

## Publications 2010

- Adams, D. (2010) 'Birmingham: flows and movement in the Modern city', paper presented at the workshop 'Motor cities: a comparative history of Nagoya and Birmingham', Birmingham
- Adams, D. and Larkham, P.J. (2010) '(Re)planning the metropolis: process and product in post-war London', paper presented at the conference "The Blitz and its legacy", University of Westminster
- Allcock, N. and Larkham, P.J. (2010) 'Character and change: the impact of building adaptation on a potential World Heritage Site: the Jewellery Quarter, Birmingham', paper presented at the Planning Research Conference 2010, Anglia Ruskin University, Chelmsford
- Amidu, A.-R., Agboola, A.O. and Ojo, O. (2010) "The ethics of real estate agents in emerging economies: a cross-sectional survey of agents and service consumers' perceptions in Nigeria", *Property Management* vol. 28 no. 10 pp. 339-357
- Boyd, D. (2010) 'Re-Embodying Construction', keynote address to the 28<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference of the Association of Researchers in Construction Management
- Boyd, D. (2010) 'Metaphors in construction', paper presented at RESCON 10, Birmingham City University
- Boyd D. (2010) *Local Authorities Procurement of Construction Materials* Project Report for the West Midlands Collaborative Working Group
- Boyd, D. and Addis, M. (2010) 'Philosophy in construction: understanding the development of expertise', Associated Schools of Construction Conference, Boston 7<sup>th</sup> – 10<sup>th</sup> April, Ed. Tulio Sulbaran, <http://ascpro.ascweb.org/chair/paper/CEGT160002010.pdf>
- Boyd D., McCabe S. and Powell J. (2010) 'Strategy in construction – a practice based examination of technological evolution and market orientation in a UK housebuilder', in proceedings of COBRA 2010 Conference, Dauphine Université, Paris, 2-3 September, RICS Foundation
- Boyd, D. and Xiao, H. (2010) 'Learning from cross-cultural problems in international projects: a Chinese case', *Engineering, Construction and Architectural Management* vol. 17 no. 6 pp. 549-562
- Boyd D. and Xiao, H. (2010) 'Understanding Chinese and British construction: a problem of metaphors', in Egbu, C. (Ed.), *26th Annual ARCOM Conference*, 5-7 September 2008, Leeds, UK. Association of Researchers in Construction Management, Vol. 2.
- Hardman, M. (2010) 'The wider impacts of artificial grass on Birmingham's primary schools', poster paper presented at RESCON 10, Birmingham City University (special award for presentation)
- Hardman, M. and Jones, D. (2010) 'Grow it, eat it, move it, live it: a Birmingham food growing network', poster paper presented at AESOP 2<sup>nd</sup> European Sustainable Food Planning Conference, Brighton

- Larkham, P.J. (2010) 'Developing concepts of conservation: the fate of bombed churches after the Second World War', *Transactions of the Ancient Monuments Society* vol. 54 pp. 7-34
- Larkham, P.J. (2010) 'Public consultation in the reconstruction period c. 1941-51', research seminar, Edinburgh School of Architecture and Landscape Architecture, Edinburgh College of Art
- Larkham, P.J. (2010) 'Ideals of conservation after the destruction of war', Conservation Masterclass, Scottish Centre for Conservation Studies, Edinburgh College of Art
- Larkham, P.J. (2010) Conference report: 'Urban transformation: controversies, contrasts and challenges: IPHS fourteenth biennial conference, Istanbul, 2010', *Town Planning Review* vol. 81 no. 6 pp. 705-708
- Larkham, P.J. and Adams, D. (2010) '(Re)planning the metropolis: process and product in post-war London', paper presented at the conference "The Blitz and its legacy", University of Westminster
- Larkham, P.J. and Haghani, T. (2010) 'Fractal mapping: a new tool for analyzing urban morphological complexity', paper presented at the 17<sup>th</sup> conference of the International Seminar on Urban Form, Hamburg
- Larkham, P.J. and Nasr, J. (2010) 'Heritage in reconstruction/heritage of reconstruction: the British experience after World War II', paper presented at the 14<sup>th</sup> conference of the International Planning History Society, Istanbul
- Larkham, P.J. and Rifaioğlu, M.N. (2010) 'Conserving the heritage of workers' housing: a comparative study', paper presented at the 14<sup>th</sup> conference of the International Planning History Society, Istanbul
- Larkham, P.J., Rifaioğlu, M. and Şahin Güçhan, M. (2010) 'The influence of land ownership and control on urban form in the historic urban context of Antakya (Antioch)', paper presented at the 17<sup>th</sup> conference of the International Seminar on Urban Form, Hamburg
- Scott, A. (2010) 'Localism and landscape: the times they are a changing', invited keynote address, Countryside Character Network Conference, Birmingham
- Scott, A. (2010) 'Researching at the edge: reflections on what makes a successful interdisciplinary research council grant application', paper presented at RESCON 10, Birmingham City University
- Scott, A. (2010) 'Planning encounters a black hole', *Planning* 1 October p. 6
- Scott, A. (2010) 'Spatial planning encounters a black hole', *Town and Country Planning* July/August pp. 326-327
- Scott, A. and Carter, C. (2010) 'Experiencing the natural environment: exploring the landscape experiences of mountain bikers and walkers', paper presented at the Royal Geographical Society Annual Conference, London

