

Making Ends Meet: High Quality Design on a Low Budget

Li Ka Shing Library, Singapore Management University

Singapore, 15 – 16 August 2013

Programme

Thursday, August 15th 2013

- 8.30 – 9.30 Registration
- First Session: Setting the scene – the impact of economy on libraries in different regions of the world, new service trends and demands for library buildings**
Chair: Dorothea Sommer
- 9.30 – 10.15 Gulcin Cribb, Director, Li Ka Shing Library, Singapore:
Evolution and transformation: spaces, services and staircases
- 10.15 – 11.00 Sharon Bostick, Dean of Libraries Illinois Institute of Technology, USA,
Janine Schmidt, Director Mukurta Consulting, Australia:
Financial and cultural crises: the library's response to tough times
- 11.00 – 11.30 Coffee break
- Second Session: Making things easier: how to create quality library space with a low financial budget**
Chair: Stefan Clevström
- 11.30 – 12.15 Cecilia Kugler, Library Design Specialist, Director CK Design International Pty Ltd., Australia,
Cents and Sensibility – Maximum impact with minimal funds
- 12.15 – 13.00 Valerie Critchley, MacOdrum Library, Carleton University, Ottawa, Canada,
Change in mid-renovation: high quality design when the construction budget is no longer enough
- 13.00 – 14.00 Lunch
- Third Session: New Design Approaches to emerging needs: aligning physical spaces with social values**
Chair: Inger Edebro Sikström
- 14.00 – 14.45 Jeffrey Scherer, FAIA, Meyer, Scherer & Rockcastle Ltd., Minneapolis, USA
Renovation, renewal and rethinking: Turning abandoned buildings into high quality community libraries at low cost
- 14.45 – 15.30 Graham Legerton, Discipline Head (Education), Architectural Director, ThomsonAdsett, Australia,
Linda O'Brien, Pro Vice Chancellor, Griffith University, Australia:
Budgetary Constraints: no excuse for poor design, Griffith Library (G11) Extension and Gumurrii Centre (Queensland, Australia)
- 15.30 – 16.00 Coffee Break
- Fourth Session: Case studies – adaptive reuse of buildings for library purposes: National Libraries**
Chair: Janine Schmidt

- 16.00 – 16.45 Winston Roberts, Senior Advisor – Professional Support, National Library of New Zealand (Te Puna Matauranga o Aotearoa), Wellington, New Zealand
Renewing a complete National Library building in difficult economic times
- 16.45 – 17.30 Stefan Clevström, Head of Buildings and Facilities, National Library of Sweden, Stockholm, Sweden
Hans Murman, Murman Arkitekter, Sweden
The National Library of Sweden, Stockholm
- 17.30 – 18.00 Cocktail Reception
18.00 – 19.30 Buffet Dinner

Friday, August 16th 2013

Fifth Session: Case studies – adaptive reuse of buildings for library purposes in different regional contexts

Chair: Sharon Bostick

- 9.30 – 10.15 Maria G.N. Musoke, Prof. of Information Science and University Librarian, Makerere University, Uganda
Lydia Namugera, Makerere University Library and Welfare Association (MULWA)
The end justified the means: building Makerere University Library extension with minimal resources
- 10.15 – 11.00 Ruvini Kodikara, Librarian, University of Moratuwa Library, University of Moratuwa, Sri Lanka, Ruwan Gamage, Senior Lecturer, National Institute of Library and Information Sciences (NILIS), University of Colombo, Sri Lanka
Rethinking Library Space as an Information Commons; from Drawbacks to Solutions, and Negotiations in between
- 11.00 – 11.30 Coffee
- 11.30 – 12.15 Ursula Byrne, Head of Library Development and Strategic Programmes, University College Dublin, Ireland
Achieving library refurbishment: get the most out of matched funding and careful design planning
- 12.15 – 13.00 Katarina Ervasti, district library director Vantaa City Library, Hakunila, Finland
Paula Puustinen, librarian, Vantaa City Library, Hakunila, Finland
Sustainable, participatory and low-cost – the redesign process of Hakunila Library
- 13.00 – 14.00 Lunch
- Sixth Session: Case studies – New models of design in different regional contexts**
Chair: Jeffrey Scherer
- 14.00 – 14.45 Dr. Mohammad Mahdi Jahani Yekta, Assistant Professor, Iranian Research Institute for Information Science and Technology, Teheran, Iran
Economic Design of Libraries Based on Visionary Building Plans, Adaptive Architecture, Compact Storage, and Streamlining of Services
- 14.45 – 15.30 Ida Fajar Priyanto, Director Universitas Gadjah Mada (UGM) Library, Yogyakarta, Indonesia
Corners: Designing library spaces for new generation of users without library budget
- 15.30 – 16.00 Final discussion and Wrap-up
16.00 – 16.30 Coffee

Library visits:

17.00 – 18.00

Li Ka Shing Library

17.00

National Library of Singapore (please plan a 30 minutes walk to get to the location)

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Registration Form

As space is limited we will give places on a "first come, first served" basis. We encourage early registration!
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