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THEORY IN LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE - SIMON SWAFFIELD 2002-11-22

BASIC THEORETICAL TEXTS FOR LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS.

A QUEST FOR LIFE - IAN L. MCHARG 1996-04-27

"SHOW ME ANY CIVILIZATION THAT BELIEVES THAT REALITY EXISTS ONLY BECAUSE MAN CAN PERCEIVE IT, THAT THE COSMOS WAS ERECTED TO SUPPORT MAN ON ITS PINNACLE, THAT MAN IS EXCLUSIVELY DIVINE, AND THEN I WILL PREDICT THE NATURE OF HIS CITIES AND ITS LANDSCAPES, THE HOT DOG STANDS, THE NEON SHILL, THE TICKY-TACKY HOUSES, THE STERILE CORE, THE MINED AND RAVAGED COUNTRYSIDE. THIS IS THE IMAGE OF ANTHROPOCENTRIC MAN. HE SEEKS NOT UNITY WITH NATURE BUT CONQUEST, YET UNITY HE FINDS, WHEN HIS ARROGANCE AND IGNORANCE ARE STILLED AND HE LIES DEAD UNDER THE GREENSWARD." IAN L. MCHARG MULTIPLY AND SUBDUE THE EARTH, 1969 "NO LIVING AMERICAN HAS DONE MORE TO USHER THE GENTLE SCIENCE OF ECOLOGY OUT OF OBLIVION AND INTO MAINSTREAM THOUGHT THAN IAN MCHARG—A TEACHER, PHILOSOPHER, DESIGNER, AND ACTIVIST WHO CHANGED THE WAY WE VIEW AND SHAPE OUR ENVIRONMENT." FROM THE FOREWORD BY STEWART L. UDALL PUBLISHED IN COOPERATION WITH THE CENTER FOR AMERICAN PLACES, HARRISONBURG, VIRGINIA A QUEST FOR LIFE IS THE AUTOBIOGRAPHY OF A MAN WHO STANDS ALONGSIDE RACHEL CARSON, LEWIS MUMFORD, AND ALDO LEOPOLD AS ONE OF THE GIANTS OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL MOVEMENT. IN A ROBUST AND SINGULAR VOICE, IAN MCHARG RECOUNTS THE STORY OF A LIFE THAT HAS FORESHADOWED AND EVENTUALLY SHAPED ENVIRONMENTAL CONSCIOUSNESS IN THE TWENTIETH CENTURY. ALONG THE WAY WE MEET PROMINENT FIGURES IN THE ENVIRONMENTAL MOVEMENT, THE DESIGN FIELDS, AND THE GOVERNMENT, FROM WALTER GROPIUS TO LADY BIRD JOHNSON, ALL PRESENTED IN RICH AND TELLING ANECDOTES. EARLY IN A QUEST FOR LIFE MCHARG PRESENTS US WITH AN ARRESTING IMAGE. DESCRIBING THE VIEW FROM HIS BOYHOOD HOME ON THE OUTSKIRTS OF GLASGOW, HE TELLS US THAT IN ONE DIRECTION HE COULD SEE THE INDUSTRIAL MIASMA OF SMOKESTACKS, TENEMENTS, AND TREELESS STREETS, AND, IN ANOTHER, THE GLORIES OF THE SCOTTISH COUNTRYSIDE. "I WAS BORN AND BRED," HE WRITES, "ON A FULCRUM WITH TWO POLES, CITY AND COUNTRYSIDE." CONFRONTED WITH SUCH A STARK CONTRAST, THE MAN WHO WAS TO BECOME "THE FOUNDER OF ECOLOGICAL PLANNING" BEGAN AT AN EARLY AGE TO TURN LITERALLY FROM INHUMANE URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND TOWARD THE BEAUTY AND POWER OF NATURE. EACH CHAPTER OF THIS BOOK ILLUMINATES KEY STAGES IN MCHARG'S LIFE AND IN THE EVOLUTION OF HIS ENVIRONMENTAL AWARENESS. WE SEE HIM AS A YOUTH STANDING ON A HILLSIDE BESIDE THE IMPRESSIVE DONALD WINTERSGILL WHO, WITH THE WAVE OF HIS CANE, LAYS OUT AN ENTIRE VILLAGE COMPLETE WITH LAKES AND FORESTS, AND THUS INTRODUCES THE ASTONISHED MCHARG TO THE PROFESSION OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE. IN SOME OF THE BLOODIEST BATTLES OF THE SECOND WORLD WAR HE WITNESSES THE MAGNITUDE OF HUMAN DESTRUCTIVE CAPABILITY. LATER, WHEN HE FACES A CRISIS OF CONSCIENCE OVER HIS RELIGIOUS TRAINING AND ITS EXHORTATION TO GAIN DOMINION OVER LIFE AND SUBDUE THE EARTH, HE BEGINS TO DEVELOP A DEEP SPIRITUAL APPRECIATION FOR THE SANCTITY OF NATURE ITSELF. HIS TRAINING AS A DESIGNER AND PLANNER IN THE MODERNIST BAUHAUS TRADITION, WITH ITS NEGLECT OF THE ENVIRONMENT; HIS BOUTS WITH TUBERCULOSIS THAT SHOWED HIM THE LINK BETWEEN PUBLIC HEALTH AND CITY PLANNING; HIS FAMOUS "MAN—THE PLANETARY DISEASE" SPEECH BEFORE POWERFUL INDUSTRIALISTS—ALL STAND AS EMBLEMATIC OF BATTLES THAT ARE STILL BEING FOUGHT TODAY. A QUEST FOR LIFE ALSO CHRONICLES THE MANY TRIUMPHS IN MCHARG'S CAREER. IT OFFERS FRESH INSIGHT INTO THE REVOLUTIONARY DESIGN METHOD BEHIND HIS GROUNDBREAKING BOOK, DESIGN WITH NATURE, AND EXPLORES THE DEVELOPMENT OF GEOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION SYSTEMS. WE LEARN FIRSTHAND ABOUT HIS WORK ON THE CELEBRATED REGIONAL PLANS FOR DENVER AND THE TWIN CITIES, AS WELL AS THE WOODLANDS NEW TOWN PROJECT. HIS MOST ENDURING CONTRIBUTION, HOWEVER, MAY PROVE TO BE HIS FOUR DECADES OF TEACHING AT THE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA. THROUGH THE GENERATIONS OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS, DESIGNERS, AND PLANNERS HE TAUGHT THERE, HIS INFLUENCE HAS SPREAD AROUND THE WORLD AND INTO THE FUTURE. AS THE COMPELLING, FIRST-PERSON STORY OF A REMARKABLE INDIVIDUAL WHO NOT ONLY MANNED THE BARRICADES AGAINST ENVIRONMENTAL DESTRUCTION, BUT HELPED LAY THE FOUNDATION FOR THE BARRICADES THEMSELVES, A QUEST FOR LIFE IS MUST READING FOR LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS, DESIGNERS, CONSERVATIONISTS, PLANNERS, AND OTHERS CONCERNED WITH THE PRESERVATION OF OUR COMMUNITIES AND THE NATURAL ENVIRONMENT.