- Scott, A., Glass, J.H. and Price, M.F. (2010) 'Beyond the usual suspects? The role of expert knowledge in sustainability indicator development for Scotland's upland estates', paper presented at the Knowledge systems and mountain sustainability concerns session, Global Change and the World's Mountains Conference, Perth
- Scott, A., Glass, J.H. and Price, M.F. (2010) 'Who is an expert? Engaging scientific and local knowledge in deliberative sustainability research', paper presented at the Emerging Themes in Geographical Research session, Royal Geographical Society Annual Conference, London
- Scott, A., Glass, J.H. and Price, M.F. (2010) 'Twenty heads are better than one: a toolkit for monitoring sustainability on Scotland's upland estates', paper presented at the New and Emerging Rural Researchers Session, Royal Geographical Society Annual Conference, London
- Scott, A., Reed, M., Buckmaster, S., Moxey, A., Keenleyside, C., Fazey, I., Thomson, K., Thorp, S. Anderson, R. Bateman I., Bryce R., Christie, M., Glass, J., Hubacek, K., Quinn, C., Maffey, G., Midgely, A., Robinson, G., Stringer, L. Lowe, P., & Slee B. (2010) *Policy options for sustainable management of UK peatlands: review 8*, IUCN Peatlands Commission
- Scott, A., Reed, M., Buckmaster, S., Moxey, A., Keenleyside, C., Fazey, I., Thomson, K., Thorp, S. Anderson, R. Bateman I., Bryce R., Christie, M., Glass, J., Hubacek, K., Quinn, C., Maffey, G., Midgely, A., Robinson, G., Stringer, L. Lowe, P., & Slee B. (2010) 'Policy options for sustainable management of UK peatlands', paper presented at the IUCN Peatlands Commission conference, University of Durham
- Shabha, G. (2010) Keynote speaker at the conference 'Reducing HACIs – a transformation Process', September, Queen Elizabeth Conference Centre, London
- Shabha, G. (2010) 'Clean ventilation', *Health Estate Journal*, June
- Shabha, G. (2010) 'Dirty ducts pose serious health threat', *Journal of Heating and Ventilating*, July
- Shabha, G. (2010) 'Clean ventilation system - never more essential', *Health Business Magazine*, July
- Shabha, G. (2010) 'Hospital air conditioning and the spread of HCAI', *Industry Today*, 16 August
- Shabha, G (2010) " MRSA and Hospital Dust- How Effective are the current Cleaning and Maintenance of Ventilation and Air-conditioning Systems in reducing MRSA and other HCAI infection in British Hospitals", A blog in Govtoday, Online Services for Public Sector in the UK, June 2010. at <http://www.govtoday.co.uk/Blog-Channels/Health/MRSA-vs-Hospital-Dust.html>
- Sidoli del Ceno, J. (2010) 'Safe as houses', *Solicitors Journal* 23 February p. 19
- Sidoli del Ceno, J. (2010) 'Virtual alienation', *Solicitors Journal* 27 April p. 6
- Sidoli del Ceno, J. (2010) 'Use the force', *Solicitors Journal* 27 July p. 6

- Sidoli del Ceno, J. (2010) 'Unequivocal actions and surrender by operation of law', *Landlord and Tenant Review* 14, 5 pp. 192-194
- Sidoli del Ceno, J. (2010) 'A bitter harvest: the end of ongoing guarantees for landlords?', *New Law Journal* June pp. 791-792
- Sidoli del Ceno, J. (2010) 'Article 8 Rights and Possession Orders: Manchester City Council v Pinnock', *Solicitor's Journal* November
- Xiao, H. and Boyd, D. (2010) 'Learning from cross-cultural problems in international projects: a Chinese case', *Engineering, Construction and Architectural Management* vol. 17 no. 6 pp. 549-562
- Xiao, H. and Boyd, D. (2010) 'Understanding Chinese and British construction: a problem of metaphors', in Egbu, C. (Ed.), *26th Annual ARCOM Conference*, 5-7 September 2008, Leeds, UK. Association of Researchers in Construction Management, Vol. 2.

