Field sessions will begin promptly at the indicated time and depart from the Field Session Desk, in front of Hall G, Ground Level of the San Diego Convention Center, unless otherwise noted. All ticket sales are final and events take place rain or shine. “Lunch on your own” indicates there will be a planned stop where you can purchase food. Participants are encouraged to bring their own lunches or snacks along on field sessions where lunch is not provided. Field session tickets will be sold at the annual meeting registration area based on availability. Tickets will not be sold at the departure location.

Unless otherwise noted, the instruction level of all field sessions will be intermediate to advanced, appropriate for an experienced, professional audience. Programs and speakers are subject to change.

FS01
Orange County Great Park
7:30 am – 5:30 pm
Field Session Desk, in front of Hall G, Ground Level
6.5 PDH, Registered with LA CES/HSW, AICP, FL

This former Marine base redevelopment is to be twice the size of Central Park and includes gardens and museums. It will also finance itself. Join the design team at the 27.5-acre preview center to see the master plan and ascend in a tethered helium balloon to survey the 1,347-acre site.

Leaders/Speakers: Mia Lehrer, FASLA, Mia Lehrer + Associates; Ken Smith, ASLA, Ken Smith Landscape Architect; Henry Korn and Rod Cooper, Orange County Great Park

$95 per person; includes transportation and bottled water. Lunch on your own.
FS02
Shoreline Ecology Kayak Experience
7:30 am – 12:30 pm
Field Session Desk, in front of Hall G, Ground Level
3.75 PDH, Registered with LA CES/HSW, FL

How better to explore San Diego’s coastline than from the ocean to understand shoreline ecosystem protection? Tour the Scripps Institution of Oceanography’s new conference center by foot and kayak as you learn about the area’s watershed pollution control program and examine shoreline features that incorporate low-impact design principles.

Leaders/Speakers: Jennifer Montgomery ASLA, LEED AP, Schmidt Design Group; Jill Chorak, ASLA, and Mark Carpenter, ASLA, KTU+A Landscape Architecture and Planning; Kimberly O’Connell, University of California, San Diego

$120 per person; includes transportation, kayak rental, and bottled water.

FS03
Torrey Pines: Capturing Natural and Historical Character in Design
7:30 am – 12:30 pm
Field Session Desk, in front of Hall G, Ground Level
4.5 PDH, Registered with LA CES/HSW, FL

If you want to experience the nature and history of Southern California, do enjoy this guided hike of Torrey Pines State Park and Beach, the Lodge at Torrey Pines, and the Estancia La Jolla Hotel and Spa. This tour includes award-winning California Craftsman and Old California Rancho landscape architecture projects.

Leaders/Speakers: Nate Magnusson ASLA, LEED AP, Schmidt Design Group; Joel Harms, Burton Landscape Architecture Studio; Margaret Low Fillius and other docents, Torrey Pines State Park

$70 per person; includes transportation, entry fee, and bottled water.
FS04
Edible Landscape and Urban Sustainability
7:30 am – 2:00 pm
Field Session Desk, in front of Hall G, Ground Level
4.5 PDH, Registered with LA CES/HSW, GBCI, FL, NY/HSW

San Diego is home to a downtown community college that offers degrees in sustainable urban agriculture, a corporate campus garden that provides employees with fresh food, and an edible green wall. Visit them all and shop at a farmer’s market with 120 vendors offering vegetables and ethnic foods.

Leaders/Speakers: Nicholas DeLorenzo, ASLA, and Todd Haydel Student Affil. ASLA, LEED AP, Delorenzo Inc.; Julia Dashe, Seeds at City Urban Farm; Misha Johnson, San Diego Roots Sustainable Food Program; Brian Beever, Point Loma Farmer’s Market

$90 per person; includes transportation and bottled water. Lunch on your own at the farmer’s market.

FS05 SOLD OUT!
The Western Edge: Current Trends in Modern Residential Design
8:00 am – 2:00 pm
Field Session Desk, in front of Hall G, Ground Level
4 PDH, Registered with LA CES/HSW, FL, NY/HSW

Like a classic Japanese garden, modern landscape architecture focuses on reducing subjects to their most basic elements. This engaging series of visits to exquisitely detailed residential bioscape designs reveals how leading landscape architects are integrating materials, grids, geometric repetition, and high-quality construction to create organization through simplicity.

