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Second International Conference on Whole Life Urban Sustainability and its Assessment

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Conference aim

The conference addresses the field of urban sustainability assessment. It provides a platform for the exchange of ideas and knowledge on how to meet the assessment needs of urban decision makers, by bringing together international researchers, professionals, tool developers, policy makers and other stakeholders.

Programme

The conference will open with registration on the afternoon of Wednesday 22 April 2009. There will be three keynote speakers presenting to a plenary session on Thursday 23 April:

- Peter Head (Director, Arup)
- Nigel Ingram (Director, Joseph Rowntree Foundation)
- Lynne Sullivan (Executive Director, Sustainable Design Inbuilt)

This will be followed by a presentation of eighty papers in parallel workshop sessions covering the following topics:

- Urban planning and design for sustainability
- Sustainable buildings: design, performance and assessment
- Stakeholder participation
- Sustainability measures, assessment theory, complexity and uncertainty
- Quality of life in the urban environment (Thursday only)
- Urban sustainability and move to low carbon developments (Friday only)

A conference dinner will take place on the evening of Thursday 23 April. The conference will conclude with a plenary session in the afternoon of Friday 24 April. (There will be a PhD workshop on the afternoon of Wednesday 22 April, with a limited number of places available.)



Venue

Henry Ford College at Loughborough University.



SUE-MoT is a consortium of Dundee, Glasgow Caledonian, Loughborough and St Andrews Universities funded under the UK EPSRC's Sustainable Urban Environment Programme to develop Metrics Models and Toolkits for Whole Life Sustainable Urban Development.