



Call for Presentations

Proposal Submittal Deadline: January 30, 2006

You are invited to participate in the CCAPA 2006 Conference in Orange County by organizing a conference session.

Session Formats

Formats other than traditional presentation are welcome such as: Point/Counterpoint, Debate; Workshops with audience participation; Sessions will be 75 minutes in length; Sessions will be held October 22 - 25, 2006.

Submission of Proposals

Proposals may be submitted through E-mail or by mail; however mail submissions must include an electronic copy of the proposal in Word, WordPerfect or rich text format on a floppy disk or CD-ROM.

Confirmation, Acceptance & Questions

Email Proposal Submittal Deadline	January 30, 2006
Mail Proposals Postmarked By	January 25, 2006
Mail Proposals Received By	January 30, 2006
Notification of Session Acceptance	February 28, 2006

Questions about the submission process should be made to:

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Proposal Contents

Proposals must provide the following information:

- Session or workshop title: A short and catchy title that accurately reflects the focus of the session
- Abstract: A short description of the session, relevance to conference topics and what people can expect to learn (100 words maximum)
- Presenter's identification & expertise: Provide the name, title, address, phone number, fax and e-mail address for each presenter. Describe the relevant expertise of each presenter to the session topic (1 page maximum).
- Describe the audio-visual needs of the session. Internet connections are not available. Many session rooms are not "AV Friendly".

Review of Proposals

The CCAPA 2006 Programs Committee will evaluate proposals on:

Overall quality and originality	Practical solutions and application
Relevance to conference themes	Presentation skill of speakers
Clarity of focus	

Speaker Guidelines

If you are selected to present at the CCAPA 2006 Conference you will be required to follow the speaker guidelines below:

- Moderators and Panelists will receive Complimentary registration to the Sessions on the Day of their Presentation ONLY. This does not include meals and meal tickets and/or additional conference registration must be purchased separately.
- All Moderators and Panelist MUST register even if they are only speaking on the Day of their Presentation
- Badges must be worn at all meal functions and a receipt must be presented
- Moderators/Panelists must comply with the CCAPA Program Chair's request for Bio's/Session Topics in the format requested for the final program and by the deadline of August 1, 2006. Failure to turn bio's/topics in by the deadline and format requested will result in the Committee's discretion to use the most current submittal.

Conference information online at www.calapa.org

Topics

Residential Development – Trends and Techniques

New forms of development such as mixed use and high rise residential, implementing new regulations, transit oriented development, brownfield development, small-lot residential design, jobs-housing balance, blight redevelopment, and affordable housing.

Exciting Public Spaces and Buildings Planning in the Public Realm

Issues such as the development of new public spaces, including civic centers and civic buildings, parks, schools, and pocket parks, creating walkable communities, crime prevention through environmental design, community participation trends and techniques.

The Evolution of Land Use Economics and Commerce

Land use economics in California is changing and issues could include topics such as the future of retailing, what to do with existing retail strip centers, grey fields, local malls, and corridors, and how much is too much. Trends and techniques in the financing infrastructure, improvements, etc.

The Natural Environment

How to accommodate growth without destroying the natural environment, how to integrate the natural environment into new development, how to protect the natural environment from further degradation.

Professional Development

Career development, effective presentations, negotiating strategies, updates on CEQA and other regulations, planning techniques, preparation for the AICP exam, meeting management and leadership, working with staff, and inter- and intra-government relations.