



Cultivating Creative Communities

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October 24 - 27, 2006 Charlotte, North Carolina (USA)

REGISTRATION INFORMATION

Deadlines

- Early Bird - by August 1, 2006
- Regular - by September 15, 2006

Print this form and complete all information below

NOTE: Take advantage of a team discount of up to \$50 per person if sending 4 or more representatives from the same organization. Fees listed on page 3.

Name: _____

Title: _____

Organization: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Telephone:() _____ Fax:() _____

Email: _____

Additional Team Members:

Name: _____ Email: _____

Name: _____ Email: _____

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OFF-SITE BREAKOUTS – Thursday, October 26 – 2:30-5:30 p.m. – **must pre-register** - breakouts are included in your price of registration

Rank your top 3 choices (1 = first preference; 2 = second preference; 3 = third preference). Attendance is limited at each site and is on a first-come first-serve basis. You will be contacted should one of your top 3 choices not be available.

NOTE: Breakouts Session Descriptions are on page 2 and 3 of this form.

___ ImaginOn

It's a first in the US...visit and experience this colorful, whimsical and “green” facility that houses two theatres, a children’s library, a teen center and much more. A unique collaboration between the Children’s Theatre of Charlotte and the county’s Public Library, ImaginOn has attained national recognition for elevating the public perception of the significance of children’s literature and children’s theatre. **Imaginon.org**

___ Public Art Tour

Join a special walking tour of public art in Center City Charlotte and see how artists have enriched and enlivened the urban experience. Explore artworks that reveal perspectives on local history, people and values within the new NBA Arena, a children’s theatre and library, a park setting and the convention center.

___ Light Rail

Learn about the first line of Charlotte’s new rapid transit system and what role this plays in developing future transportation strategies within the city and community. You will be transported down the line to see how existing track is being transformed into a 9.6 mile rapid transit line from the heart of the city to the outer part of the city.

charmeck.org/Departments/CATS/Rapid+Transit+Planning – then click on **South Corridor**

___ Greenway Tour

Experience a glimpse of the 22 miles of developed and 158 miles of undeveloped greenway in Charlotte-Mecklenburg County. This tour and discussion will focus on how greenway trails and protected open space provide recreation, transportation, fitness, cleaner air and water and other multiple economic benefits for any community to enjoy.

charmeck.org/Departments/Park+and+Rec/Greenways

___ Public/Private Partners: Charlotte’s Model for Cultural Facility Development

Wachovia Corporation is embarking on a significant multi-dimensional project that will bring together natural space, culture and innovative urban architecture to enhance the economic vibrancy of Uptown Charlotte. Join us, overlooking the project site, as we explore the genesis and ongoing development of this important mixed-use public/private collaboration.

___ Inside NASCAR

NASCAR has become the fastest growing sport in the United States and Charlotte is the new home of the NASCAR Hall of Fame and the heart of North Carolina’s \$5 billion dollar motorsports industry. Take this opportunity to visit nearby Lowe’s Motor Speedway, considered the heart of stock car country and a speedway most drivers call home. Discuss the important role the sport and speedway play in making the region more lively. **lowesmotorspeedway.com**

___ Whitewater Park

This is the new home of the US Olympic Whitewater team and a recreation facility for the entire region. Take a tour of the nearly-completed U.S. National Whitewater Center, an outdoor adventure center providing the Charlotte region with the world's most unique outdoor recreation and environmental learning experience. With over 300 acres of woodlands along a main river, Olympic-caliber athletes, weekend warriors and casual observers will be able to share this world-class sports and training center. charlottewhitewater.com

___ Sports - Arena Discussion

Charlotte is home to a professional football team – the Carolina Panthers – and a professional basketball team – the Charlotte Bobcats. Both state-of-the-art facilities are located in the center city. Tour one of these facilities and discuss how sports can play a role in the infrastructure of a community.

___ Gateway Village - Johnson & Wales

Learn about the impact that a major university – Johnson & Wales - has in the center city of Charlotte. The campus is in the heart of the urban core and serves as the driving economic catalyst for Gateway Village, the largest urban mixed-use development in North and South Carolina. gatewayvillage.com

___ New Urbanist Communities

After 50 years of living in places that are far from work, entertainment and institutional buildings, there has been an increased demand for places that have it all. Take a tour of three award winning New Urbanist communities including Charlotte's Garden District and nearby Huntersville's Vermillion and Birkdale Village. birkdalevillage.net

___ The EnergyExplorium

Take a virtual tour of the McGuire Nuclear Station to test your skill as a reactor operator, learn about nuclear power issues, watch a movie about the creation of Lake Norman, or hike a mile-long nature trail. Lake Norman is the largest man-made lake in North Carolina and is the station's source of cooling water. It has become a major regional land use amenity not only for water-borne recreation, but for residential development and all its supporting land uses. duke-energy.com/safety/education/visitor_centers/explorium/



REGISTRATION FEES must be paid in advance

Fees include all scheduled meals, receptions, sessions and off-site breakouts.

Early Bird by August 15

- 1-3 team members.....\$450/person
- 4+ team members.....\$400/person

Regular by September 15

- 1-3 team members.....\$500/person
- 4+ team members.....\$450/person

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Please indicate any special dietary or accessibility needs.

Hotel Accommodations

Registration fees do not include hotel stay. For reservations, please contact the Marriott City Center at 1-800-228-9290 or 704-333-9000. A special rate of \$145 will apply if you reference Creative Conference (group code flrlra). To make your reservation online, visit stayatmarriott.com/creativeconf.

Reservations must be made on or before Tuesday, October 3, 2006.

Cancellation Policy

A full refund, minus a \$90 administrative fee, will be made upon written notification by September 15, 2006. Registrants who fail to attend will be charged the entire registration fee.

Mail this completed form to:

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