manuel Palerm Salazar, University of Las Palmas de Gran Canaria, UNISCAPE President
Living in the landscape: health as a project

David Miller, James Hutton Institute
Green Health - Contribution of green and open space in public health and wellbeing

Ben Wheeler, European Centre for Environment and Human Health, University of Exeter Medical School
Are natural environments really good for your health and wellbeing? What does the evidence say, and why do we need it?

Anne Tietjen, University of Copenhagen, Department of Geosciences and Natural Resource Management, Landscape Architecture and Planning
Welfare landscapes revisited: Legacy and possible futures of green open spaces in Danish post-war social housing estates

Magali Rogel, Direction Espaces Verts, Responsable du Pôle Aménagement des Paysages Urbains, Ville de Lyon
Lyon's "green strategy", from urban planning to sustainable green spaces conception.

World Health Organization, Regional Office for Europe. European Centre for Environment and Health
Urban Green Space Interventions and Health, A review of impacts and effectiveness to be confirmed

Andrew C Klee, Public Health, School of Health and Related Research, The University of Sheffield
The health benefits of urban green spaces

Andrea Sisti, President of the World Association of Agronomists, President of CONAF, member of the Committee for public green development of the Italian Ministry for the Environment
Green and sustainability: professional challenges and opportunities

Scientific Committee

Patrizia Tassinari, University of Bologna
Juan Manuel Palerm Salazar, Uniscape President
Tessa Matteini, Uniscape Director
Daniele Torreggiani, University of Bologna
Danilo Monarca, Tuscia University
Giacomo Scarascia Mugnozza, University of Bari
Riccardo Fichera, University of Reggio Calabria
Giovanni Cascone, University of Catania
Riccardo Gulli, University of Bologna
Simona Tondelli, University of Bologna
Anna Letizia Monti, Italian Association of Landscape architecture (AIAPP, member of IFLA – International Federation of Landscape Architects)
Ben Wheeler, European Centre for Environment and Human Health, University of Exeter Medical School
David Miller, James Hutton Institute
Roderick Drew, President of the International Society for Horticultural Science (ISHS)

Christine Fürst, President of the International Association for Landscape Ecology (IALE)
Tadeusz Juliszewski, President of International Commission of Agricultural and Biosystems Engineering (CIGR)
Shelley Egoz, Centre for Landscape Democracy (CLaD), Norwegian University of Life Sciences
Andrea Sisti, President of the World Association of Agronomists, President of CONAF
World Health Organization - Regional Office for Europe, to be confirmed

Call for abstracts

Important dates

- Abstract submission deadline: 10/02/2018 (abstracts must be submitted online through the conference website, using the abstract template attached)
- Notification of acceptance: 01/03/2018
- Early bird registration deadline: 15/03/2018
- extended abstract submission deadline: 15/04/2018

Registration fee

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| - regular fee | € 350 |
| - reduced fee (Uniscape members, members of the societies providing patronage) | € 250 |
| - reduced fee for PhD, students, ... | € 150 |

The fee includes: lunches June 6, 7 and 8, gala dinner June 7, bus transfers, conference proceedings, bike rental.

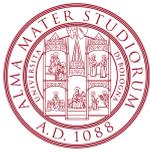
The reduced fee for students does not include lunches.

Possibility of daily fee: € 120 (not including the gala dinner).

Accommodation and travel

A selection of hotels with reduced accommodation rates and reduced train fares will be available for conference attendants.

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Minimum length: 250 words.

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References

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- Van der Geer, J., Hanraads, J. A. J., & Lupton R. A. (2000). The art of writing a scientific article. *Journal of Scientific Communications*, 163, 51-59.

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- Strunk, W., Jr., & White, E. B. (1979). *The elements of style*. (3rd ed.). New York: Macmillan, (Chapter 4).

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- Mettam, G. R., & Adams, L. B. (1994). How to prepare an electronic version of your article. In B. S. Jones, & R. Z. Smith (Eds.), *Introduction to the electronic age* (pp. 281-304). New York: E-Publishing Inc.