DYNAMIC PATTERNS - KAREN M'CLOSKEY 2017-03-27

DYNAMIC PATTERNS EXPLORES THE ROLE OF PATTERNS IN DESIGNED LANDSCAPES. PATTERNS ARE INHERENTLY RELATIONAL, AND THE SEARCH FOR AND THE CREATION OF PATTERNS ARE ENDEMIC TO MANY SCIENTIFIC AND ARTISTIC ENDEAVORS. RECENT ADVANCES IN OPTICAL TOOLS, SENSORS, AND COMPUTING HAVE EXPANDED OUR UNDERSTANDING OF PATTERNS AS A LINK BETWEEN NATURAL AND CULTURAL REALMS. LOOKING BEYOND THE SURFACE MANIFESTATION OF PATTERN, M'CLOSKEY AND VANDERSYS DELVE INTO A MULTIFACETED EXAMINATION THAT EXPLORES NEW AVENUES FOR ENGAGEMENT WITH PATTERNS USING DIGITAL MEDIA. EXAMINING THE THEORETICAL IMPLICATIONS OF PATTERN-MAKING, THEY PROBE THE POTENTIAL OF PATTERNS TO CONJOIN LANDSCAPE'S UTILITARIAN AND AESTHETIC FUNCTIONS. WITH FULL COLOR THROUGHOUT AND OVER ONE HUNDRED AND TWENTY IMAGES, DYNAMIC PATTERNS UTILIZES

