



SUE-MoT Conference 2007
**International Conference on Whole Life
Urban Sustainability and its Assessment**

27–29 June 2007 Glasgow Caledonian University, Scotland

FIRST CALL FOR PAPERS

Conference Aim

The conference will bring together international leading researchers, professionals, tool developers, policy makers and other stakeholders who are involved in the field of urban sustainability assessment to exchange ideas and knowledge on how to meet the assessment needs of urban decision-makers.

Conference Theme

The SUE-MOT conference theme is Sustainable Urban Development: Meeting the Challenges of Whole Life Assessments. We encourage submission of papers relating to this theme, especially on and around the following areas:

Integrated approaches to assessing urban sustainability
Design tools for sustainable buildings
Economics of urban sustainability
Environmental appraisal
Environmental justice
Full cost accounting
Impact assessment
Knowledge management for sustainability assessment
Life cycle assessment

Multi-criteria decision making tools
Social appraisal
Social capital and community sustainability assessment
Stakeholder participation
Stakeholder values
Sustainability appraisal of buildings
Complex systems approaches to urban sustainability
Urban design for sustainability
Sustainability and the different approaches to urban planning

Urban sustainability barriers, enablers and drivers
Urban sustainability metrics and indicators
Deliberative democratic participation for urban sustainability
Assessing urban sustainability in a "Risk Society"
Common units for measuring urban sustainability
Case studies for urban sustainability

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Important Dates

31 October 2006
Abstract submission deadline

30 November 2006
Notification of acceptance

31 January 2007
Submission of full papers for review

15 March 2007
Notification of feedback from the Scientific Advisory Committee

30 April 2007
Submission of final papers

All abstracts and papers will be refereed by an International Scientific Advisory Committee.

It is expected that the best papers will be published by *Engineering Sustainability* and *Accounting Forum*, and possibly *Building Research Information* and *Building and Environment*. There will be a prize for the best overall paper and the best student paper.

Submission of abstracts

Abstracts should be submitted to M.Halforty@gcal.ac.uk no later than 31 October 2006.

Further information

Further information may be found on the conference website www.sue-mot.org.uk/conference

Conference Organisers

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