Leaders/Speakers: Richard Risner, ASLA, Grounded * Modern Landscape Architecture & Planning; Lynn Brown-Reynolds, ASLA, Lynn Brown-Reynolds, Landscape Architect; Craig Hooker, EnviroFit; Michael Brennan, ASLA, Urban Green

$80 per person; includes transportation and bottled water. Lunch on your own.
Field Sessions

Sunday, October 30

**FS06 SOLD OUT!**

Icons of Art and Architecture in the Landscape
8:00 am – 5:00 pm
Room 26A, Upper Level
7 PDH, Registered with LA CES/HSW, FL, NY/HSW

The Stuart Collection, Salk Institute, and Neurosciences Institute comprise one of the finest collections of site-specific art ever, featuring an iconic plaza and one of the most highly refined courtyards in the world. This is a rare opportunity to experience these works up close and absorb their transcendent history.

Leaders/Speakers: Martin Poirier, FASLA, Spurlock Poirier Landscape Architects; Peter Walker, FASLA, PWP Landscape Architecture; Mark Hough, ASLA, Duke University; William Burton, FASLA, Burton Landscape Architecture Studio; Vonn Marie May, Cultural Land Planning & Research; Mary Beebe, Stuart Collection

$110 per person; includes transportation, docent/entry fee, and bottled water. Lunch on your own.

**FS07 SOLD OUT!**

North County San Diego Residences: Mountain Top to Valley Floor
8:00 am – 5:00 pm
Field Session Desk, in front of Hall G, Ground Level
6.5 PDH, Registered with LA CES/HSW, NY/HSW

Discover breathtaking residences that range from the highest points in San Diego County to the North County valley floor. This engaging field session includes the incredibly dramatic outcroppings, landscape and distant Pacific Ocean views, diverse inland microclimates, and intriguing plantings of the mountains, hills, and valleys of northern San Diego.

Leaders/Speakers: Scott Spencer, Scott Spencer Garden Design; Angelina Sotelo, ASLA, David Reed Landscape Architects; Christopher Drayer, ASLA

$135 per person; includes transportation, box lunch, winery tour and wine tasting and bottled water.
FS08

Strategies for Landscape Water Efficiency in Residential and Commercial Applications

8:00 am – 3:00 pm
Room 25 A, Upper Level
5 PDH, Registered with LA CES/HSW, GBCI, FL, NY/HSW

As you will see across a range of residential scales, client demand is strong for landscape architects who increase water-use efficiency. Examine innovative irrigation systems and low-water-use plantings at the heart of sound water management practices, including a sports field and an estate that harmonically balance sustainability and aesthetics.

Leaders/Speakers: Megan Fairleigh, ASLA, Mira Costa College; Patrick Crais, Blue Watchdog Systems

$75 per person; includes transportation and bottled water. Lunch on your own.

FS09 SOLD OUT!

San Diego Region SITES™ Pilot Projects

8:30 am – 4:30 pm
Field Session Desk, in front of Hall G, Ground Level
6 PDH, Registered with LA CES/HSW, GBCI, NY/HSW

The Sustainable Sites Initiative™ has generated tremendous interest among landscape architects and clients alike. This tour features three pilot projects: a commercial landscape, a park, and a brewery/restaurant. The experience will become even more tangible with a luncheon and tour at the eco- and taste-bud-friendly Stone Brewing Company.

Leaders/Speakers: R. Brad Lewis ASLA, LEED AP, HELIX Environmental Planning; Marney Jensen ASLA, LEED AP, Schmidt Design Group; Greg Koch, Stone Brewing Company; Danielle Pieranunzi Affil. ASLA, LEED AP, Lady Bird Johnson Wildflower Center

$130 per person; includes transportation, lunch, brewery tour/tasting, and bottled water.
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FS10

Green Infrastructure Workshop: Exploring Green Street Opportunities
9:00 am – 5:00 pm
Room 25B, Upper Level
7 PDH, Registered with LA CES/HSW, GBCI, AICP, FL, NY/non-HSW

San Diego’s Gaslamp Quarter is more than a spirit-lifting, history-inspiring stroll. It is also the focus of this eight-hour workshop with national green street experts and is ideal for public sector/city official attendees. Together, you will be studying this well-established area to identify, plan, and design urban green street retrofit opportunities.

