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EARTH ARCHITECTURE

MUD, STONE AND SHALE

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DAW'AN MUD BRICK ARCHITECTURE FOUNDATION

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HE President of The Yemen Republic Ali Abdulla Saleh

**The Ministry of Higher Education & Scientific Research
& DAW'AN MUD BRICK ARCHITECTURE FOUNDATION**

Are pleased to announce convening the 2011 Architecture Conference in Say'un, Wadi Hadramut, under the title:

Earth Architecture | Mud, Stone & Shale

The conference will provide a platform to discuss and exchange information amongst international architects, academics, participants and foundations on the condition of past and future cities with innovative and creative projects in construction and design including a wide spectrum from Chile to India. The Architecture Departments of Yemeni Universities (San'a', Aden, Hadramut, Ibb, Ta'iz and Dhamar) are participating in the conference and proceedings. This intends to create an important link and exchange between North and South, east and west, where the technology, design language and environment of earth architecture requires to be more seriously and effectively implemented. The fact that it is being held in the heart of the kingdom of mud brick architecture, the valley of Hadramut, serves a significant case in point.

Venue Say'un, Wadi Hadramut | Republic of Yemen

Dates 28 February – 4 March 2011

Official Language English, French & Arabic for presentation

Conference Themes

1. Architectural Rehabilitation and Development
2. Modern & Contemporary Buildings: Innovation, Construction and Design (Case Studies and Projects)
3. Yemeni Cities & Vernacular Architecture at Risk: Dilapidation, Destruction & Flood Damage
4. Future Use of Restored Residential Clusters & Heritage Landmarks
5. Environmental Issues: Sustainable Planning Methods & Guidelines

Participants

To enable us to programme the list of conference presentations, please provide the following at the earliest date possible, and not later than December 17th:

- Title of contribution
- Abstract 200 words maximum
- Short Biography (blurb) 100 words
- Personal photo

The abstract must include:

- 1) the name(s) and full contact details (affiliation(s)) of the contributor(s);
- 2) the title of the proposed paper
- 3) what the proposed paper intends to cover;
- 4) an outline of the approach it will take;
- 5) five keywords;

Due to programme time constraints, and the number of abstracts received, there is no guarantee that all papers will be accepted.

Presentations are limited to 20 minutes, with an additional 5 minutes for discussion.

Publications

Conference proceedings, with contributions from invited participants and accepted submitted papers will be published in a separate book at the end of 2011. Please prepare the physical contribution, or paper (in English, Arabic or French), with related illustrations, for submission either at or after the conference, by the cut off date of 30th June 2011.

To accompany the Conference, a separate publication with the key architectural landmarks and sites of Wadi Hadramut, including those programmed to visit, will be published and distributed.

Provisional Programme

26/27th February: Arrival international participants and guests to Dubai

28th February c.10:00/11:00 am (time tbc) fly Dubai to Say'un Airport

(Arrival in Say'un check into hotels free afternoon)

Open Mud Brick Building Site & Projections at al Hawtah (Mud Brick Architecture Centre) will operate for the duration of Conference 28th-3rd

6:00 pm Assemble to take buses from hotels to Say'un

6:30-7:30 pm Visit to Say'un Palace & Museum

7:30-8:30 Official Opening Ceremony at Say'un Palace

8:30-9:30 Entertainment: Anashid Tarim with Hadrami music orchestra

1st March: 8am-3:00pm Day 1 Conference Sessions

(7:15-7:30 Buses leave from hotels to Say'un Government Complex)

3:15-3:30 Buses leave to site visits & Sandwich Lunch

3:30-6:00 pm Site Visits to Shibam & Say'un

Open Mud Brick Building Site & Projections at Al Hawtah (M B Arch Centre)

7:00-8:00pm Hotel & Free Open Evening

2nd March: Day 2 Conference Sessions 8am-3:00 pm

(7:15-7:30 Buses leave from hotels to Say'un Government Complex)

3:15-3:30 Buses leave to site visits & Sandwich Lunch

3:30-6:00 pm Site Visits to Wadi Hadramut & Tarim / 'Aynat & Sah (Optional to visit DMBAF & CER Projects and 2008 flooded sites)

8:00 pm- Evening entertainment: Traditional Music and Dance at Shibam Square

3rd March: Day 3 Field Visit to Wadi Daw'an

9:00 am Leave buses with stopovers at : Al Hajarayn, Masna'at 'Urah Rehabilitation Site to Rabat Ba'Shan & Khaylah

Lunch: Hayd al Jazil Chalets Resort & Shale (Girf) Open Building Site

Return to Say'un open dinner

8:00 Evening entertainment: Traditional Music & Projections at al Hawtah Mud Brick Architecture Centre's Square

4th March AM Departure

Say'un Airport to Dubai (*time to be confirmed*)

Travel & Accommodation

Entry Visas to Yemen are required and can be obtained from Yemeni Consulates or on arrival. Please send your passport details for the latter.

Hotels: Al Hawtah Palace, Say'un Plaza and Al Nakheel

Climate: Weather will be pleasantly warm, and sunny.

Queries: Please contact Salma Samar Damluji, Chief Architect & Consultant, Daw'an Mud Brick Architecture Foundation on salmasamar@damluji.org



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