

## **FORTHCOMING BOOKS AND EVENTS**

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### **XXI World Congress of Architecture in Berlin - 22 to 26 July**

The general theme of the conference is "Resource Architecture". It is organised by the International Union of Architects UIA and the Association of German Architects BDA, the national UIA section of Germany. Resource Architecture's goal is to provide the Congress with a wide variety of content and presentational forms, focusing on innovative and forward-looking contributions and projects.

Further information: <http://www.uia-berlin2002.com/>

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### **The Sustainable City - Conference in Segovia - 3 to 5 July 2002 - Segovia, Spain.**

The Second International Conference on Urban Regeneration and Sustainability organised by Wessex Institute of Technology, UK. The conference aims to address many aspects of the urban environment from transport and mobility to social exclusion and crime prevention.

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### **AFRICA**

Architecture for Humanity launched its 2002 International Design Competition last week. The non-profit organisation is calling for submissions to design a fully equipped mobile medical unit and HIV/AIDS treatment centre specifically for use in remote parts of Africa. In addition to testing and treatment, the easily transportable unit should be designed so that it can be used to disseminate information regarding the virus and provide basic health care services. Deadline for design submissions is 1 November 2002 and the finalists will be announced on World Aids Day, 1 December 2002 at an exhibition held in New York City.

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### **UK**

A new exhibition celebrating the work of Gio Ponti, the Italian designer and architect responsible for the Pirelli Tower in Milan, has opened in London. Born in Milan in 1881 Ponti studied architecture but also designed ceramics, chairs, lights and the classic La Pavoni espresso machine. Ponti also founded Domus magazine in 1928 dedicated to architecture, art and design. By the 1930s he was creating cool modernist style buildings, ranging from housing developments to the headquarters of Italian

conglomerate Montecatini. He also designed buildings in Tehran and Caracas and the Denver Museum of Art in 1972. The exhibition will run until 6 October 2002.

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### **FRANCE**

Registration for the 7th DOCOMOMO Conference on "**Image, Use and Heritage: the reception of architecture of the Modern Movement,**" has commenced. The conference which will take place in Paris on 16-21 September 2002, aims to assess key buildings of the Modern Movement, the politics of conservation and methods of restoration. Conference organisers have suggested that the contribution of the Modern Movement to social life (social housing, public space and public services) as well as the modernisation of architecture and techniques (materials, new methods of standardisation) will be discussed.

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### **American Association of Bangladeshi Engineers and Architects Biennial Convention – October 12-13th 2002. Washington DC**

American Association of Bangladeshi Engineers and Architects (AABEA) is holding its 4th Biennial Convention. It will provide the engineers, architects, computer science & Information technology, and BioTech Industry scientists and professionals to share and promote scientific and technical ideas. Venue: Maryland USA.

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### **Sustainable Building International Conference, 23 - 25 September - Oslo, Norway**

Hosted by the Norwegian EcoBuild Program and the Municipality of Oslo. CIB is seeking Visions of a Sustainable City which may include photographs, pictures, drawings, paintings, plans, diagrams, artefacts, sounds, smells, textures or other impressions which can be enhanced by brief explanations, quotations or poems.

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**Impact of Globalization on Building of an Asia Pacific Community**

1 - 4 July, 2002 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.

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Web: [www.eastwestcentre.org/malaysia2002](http://www.eastwestcentre.org/malaysia2002)

**International Conference on Environmental Issues and Sustainable Development: Global Environmental Concerns.**

18-19 July, 2002 Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia.

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**Third International Conference on Traffic and Transportation Studies**

23-25 July, 2002 - Guilin, China.

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**Regional Workshop on Cities, Poverty and Environment: Hanoi Declaration.**

30 July - 2 August, 2002; Hanoi, Vietnam.

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**Rio+10: The World Summit on Sustainable Development**

26 August – 4 September 2002 - Johannesburg, South Africa.

United Nations Division for Sustainable Development, 2 UN Plaza, New York

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Web: [www.johannesburgsummit.org/](http://www.johannesburgsummit.org/).

