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Theme: "Way of Life: Socio-economic & Cultural Context"



Call for Papers
Abstract Deadline: 20th January 2012

Royal Pavilion, Bang Pra-In Palace, Ayutthaya, Thailand

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While social and economic conditions evolve overtime, they systematically affect our way of life and our societal and cultural dynamic. Environment-Behavior (EB) studies deals with the environment as stimuli which elicit human's behavioral responses and how the environment dictates the way people interact with each other. Such covert psychological process attempts to explain partly the phenomenon of social change and cultural assemble. A number of socio-economic and cultural determinants thus affected the way people behave, and their interaction and research implications, in turn, enhance the progress of the EB science. While the Asian continent shared a more or less similar climatic background and rich cultural heritage; learning from the local lessons could ultimately enrich the paradigm of the EB science. Applying the local environmental context as case study, the theme of this upcoming joint conference in Bangkok, therefore, gears towards turning theory into practice and linking real-life experience with specific local issues. The theme will accommodate a wide range of topics to include:-

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Socio-economic related topics:

Aging / Disability / Inclusive; Family Structure; Functional Design:- Commercial implication, Environment and social interaction, Spatial economy, Urban space, Urbanization, Way finding, Gender Difference, social role, ... etc...

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Climate change, Conservation of built environment, Cross-cultural research, Cultural landscape, Design interface, Ecological issues, Environmental conservation, Environmental valuation (how people perceive the value of environment), Formal design, Local culture and environmental awareness, Meaning of built / natural environment, Modernization, ... etc...