Leaders/Speakers: Kevin R. Perry, ASLA, Nevue Ngan Associates; Clark Wilson, U.S. EPA Office of Sustainable Communities; Martin Flores, ASLA, Rick Engineering Company, Inc.

$75 per person; Includes afternoon beverage break and bottled water. Lunch on your own.

FS11 SOLD OUT!

Habitat Like That: Landscape Architecture for the San Diego Zoo
9:00 am – 1:00 pm
Field Session Desk, in front of Hall G, Ground Level
3 PDH, Registered with LA CES/HSW, FL, NY/HSW

The San Diego Zoo is a leader in zoological exhibit design. Here’s your chance to take a walk on the wild side and go behind the scenes of the certified botanical gardens. This exciting field session will connect you directly with a multispecies habitat and the people who designed it.

Leaders/Speakers: James Neri, ASLA, Neri Landscape Architecture; Christopher Langdon, ASLA, Wimmer Yamada and Caughey; Michael Bostwick, ASLA, and David Rice Affil. ASLA, FAIA, San Diego Zoo Global

$80 per person; includes transportation, continental breakfast, admission fee, and bottled water.
FS12 SOLD OUT!

Cycling in Coronado: Past, Present, and Future
9:30 am – 2:30 pm
Field Session Desk, in front of Hall G, Ground Level
5 PDH, Registered with LA CES/HSW, AICP, FL

In Coronado, incorporated in 1890, residents are blessed with a richly historic village atmosphere. Guided by knowledgeable landscape architects and city staff for detail, this 15-mile bike ride on level terrain will explore Coronado’s waterfront, neighborhoods, and Navy installations, as well as the Hotel del Coronado and Silver Strand.

Leaders/Speakers: Michael Singleton ASLA, AICP, LEED AP, and John Holloway, ASLA, KTU+A Landscape Architecture & Planning

$95 per person; includes water taxi fee, bike rental, and bottled water. Lunch on your own.

FS14

Environmental Stewardship on the Border: The Tijuana River Watershed
10:00 am – 3:00 pm
Field Session Desk, in front of Hall G, Ground Level
3.5 PDH, Registered with LA CES/HSW, GBCI, AICP, FL, NY/HSW

The Tijuana River Watershed is a complex, diverse mix of terrain, ecology, culture, and, of course, international jurisdiction. There are problems and opportunities within this large, arid, urbanized watershed, and it is a a model for trans-border cooperation. This session will reveal a multijurisdictional plan for managing an ecosystem preserve.

Leaders/Speakers: Jon Wreschinsky, ASLA, The Land Design Collaborative; Clay Phillips, State of California Department of Parks and Recreation; Oscar Romo, Tijuana River National Estuarine Research Reserve

$70 per person; includes transportation, entry fee, and bottled water.
FS15

Balboa Park—A Walking Tour of Planning and Design Issues
10:00 am – 3:00 pm
Field Session Desk, in front of Hall G, Ground Level
4 PDH, Registered with LA CES/HSW, NY/HSW

The 100th anniversary of the Panama–California Exposition that launched this park is 2015, yet the site is one of the oldest dedicated to public recreation, dating to 1835. Learn how this exhilaratingly beautiful park sparked the Spanish Colonial Revival and how the current master plan can further inspire public engagement.

Leaders/Speakers: Vicki Estrada, FASLA, and David Preciado, ASLA, Estrada Land Planning; Mark Johnson, FASLA, Civitas, Inc.

$65 per person; includes transportation and bottled water. Substantial walking required.
FS16 SOLD OUT!

The Jewel:
Estate Coastal Gardens of La Jolla
10:00 am – 4:00 pm
Field Session Desk, in front of Hall G, Ground Level
4 PDH, Registered with LA CES/HSW, NY/HSW

Everybody who’s been to La Jolla wants to live there. This tour will take you from a hillside estate and garden on the Black’s Beach bluffs through the village, reminiscent of the French Riviera. You will enjoy beautifully designed properties as well as the historic Cave Shop.

Leaders/Speakers: Martin Schmidt, ASLA, ENVIRONS; Jeffrey Smith, Daedalus Design Group

$70 per person; includes transportation and bottled water. Lunch on your own.