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**Creating Sustainable Urban Environments – Future Forms of City Living.**

5th Symposium of the International Urban Planning and Environment Association

23 - 26 September, 2002 - Christ Church Oxford, UK

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**Sustainable Buildings 2002. 23-25 September, 2002 - Oslo, Norway**

The Norwegian EcoBuild Program and the Municipality of Oslo

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### **Free Online Sustainability**

The World Business Council for Sustainable Development has two free online introduction courses covering the key issues and trends, policy topics, emerging themes and business concepts for the 21st century. The Global Scenario Challenge introduces building of scenarios and specific application of scenarios to aid understanding of 'sustainability'. The Sustainable Business Challenge gives summary of important facts about the environment and sustainable development, and an introduction to key issues and trends, policy topics, emerging themes and concepts. The course is free. The textbook is US\$25 or £17.

**Contact:** [www.wbcasd.org/course/index.htm](http://www.wbcasd.org/course/index.htm)

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### **Venice Biennale: 8th International Architecture Exhibition**

**Venice, Giardini di Castello - Arsenale, 8 September to 3 November 2002**

This year, the Venice Biennale, long established as the world's most significant venue for debate on contemporary architecture, is signaling a new direction for design, a move away from the virtual and toward the material. This year the Biennale will host **Next**, an exploration of the imminent future of architecture. The exhibition will bring together more than 100 projects presently being built which in their own way will serve to define the nature of architecture in the coming years. Ticket: 12 Euros / (£7.50).

**Contact:** [www.labiennale.org](http://www.labiennale.org)

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### **Sustainable Building Conference: Oslo**

**3rd international Sustainable Building conference, September 23 - 25, Oslo, Norway**

*The Challenge, The Knowledge, The Solution* will be discussed within the key themes: *Cities and Human Settlements, Buildings, Products, Business Opportunities* and *Green Building Challenge*. Cost: 5,000 Norwegian Kroner (£440.00).

**Contact:** The Norwegian Ecobuild Programme and the Municipality of Oslo.  
[www.sb02.com](http://www.sb02.com)

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### **Rio Ten Years On: Johannesburg Summit - 26 August to 4 September 2002**

At the 1992 Earth Summit in Rio, the international community adopted Agenda 21, a global plan of action for sustainable development. Ten years later, the Johannesburg

Summit will present an opportunity to review and identify quantifiable targets for better implementing Agenda 21.

The World Summit on Sustainable Development will bring together many Heads of State and government and non-governmental organisations (NGOs) and businesses to focus on how to improve people's lives and conserve natural resources in a world with growing in population and with ever-increasing demands for food, water, shelter, sanitation, energy, health services and economic security.

**Contact:** [www.johannesburgsummit.org](http://www.johannesburgsummit.org) or e-mail [dsd@un.org](mailto:dsd@un.org)

**International Cities and Ports Conference; 22-25 October, 2002 - Dalian, China.**

International Association of Cities and Ports, 45, rue Lord Kitchener, 76600 Le Havre, France.

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**Urban Tourism - An Asset for Local Development. April 2003 - Valetta, Malta.**

The International Network for Urban Development, Den Haag, The Netherlands.

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**The Commonwealth Local Government Forum (CLGF)**

The Commonwealth Local Government Forum (CLGF) works to promote and strengthen effective democratic local government throughout the Commonwealth and to encourage the exchange of good practice in local government structures and services.

Founded in 1995, the Forum acts as a focus for action on local democracy in the Commonwealth and was endorsed by Commonwealth Heads of Government at their meeting in New Zealand that year. This followed the 1991 Harare declaration which established a set of core values – including democracy and human rights - around which many Commonwealth activities have been based.

CLGF promotes its objectives through conferences and events, its Good Practice Scheme, research and information on innovation, and working with Commonwealth countries to support the development of democratic values and good governance. As the local government arm of the Commonwealth, CLGF has been actively involved in encouraging and developing local elections and systems, election monitoring and capacity building support for councilors and councils.

CLGF has more than 160 members in 40 Commonwealth countries. Members include local government associations, individual local authorities, and ministries with responsibility for local government. Professional bodies, research institutions and organisations with an interest in local government can join as associate members.

