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Coordinator, GIS Urban Planning

As Coordinator, of the GIS & Urban Planning program, Russell promotes program wide events that provide students with meaningful, real-world planning experiences that enhance student learning.

Russell is a graduate of the Bachelor of Applied Arts (Integrated Land Planning Technologies) program and the Urban Design Diploma program at Fanshawe College, and has over 12 years of GIS and land planning experience within both the

William Pol

Professor, GIS & Urban Planning

William Pol, MPA, MCIP, RPP has more than 30 years of professional planning experience in municipal and provincial government, private planning practice and now teaches GIS and Urban Planning at Fanshawe College.

His career includes development of land use planning policies, zoning by-laws, subdivisions, site plans and provided expert planning evidence before the Ontario Municipal Board. He has completed projects in municipal land use, large scale renewable wind and solar energy, master parks and recreation planning and other unique planning issues. William holds an undergraduate degree from Ryerson University in Urban and Regional Planning and a graduate degree from Western University in Public Administration.

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Athabasca County

Proudly Presents
A

Design Charrette

Workshop with:
**Russell Schnurr
& William Pol**
Fanshawe College



Join us on:

Friday, Nov. 22nd, 2013

Time: 8:00 am

Location:

Athabasca Regional Multiplex

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"A design charrette engages diverse interests to create inspired public spaces."
Russel Schnur

"A design charrette inspires planning ideas from the written page to the presentation graphics"
William Pol

World Town Planning Day

Athabasca County endorses World Town Planning Day as a strategy to promote a broad-based awareness, support, and advocacy of community and regional planning among the general public and all levels of government.

World Town Planning Day is celebrated every year on November 8th in over 30 different countries. It is a special day which will focus on the progress of community planning in Canada.

The event will highlight the valuable contributions that sound planning has made to the quality of the human environment and provides recognition of the ideals of community planning among the profession and the general public worldwide.

Workshop Sessions

Session One: Design Charrette

A Design Charrette is an intense, team focused exercise conducted over a short time period, which produces an illustrated brainstorm of innovative design ideas.

While the structure of a charrette varies, depending on the design problem and the individuals in the group, charrettes often take place in multiple sessions in which the group divides into sub-groups. Each sub-group then presents its work to the full group as material for further dialogue.

Such charrettes serve as a way of quickly generating a design solution while integrating the aptitudes and interests of a diverse group of people.

Session Two: Hands-On Design Exercise

Athabasca's workshop will give participants hands on practical experience in conducting their own Charrettes. The exercise will use The Hamlet of Colinton as a case study.

Work Shop Agenda

Morning

8:00 am to 8:45 am: Registration (refreshments)
8:45 am to 9:00 am: Welcome and Introductions
9:00 am to 12:00 pm: Session One — Design Charrette

Midday Break

Noon to 1:00 pm: Lunch provided for Full Session Participants

Afternoon

1:00 pm to 2:45 pm: Session Two — Hands-On Design Exercise
2:45 pm to 3:00 pm: Break
3:00 pm to 3:15 pm: Session Resumes
3:15 pm to 5:00 pm: Q/A & Discussion

Registration Information



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