WORK FROM A WIDE RANGE OF ARTISTS AND DESIGNERS TO DEMONSTRATE HOW NOVEL MODES OF VISUALIZATION HAVE FACILITATED NEW WAYS OF SEEING PATTERNS AND THEREFORE OF UNDERSTANDING AND DESIGNING LANDSCAPES.

ECOHUMANISM AND THE ECOLOGICAL CULTURE - WILLIAM J. COHEN 2019

LEWIS MUMFORD, ONE OF THE MOST RESPECTED PUBLIC INTELLECTUALS OF THE TWENTIETH CENTURY, SPEAKING AT A CONFERENCE ON THE FUTURE ENVIRONMENTS OF NORTH AMERICA, SAID, "IN ORDER TO SECURE HUMAN SURVIVAL WE MUST TRANSITION FROM A TECHNOLOGICAL CULTURE TO AN ECOLOGICAL CULTURE." IN ECOHUMANISM AND THE ECOLOGICAL CULTURE, WILLIAM COHEN SHOWS HOW MUMFORD'S CONCEPTION OF AN EDUCATIONAL PHILOSOPHY WAS ENACTED BY MUMFORD'S MENTEE, IAN MCHARG, THE RENOWNED LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT AND REGIONAL PLANNER AT THE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA. MCHARG ADVANCED A NEW WAY TO ACHIEVE AN ECOLOGICAL CULTURE—THROUGH AN EDUCATIONAL CURRICULUM BASED ON FUSING ECOHUMANISM TO THE PLANNING AND DESIGN DISCIPLINES. COHEN EXPLORES MUMFORD'S IMPORTANT VISION OF ECOHUMANISM—A SYNTHESIS OF NATURAL SYSTEMS ECOLOGY WITH THE MYRIAD DIMENSIONS OF HUMAN SYSTEMS, OR HUMAN ECOLOGY—AND HOW MCHARG ACTUALLY FORMULATED AND MADE THAT VISION HAPPEN. HE CONSIDERS THE EMERGENCE OF ALTERNATIVE ENERGY SYSTEMS AND NEW APPROACHES TO PLANNING AND COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT TO ACHIEVE THESE GOALS. THE ECOHUMANISM GRADUATE CURRICULUM SHOULD BECOME THE BASIS TO TRAIN THE NEXT GENERATION OF PLANNERS AND DESIGNERS TO LEAD US INTO THE ECOLOGICAL CULTURE, THEREBY SECURING THE EDUCATIONAL LEGACY OF BOTH LEWIS MUMFORD AND IAN MCHARG.

THE CLASSIC MCHARG - E. LYNN MILLER 1992

A BLUEPRINT FOR COASTAL ADAPTATION - CAROLYN KOUSKY 2021-05-20

TENS OF MILLIONS OF AMERICANS ARE AT RISK FROM SEA LEVEL RISE, INCREASED TIDAL FLOODING, AND INTENSIFYING STORMS. A BLUEPRINT FOR COASTAL ADAPTATION IDENTIFIES A BOLD NEW RESEARCH AND POLICY AGENDA AND PROVIDES IMPLEMENTABLE OPTIONS FOR COASTAL COMMUNITIES RESPONDING TO THESE THREATS. IN THIS BOOK, COASTAL ADAPTATION EXPERTS PRESENT A RANGE OF CLIMATE ADAPTATION POLICIES THAT COULD PROTECT COASTAL COMMUNITIES AGAINST INCREASING RISK, INCLUDING CONCRETE FINANCING RECOMMENDATIONS. COASTAL ADAPTATION WILL NOT BE EASY, BUT IT IS ACHIEVABLE USING VARIED APPROACHES. A BLUEPRINT FOR COASTAL ADAPTATION WILL INSPIRE INNOVATIVE AND CROSS-DISCIPLINARY THINKING ABOUT COASTAL POLICY AT THE STATE AND LOCAL LEVEL WHILE PROVIDING ACTIONABLE, REALISTIC POLICY AND PLANNING OPTIONS FOR ADAPTATION PROFESSIONALS AND POLICYMAKERS.

