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Wednesday, April 19

3:00 – 5:00: Exhibitor Setup

3:00 – 5:00: Registration/Packet Pick-Up

6:00 – 9:00: Welcome Reception

Thursday, April 20

7:30 – 8:40: Registration/Packet Pick-Up 7:30 – 8:40: Breakfast with Exhibitors 8:40 – 8:50: Welcome & Introduction

8:50 – 9:50: Healthy Places: Placemaking as a Community Change Tool

Jane Ellery – Senior Fellow/Asst. Professor, Ball State University, Project for Public Spaces

Peter J. Ellery – Faculty Instructor, Ball State University

10:00 – 11:00: Designing Trees into the Urban Landscape & Integrating Stormwater Management

Jeremy Bailey – Senior Consultant, GreenBlue Urban

11:10 – 12:10: Experiential Access to the Great Outdoors

Jack McMahan – President, Crossing the Chasm, LLC

12:10 - 12:30: Break

12:30 – 1:30: Lunch with Exhibitors

1:30 – 2:30: Art & Science of Vegetated Floating Islands

Mimi Wagner – Associate Professor of Landscape Architecture, Iowa State University

Austin Steward & Nuo Man – Iowa State University

2:30 – 3:00: Exhibitor Hall Open

3:00 – 4:00: Livable Des Moines – Parks, People + Social Equality

Ben Page – Parks & Recreation Department Director

Jennifer Richmond, ASLA - Parks & Recreation Planning and Development Administrator

Joshua Barr – Des Moines Civil Rights Director

4:00 – 5:30: Site Tour: Downtown Des Moines

5:30 – 8:00: Evening Social (informal)







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Friday, April 21

7:30 – 8:30: Registration/Packet Pick-Up

7:30 – 8:30: Exhibitor Hall Open

8:30 – 9:30: The Genius of Genus: Trees for Livable Communities

Tyler Baird – Horticultural Specialist, City of Iowa City, Parks & Recreation

9:40 – 10:40: Trends in Play Space Design

Bryan Sykora – Regional Manager, Landscape Structures, Inc.

Jennifer Pospichal – Outdoor Recreation Products

10:50 – 11:50: A Landscape Architect's Approach to Water Modeling of Landscape & Sites

Jeffrey L. Bruce, FASLA – President, Jeffrey L. Bruce Company

12:00 – 1:30: Awards Luncheon

1:30 – 2:30: Keynote Speaker

Ken Smith-Principal, Ken Smith Workshop

2:40 – 3:15: Closing Remarks

