

**International Conference of Experts on Contemporary Architecture &
Functions and the Urban Historic Context**

Sevilla – 19 to 21 March 2013

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Day 0	Registration of Participants	In Hotels
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Day I	Topic	Speakers
08:30 - 09:00	Registration of Participants	
09:00 - 09:30	Welcome Speeches and Preliminary Remarks	Alcalde de Sevilla Ministerio de Cultura President ICOMOS WHCO/OCPM
09:30 - 13:45	First Session: Keynotes – Ground Setting & Theoretical Presentations	
09:30 - 10:15	The issues at Stake	G. S. Zouain, GAIA-heritage
10:15 - 11:00	Visual Perceptions, Memories and the Brain	Prof. Em. John Onians
11:00 - 11:15	Coffee break	
11:15 - 12:00	Landscape, Time and the Historic City	Prof. Michael Jakob
12:00 - 12:45	ICOMOS Charters and works on Historic Cities Management with a view on contemporary insertions	President ICOMOS
12:45 - 13:00	Questions and Answers	
13:00 – 14:30	LUNCH BREAK	

14:30-18:30	Topic 1 - Perspectives of the Historic Urban Context: The Evolving Pattern of Urban Development	
14:30 - 15:15	Evolution and Trends of Urban Morphologies and Dimensions	Bernardo Secchi
15:15 - 16:00	The Contemporary Urban Model and the Built Heritage: Iconic Architecture and Amenities, New Roles, Mixity, Redefining Urban Dynamics	Jose Fariña ???
16:00 - 16:15	Coffee Break	
16:15 - 17:00	The Form and the Function: Reuse, Contemporary Architecture, the “Wow Effect” in the Urban Political Economy	Jean-Michel Wilmotte
17:00 - 17:45	Pollution & The Unity/Integrity of the Cities (Contemporary dysfunctions & the Historic Urban Fabric)	Prof Georges Aboujaoude (EPFL - Lausanne)
17:45 - 18:30	Questions and Answers	
Evening	Special Event Hosted by the City	
Day 2	Topic	Speakers
09:00-11:00	Topic 2 – Experiences from Different Places: Case Studies	
09:00 - 09:30	Introduction to the Case Studies: The World Heritage Cities and the quest for a balanced growth - the Mayors point of view	Mayor of Sevilla
09:30 - 10:00	Paris	Bertrand Lemoine, DG Atelier International du Grand Paris
10:00 - 10:30	Northern European Experiences	Terje Nypan (DOA Norway)
10:30 - 11:00	Beijing Central Axis	Prof. LU Zhou, Director, Tsinghua University – National Heritage Center
11:00 – 11:30	Coffee Break	
11:30 – 12:00	Brasil	Prof Silvio Zanchetti
12:00 - 12:30	Tunis	ASPM Tunis
12:30 - 13:00	Amsterdam	Mrs. Ester Agricola
13:00 – 13:30	The Getty Conservation Institute Programme on Contemporary Architecture in Historic Environments	Mrs. Sara Lardinois

13:30-14:30	Lunch Break	
14:30-18:30	<p>Special Session: Creation of Round Tables on criteria, instruments, tools:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> _ The Historic City, contemporary architecture and the need for growth (thriving places) _ Morphology: volumes, form, colour and the built environment _ New Tools for Assessing Impacts including ICOMOS tool _ The Different roles of stakeholders (Local authority, Civil society, ICOMOS, WHC) 	Moderators to be selected preferably from the speakers

Day 3	Topic	Speakers
09:00 – 11:00	Conclusion of Round Tables Session	
11:00 – 11:15	Coffee Break	
11:15 – 14:00	Final Session: New Tools for Assessing Impacts	
	Adoption of the recommendations	
	Proposals for future cooperation	
	Closing speeches	