SOME SONGS TO THE STARS - IAN L. MCHARG 2001

NEW POETIC WORK FROM THE GRANDFATHER OF ECOLOGICAL PLANNING AND AUTHOR OF THE CLASSIC BOOK DESIGN WITH NATURE. TWENTY-FIVE POEMS IN ALL. IAN MCHARG FOUNDED THE DEPARTMENT OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE AT THE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA IN 1954 AND HAS BECOME IDENTIFIED AS FOUNDER OF ECOLOGICAL PLANNING AND DESIGN. HE HAS WRITTEN NUMEROUS ARTICLES AND PROFESSIONAL REPORTS, BUT IS BEST KNOWN FOR THE CLASSIC DESIGN WITH NATURE, A FINALIST FOR THE NATIONAL BOOK AWARD IN 1969. HE WAS AWARDED THE NATIONAL MEDAL OF ART FROM PRESIDENT BUSH IN 1992. HE LIVES WITH HIS WIFE AND TWO SONS IN PENNSYLVANIA.

SITE ANALYSIS - JAMES A. LAGRO, JR. 2013-01-31

THE PROCESS-ORIENTED GUIDE TO CONTEXT-SENSITIVE SITE SELECTION, PLANNING, AND DESIGN SUSTAINABLE DESIGN IS RESPONSIVE TO CONTEXT. AND EACH SITE HAS A UNIQUE SET OF PHYSICAL, BIOLOGICAL, CULTURAL, AND LEGAL ATTRIBUTES THAT PRESENTS DIFFERENT OPPORTUNITIES AND CONSTRAINTS FOR ALTERNATIVE USES OF THE SITE. SITE ANALYSIS SYSTEMATICALLY EVALUATES THESE ON-SITE AND OFF-SITE FACTORS TO INFORM THE DESIGN OF PLACES INCLUDING NEIGHBORHOODS AND COMMUNITIES THAT ARE ATTRACTIVE, WALKABLE, AND CLIMATE-RESILIENT. THIS THIRD EDITION OF SITE ANALYSIS IS FULLY UPDATED TO COVER THE LATEST TOPICS IN LOW-IMPACT, LOCATION-EFFICIENT DESIGN AND DEVELOPMENT. THIS COMPLETE, USER-FRIENDLY GUIDE: BLENDS THEORY AND PRACTICE FROM THE FIELDS OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE, URBAN PLANNING, ARCHITECTURE, GEOGRAPHY, AND URBAN DESIGN ADDRESSES IMPORTANT SUSTAINABILITY TOPICS, INCLUDING LEED-ND, SUSTAINABLE SITES, STAR COMMUNITY INDEX, AND CLIMATE ADAPTATION DETAILS THE OBJECTIVES AND VISUALIZATION METHODS USED IN EACH PHASE OF THE SITE PLANNING AND DESIGN PROCESS EXPLAINS THE INFLUENCE OF CODES, ORDINANCES, AND SITE PLAN APPROVAL PROCESSES ON THE DESIGN OF THE BUILT ENVIRONMENT INCLUDES MORE THAN 200 ILLUSTRATIONS AND EIGHT CASE STUDIES OF PROJECTS COMPLETED BY LEADING PLANNING AND DESIGN FIRMS SITE ANALYSIS, THIRD EDITION IS THE IDEAL GUIDE FOR STUDENTS TAKING COURSES IN SITE ANALYSIS, SITE PLANNING, AND ENVIRONMENTAL DESIGN. NEW MATERIAL INCLUDES REVIEW QUESTIONS AT THE END OF EACH CHAPTER FOR STUDENTS AS WELL AS EARLY-CAREER PROFESSIONALS PREPARING FOR THE ARE, LARE, OR AICP EXAMS.

