

Digital Cities

Half-day Seminar, Monday 27 April 2 - 6pm

Enriching Digital Mapping for City Planning

Virtual city maps and 3D models are cost-effective resources for designers and planners made possible by the advances in digital mapping technology. London probably has more than a dozen virtual models in development in commercial, academic, government and freeware environments and there are many others throughout the UK.

This intensive half-day seminar explores how designers and planners can use the data and software resources effectively, who should own the models and maps and the data within them and how this impacts on the democratic processes such as planning and consultation.

PROGRAMME

2.00pm Registration & coffee

2.30pm Keynote Presentation: Digital Cities: Data and Democracy

Sir Terry Farrell, Principal, Terry Farrell & Partners

2.55pm New Developments in Digital Resources

Dr. Andy Hudson Smith, Research Manager, Centre for Advanced Spatial Analysis, UCL

3.20pm Virtual Earth Applications for enabling planning decisions

James Bamford, Business Development Director, Microsoft Virtual Earth

Justin Saunders, Technical Director, eMapSite

3.45pm Case study: Applied 3D Mapping

Didier Madoc Jones, Managing Director, GMJ Design

4.05pm Tea Break

4.20pm Mapping People and Places

Professor Alan Brimicombe, Head, Centre for Geo-Information Studies, UEL

4.45pm Recent geospatial mapping developments

Ed Parsons of Google London

5.05pm Case study: Digital Approaches to Community Engagement

Giles Lane, Director, Proboscis

5.30pm Q&A

6.00pm Close

£95 + VAT

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