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## **Publications + Information**

### **CUTS Centre for Sustainable Production & Consumption (CUTS-CSPAC)**

3 Suren Tagore Road, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Calcutta-700019, India

**EcoConsumer**, Issue 4, 2001 is a quarterly newsletter published by CUTS Centre for Sustainable Production and Consumption to report and discuss developments in relation to sustainable production and consumption globally. It covers current international and national news on issues such as global warming, ozone depletion, environment friendly technologies and products, eco-labelling, pollution, consumption, development, biotechnology and misleading advertisements.

Annual subscription: US\$20 / Rs.150

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### **Goals and Conditions for a Sustainable World**

Dr. John Cairns' new book "*Goals and Conditions for a Sustainable World*" can be downloaded for free at <http://www.esep.de/journals/esep/esepbooks.html> or from the main website for the journal **Ethics in Science and Environmental Politics** at <http://www.esep.de/journals/esep/index.html>. Click "Contents" and then "ESEP books." ESEP is the publication organ of the Eco-Ethics International Union [www.eeiu.org](http://www.eeiu.org)

The book consists of 29 articles from professional journals and other sources, such as book chapters and the Abel Wolman Distinguished Lecture given to the U.S. National Academy of Sciences. Each article has a separate pdf designation so articles can be downloaded individually and viewed using Adobe Acrobat Reader.

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### **Planning Theory**

Planning Theory is a new international peer-reviewed journal published by Sage from March 2002. The journal publishes the very best research covering the latest debates and developments within the field of planning theory. A core publication for planning theorists, the journal will also be of considerable interest to scholars of human geography, public administration, administrative science, sociology and anthropology. Topics discussed will include planning methods, planning and equity, aesthetics, utopias and planning, and the boundaries of planning theory.

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### **Information from ArchNet at the MIT**

On Monday, 18 February, 2002, over 5000 new images and 100 new publications were added to the ArchNet Digital Library. New resources documenting historical monuments in Iran, Morocco, Spain, Syria, and Turkey add to an already rich collection of images.

#### **HISTORIC MONUMENTS OF ISLAM**

New images, descriptions, and sources.

[http://archnet.org/library/images/index.tcl?collection\\_id=23](http://archnet.org/library/images/index.tcl?collection_id=23)

#### **ARID LANDSCAPING**

Landscape design in arid climates.

<http://archnet.org/library/documents/documents.tcl?keyword=arid%20landsc>

#### **TRADITIONAL DWELLINGS IN KAYSERI, TURKEY**

Historical konaks which are fast disappearing.

[http://archnet.org/institutions/METUA-ARCH/library/publications/documents.tcl?collection\\_id=541](http://archnet.org/institutions/METUA-ARCH/library/publications/documents.tcl?collection_id=541)

#### **THE MANHATTEN OF THE DESERT**

Striking views of Shibam, Yemen, in the Wadi Hadramaut

[http://archnet.org/library/places/one-place.tcl?place\\_id=2716](http://archnet.org/library/places/one-place.tcl?place_id=2716)

#### **THE KWAJU BRIDGE IN ISFAHAN**

A wonderful example of Safavid architecture and engineering

[http://archnet.org/library/sites/one-site.tcl?site\\_id=3942](http://archnet.org/library/sites/one-site.tcl?site_id=3942)

#### **ERNST COHN-WIENER COLLECTION FROM THE BRITISH MUSEUM**

A wonderful and historically important collection of images of Central Asian monuments taken between 1924-1925.

<http://archnet.org/library/images/sites.tcl?select=collection&key=264>

#### **NEW PUBLICATION COLLECTION: ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN**

All 15 volumes of this acclaimed journal devoted to architecture and urban and rural planning in the Islamic world are available.

[http://archnet.org/library/documents/collection.tcl?collection\\_id=183](http://archnet.org/library/documents/collection.tcl?collection_id=183)

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### **ECOTOPICS**

**Ecotopics** No. 11 is now on the air to help keep up with what is happening!

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## **Transparency International Source Book 2000**

### **Confronting Corruption: The Elements of a National Integrity System**

by Jeremy Pope

A Guide to Good Practice in countering corruption: from asset-freezing to auditing standards, campaign finance to customs fraud, Liechtenstein to Latvia, parliamentary immunity to Presidential pardons, taxation to tenders, and New Zealand to Zimbabwe - everything you really wanted to know about corruption, but were afraid to ask.

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