## ENVIRONMENTALISM IN LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE - MICHEL CONAN 2000

THE PAPERS PRESENTED IN THIS VOLUME RANGE FROM PROPOSALS FOR NEW DESIGN APPROACHES, HISTORICAL ANALYSIS OF THE RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN THE PRACTICE OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE AND ENVIRONMENTALISM, TO THE THEORIES OF EARLY PRACTITIONERS OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE IMBUED BY AN ENVIRONMENTALIST OUTLOOK. THE ISSUES ABOVE ARE ADDRESSED THROUGH TOPICS AS ECLECTIC AS THE DESIGN OF AMERICAN ZOOS, THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE TENNESSEE VALLEY AUTHORITY, ROAD DESIGN AND MAINTENANCE IN TEXAS, AND CRITICISM OF RELATIONSHIPS BETWEEN THE WORDS AND WORKS OF SELECT LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS. THIS VOLUME PROVIDES A FRESH APPROACH TO ENCOUNTERS BETWEEN ENVIRONMENTALISM AND LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE BY REFRAMING THE ISSUES THROUGH SELF-REFLECTION INSTEAD OF STRATEGIC DEBATE.

*THE GOOD GARDEN* - EDMUND HOLLANDER 2015-06-30

CRISP HORNBEAM HEDGES LINING A COUNTRY DRIVE AND THROWING GEOMETRIC SHADOWS ON THE GRAVEL BELOW. DECADENT CASCADES OF FRAGRANT WISTERIA SPILLING OVER A STONE PERGOLA. RUSTLING LEAVES ALONG AN ALLÉ OF DELICATE CREPE MYRTLE TREES. WAVING BLOSSOMS OF ROSES, SAGE, AND HYDRANGEAS—ALONG A SALTY SHORELINE. EDMUND HOLLANDER LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS CREATES GARDENS FILLED WITH UNEXPECTED TEXTURES, COLORS, AND SOUNDS MEANT TO APPEAL TO ALL THE SENSES, INVITING US TO TRULY LIVE IN THE LANDSCAPE. THIS VOLUME PRESENTS DOZENS OF GORGEOUS ESTATE GARDENS THROUGHOUT THE NORTHEAST, APPROACHED THEMATICALLY; INDIVIDUAL SECTIONS REVEAL HOW COMPONENTS SUCH AS GATEWAYS, PATHS, POOL TERRACES, BOSQUES AND GROVES, WALLS, AND BORDERS CONTRIBUTE TO LUSH GARDEN ROOMS, WINDBLOWN SEASIDE GARDENS, CALMING MEADOW GARDENS, INTRICATE FORMAL GARDENS, AND SHADY TRACTS OF WOODLAND. OVER 300 COLOR PHOTOGRAPHS OF BEAUTIFUL PROPERTIES IN THE HAMPTONS, CONNECTICUT, AND UPSTATE NEW YORK PROVIDE GLIMPSES OF THE BEST GARDEN DESIGN HAPPENING TODAY WHILE BREAKING DOWN ITS IDEAS FOR THE HOME GARDENER. EVOCATIVE TEXT BY NEW YORK TIMES AND LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE COLUMNIST ANNE RAVER DETAILS HOW THE FIRM WORKS TO ENVELOP VISITORS IN LANDSCAPES THAT FEEL ENTIRELY WHOLE: PLANTINGS NEAR ARCHITECTURE CREATE A DYNAMIC ENTRY PROGRESSION; HARDSCAPE FEATURES THAT LEAD OUT INTO A BROADER GARDEN GRADUALLY CEDE TO MORE NATURAL, LIVING ELEMENTS; POOLS ARE SURROUNDED BY GRACIOUS SWATHS OF FLOWERS THAT BLOOM IN SEQUENCE AS THE SEASON PROGRESSES TO PROVIDE PRIVACY FOR BATHERS AND A SENSE OF QUIET SECLUSION. THE IDEAS PRESENTED HERE WILL HELP OWNERS OF GARDENS OF EVERY SIZE ENJOY THEIR LAND TO THE FULLEST.