#### *Associated staff*

- Nasr, J. and Larkham, P.J. (2010) 'Heritage in reconstruction/heritage of reconstruction: the British experience after World War II', paper presented at the 14<sup>th</sup> conference of the International Planning History Society, Istanbul
- Wenban-Smith, A. (2010) 'Birmingham - from traditional to advanced industrial city: evolution of transport and development policies', paper presented at the workshop 'Motor cities: a comparative history of Nagoya and Birmingham', Birmingham
- Wenban-Smith (2010) Comment on brownfield development, *The Guardian* 18 May (despite omission of "not" by the newspaper, which changed the meaning of the piece!)

**Research Seminars**  
**Centre for Research in Society and the Environment**

February 22    **The future of commercial leases**  
Research seminar  
Professor Neil Crosby (University of Reading)

**What is a four-star publication?**  
Staff workshop  
Professor Neil Crosby (University of Reading)

**Job design – about environment and society**  
Dr Ani Raiden (Nottingham Business School, Nottingham Trent University)

6 July            **Research paper writing workshop**

18 October    **The agenda for planning, 2010-2015**  
Professor Janice Morphet (Director, RMJM Consultants)

2 November    **Managing the economics of global environmental change at the rural/urban fringe**  
Dr Alister Scott (CESR)

9 November    **Can urban agriculture be scaled up? Lessons from Toronto**  
Dr Joe Nasr (Ryerson University, Toronto: CESR Visiting Research Fellow)

November      **Workshop on Interdisciplinarity and research**  
Wyn Grant (Professor of Politics at Warwick University)

13 December   **Observational methods for rural open spaces**  
Dipl. Ing. Barbora Lipovská (Slovak Agricultural University in Nitra)

2011  
17 January    **The future of Building Information Modelling (BIM)**  
Peter Chappell (Director, AEDAS Architects)

**Research students  
associated with the School of Property, Construction and Planning**

**PhD awarded**

Kumudu Swarnadhipathi: *Perceptions of business performance in medium-sized construction companies in the English Midlands*

**Ongoing**

David Adams is working on residents' experiences of the 'post-war reconstruction era' in Birmingham and Coventry. His Director of Studies is Peter Larkham and second supervisor is Nick Morton.

Abdul-Rasheed Amidu is working on Expertise development in commercial valuation practice. His Director of Studies is David Boyd and his second supervisor is Professor Fernand Gobet (Brunel University).

Beck Collins has been awarded a full-time bursary for research on Systemic barriers to sustainability. Her Director of Studies is David Boyd.

Michael Hardman is working on urban land use and food production, funded by a full-time University bursary. His Director of Studies is Peter Larkham and second supervisors are Julian Lamb and Nick Morton.

Terri Knight is about to submit her thesis on the perceptions of commercial property developers of their approach to property development and success.

Ben Onyido has been awarded a full-time bursary for research on Systemic barriers to sustainability. His Director of Studies is David Boyd.

Jenny Smith has been awarded a full-time bursary for research on The effectiveness of education and cohesion in reducing the impacts of conflicts arising from adventure activities in protected areas. Her Director of Studies is Alister Scott and second supervisor is Peter Larkham.

Ashokkumar Subbiah continued his research on a cross-cultural perspective of construction project management and finance. He works for, and is sponsored by, the developer of the London Olympic Stadium project. His Director of Studies is Julian Lamb.

Budgets for two further full-time bursaries have been agreed; one student starts in early 2011 and the second bursary will be advertised.

**External PhD supervising**

Alister Scott is supervising three PhDs at the University of Highlands and Islands, Scotland:

Robert Weymuss *Protected Areas and Land Use Planning in Scotland*

Jayne Glass *Sustainable Estates*

Ester Renwick *Landscape perception of World Heritage Sites*