

CALL FOR PAPERS

REIMAGINING LANDSCAPES

The intent of the Conference is to be inspired by pioneers, share with our peers and collaborate with policy makers to contribute to the critical contemporary dialogue between ecological resilience, social relevance and cultural context.

The Submissions of Papers for the Conference is open to national and international Landscape Architects and related professionals in academia, research and practice, and students from Architecture and related programs to submit Papers that effectively address the theme of the conference – **REIMAGINING LANDSCAPES** - to inform critical issues and bring forth ideas to inculcate in our approaches to designing for the future.

The topics under each sub-theme may include but are not limited to the following:

IDENTITY



What wisdom is inherent in traditional practices which have been carried forward by numerous generations? How have cultural landscapes with strong and distinct identities evolved over time? What can we learn from these landscapes that can feed our interventions into shaping landscapes which adapt themselves to changing conditions, yet retain their connection with culture and place?

Keywords: traditional wisdoms, geographical context, identity, conservation

APPROACH



How can cultural practices inspire contemporary trends? How do we give stability to the fragile identities of the landscapes in current practices? How can we change our approach to include the identities of cultural landscapes and create evolved ecological wisdoms for future generations to study?

Keywords: adaptations, ecological foundation, fragile ecosystems, conservation, sustainability

STEWARDSHIP



What are the ways that can be used to create and manage ecologically sensitive landscapes? Can we help to blur the boundaries between man-made and natural landscapes? How can current and future-ready technologies and alternative passive measures help to create resilience and self-regulation in ecological systems?

Keywords: technology, man-made landscapes, resilience, inclusive

SUBMISSION OF ABSTRACT

Abstracts for papers related to the theme of the conference have to specify and relate to anyone of the sub-themes listed above, that is, Identity, Approach, Stewardship. The Abstract is restricted to a maximum of 400 words.

ABSTRACT SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

- a. Please send abstracts of 400 words in length to isolaconference@gmail.com
- b. Abstracts should clearly mention the SUB THEME Category and Keywords
- c. Heading should include the title, author's name, email address, and details on academic/institutional/freelance background.
- d. Please add "ISOLA - CALL FOR ABSTRACTS" in the subject line of the mail.
- e. Proposals must be submitted electronically and should be presented either in MS Word or PDF format only.
- f. An individual is allowed to submit only one Abstract.
- g. In case of multiple authors submitting an abstract, details of all authors, as specified above will need to be mentioned.

PAPER SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

- a. The Paper should be original and should not have been published before in any format.
- b. The format and detailed guidelines for submission of the Final paper shall be intimated upon selection of Abstracts. The Paper has to be submitted in the required format only.
- c. All Papers submitted shall be subjected to a process of blind peer review.
- d. All authors (at least one author in case of Co-Authored papers) will need to register for the conference before submitting the full Paper to ensure inclusion in the programme /publication.
- e. Selected papers will be uploaded on the ISOLA website and will also be included in the post-conference publication. It is also the intention of ISOLA to have the authors present some of the selected papers during the conference.
- f. The authors will be expected to sign a Grant of Rights Form to ISOLA ONLY for referring or publishing proceeds of Conference. A Paper submitted will remain the proprietary of the Author/Authors.

Any queries regarding the submission of Papers should be emailed to isolaconference@gmail.com with the subject line QUERY_CALL FOR PAPERS.

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ISOLA is ready to welcome you all on February 15-16, 2019 at Kochi, Kerala, India

TIMELINE

23 rd July 2018	Announcement of the Call for Papers
31 st August 2018	Submission of the Abstract
1 st October 2018	Announcement of the Selected Abstracts
15 th December 2018	Full length Paper submission in given format after registering for the Conference