*SNOW CRYSTALS* - WILSON ALWYN BENTLEY 1931

*IAN MCHARG / DWELLING IN NATURE* - IAN L. MCHARG 2007-01-25

ONE OF THE LEGENDARY FIGURES IN TWENTIETH-CENTURY LANDSCAPE DESIGN, IAN MCHARG TRANSFORMED THE FIELDS OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE AND PLANNING THROUGH HIS PERSONAL METHODOLOGY, HIS UNIQUE CURRICULUM AT THE UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA, AND HIS OWN INSPIRED WRITING. IN CLASSIC TEXTS SUCH AS HIS LANDMARK 1969 BOOK *DESIGN WITH NATURE*, MCHARG PAINTED AN INCREDIBLY RICH AND EXUBERANT PICTURE OF THE ORGANIC WORLD WHILE CONJURING UP A VISION OF A MORE WHOLESOME AND PRODUCTIVE METROPOLIS. IN THIS NEW ENTRY IN THE POPULAR *CONVERSATIONS WITH STUDENTS* SERIES, WE ARE PROUD TO MAKE MCHARG'S NEVER-BEFORE-IN-PRINT LECTURE "COLLABORATION WITH NATURE" AVAILABLE FOR THE FIRST TIME. CAPTURED ON TAPE IN THE 1970S, THE LECTURE IS THE SEQUEL TO *DESIGN WITH NATURE*. THIS IS A MUST-READ FOR ANYONE IN THE FIELDS OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE, ENVIRONMENTAL SCIENCE, AND URBAN PLANNING.

*THE ESSENTIAL IAN MCHARG* - IAN L. MCHARG 2006-11-13

A CONCISE, ILLUMINATING COLLECTION OF ESSENTIAL ESSAYS FROM ONE OF THE PIONEERS OF THE FIELD OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE.

*TO HEAL THE EARTH* - IAN L. MCHARG 2007-04

IAN L. MCHARG'S LANDMARK BOOK *DESIGN WITH NATURE* CHANGED THE FACE OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE AND PLANNING BY PROMOTING THE IDEA THAT THE DESIGN OF HUMAN SETTLEMENTS SHOULD BE BASED ON ECOLOGICAL PRINCIPLES. MCHARG WAS ONE OF THE EARLIEST AND MOST INFLUENTIAL PROPONENTS OF THE NOTION THAT AN UNDERSTANDING OF THE PROCESSES THAT FORM LANDSCAPES SHOULD UNDERLIE DESIGN DECISIONS. IN *TO HEAL THE EARTH*, MCHARG HAS JOINED WITH FREDERICK STEINER, A NOTED SCHOLAR OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE AND PLANNING, TO BRING FORTH A VALUABLE CACHE OF HIS WRITINGS PRODUCED BETWEEN THE 1950S AND THE 1990S. MCHARG AND STEINER HAVE EACH PROVIDED ORIGINAL MATERIAL THAT LINKS THE WRITINGS TOGETHER, AND PLACES THEM WITHIN THE HISTORICAL CONTEXT OF PLANNING DESIGN WORK AND WITHIN THE LARGER FIELD OF ECOLOGICAL PLANNING AS PRACTICED TODAY. THE BOOK MOVES FROM THE THEORETICAL-BEGINNING WITH THE 1962 ESSAY "MAN AND ENVIRONMENT" WHICH SETS FORTH THE THEMES OF RELIGION, SCIENCE, AND CREATIVITY THAT EMERGE AND REAPPEAR THROUGHOUT MCHARG'S WORK--TO THE PRACTICAL, INCLUDING DISCUSSIONS OF METHODS AND TECHNIQUES FOR ECOLOGICAL PLANNING AS WELL AS CASE STUDIES. OTHER SECTIONS ADDRESS THE LINK BETWEEN ECOLOGY AND DESIGN, AND THE ISSUE OF ECOLOGICAL PLANNING AT A REGIONAL SCALE, COVERING TOPICS SUCH AS EDUCATION AND TRAINING NECESSARY TO DEVELOP THE FIELD OF ECOLOGICAL PLANNING, HOW TO ORGANIZE AND ARRANGE BIOPHYSICAL INFORMATION TO REVEAL LANDSCAPE PATTERNS, THE IMPORTANCE OF INCORPORATING SOCIAL FACTORS INTO ECOLOGICAL PLANNING, AND MORE. *TO HEAL THE EARTH* PROVIDES A LARGER FRAMEWORK AND A NEW PERSPECTIVE ON MCHARG'S WORK THAT BRINGS TO LIGHT THE GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT OF HIS KEY IDEAS OVER A FORTY YEAR PERIOD. IT IS AN IMPORTANT CONTRIBUTION TO THE LITERATURE, AND WILL BE ESSENTIAL READING FOR STUDENTS AND SCHOLARS OF ECOLOGICAL PLANNING, AS WELL AS FOR PROFESSIONAL PLANNERS AND LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS.

*GRANITE GARDEN* - ANNE WHISTON SPIRN 1984-02-20

**DESIGN WITH NATURE. [BY] IAN L. MCHARG. (SECOND PRINTING.).** - AMERICAN MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY (NEW YORK) 1969

*DESIGN WITH NATURE NOW* - FREDERICK R. STEINER 2019-10-15

IN 1969, IAN MCHARG'S SEMINAL BOOK, *DESIGN WITH NATURE*, SET FORTH A NEW VISION FOR REGIONAL PLANNING USING NATURAL SYSTEMS. TO CELEBRATE ITS 50TH ANNIVERSARY, A TEAM OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS AND PLANNERS FROM PENNDISIGN HAVE SHOWCASED SOME OF THE MOST ADVANCED ECOLOGICAL DESIGN PROJECTS IN THE WORLD TODAY. WRITTEN IN CLEAR LANGUAGE AND FEATURING VIVID COLOR IMAGES, *DESIGN WITH NATURE NOW* DEMONSTRATES MCHARG'S ENDURING INFLUENCE ON CONTEMPORARY PRACTITIONERS AS THEY CONTEND WITH CLIMATE CHANGE AND OTHER 21ST-CENTURY CHALLENGES.

*DESIGN WITH NATURE* - IAN L. MCHARG 1969

THIS IS A NEW PAPERBACK VERSION OF A TEXT, ORIGINALLY PUBLISHED IN 1969, THAT OUTLINED THE PRINCIPLES OF URBAN DESIGN FROM AN ENVIRONMENTAL PERSPECTIVE. IT SHOULD BENEFIT ARCHITECTS, URBAN AND REGIONAL PLANNERS, AND ENVIRONMENTALISTS

*DESIGN WITH NATURE* - IAN L. MCHARG 1995-02-01

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*NATURE BY DESIGN* - STEPHEN R. KELLERT 2018-01-01

A GORGEOUSLY ILLUSTRATED, ACCESSIBLE BOOK THAT PROVIDES A HOLISTIC SUMMARY OF THE KEY ELEMENTS FOR GOOD BIOPHILIC DESIGN

**LANDSCAPE GRAPHICS** - GRANT REID 2012-08-01

ANNOUNCING THE NEW REVISED EDITION OF THE CLASSIC INDUSTRY REFERENCE! *LANDSCAPE GRAPHICS* IS THE ARCHITECT'S ULTIMATE GUIDE TO ALL THE BASIC GRAPHICS TECHNIQUES USED IN LANDSCAPE DESIGN AND LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE. PROGRESSING FROM THE BASICS INTO MORE SOPHISTICATED TECHNIQUES, THIS GUIDE OFFERS CLEAR INSTRUCTION ON GRAPHIC LANGUAGE AND THE DESIGN PROCESS, THE BASICS OF DRAFTING, LETTERING, FREEHAND DRAWING AND CONCEPTUAL DIAGRAMMING, PERSPECTIVE DRAWING, SECTION ELEVATIONS, AND MORE. IT ALSO FEATURES CAREFULLY SEQUENCED EXERCISES, A COMPLETE FILE OF GRAPHIC SYMBOLS FOR SECTIONS AND PERSPECTIVES, AND A HANDY APPENDIX OF CONVERSIONS AND EQUIVALENTS.

**DESIGN FOR A VULNERABLE PLANET** - FREDERICK STEINER 2011-05-16

WE INHABIT A VULNERABLE PLANET. THE DEVASTATION CAUSED BY NATURAL DISASTERS SUCH AS THE SOUTHERN ASIAN TSUNAMI, HURRICANES KATRINA AND IKE, AND THE EARTHQUAKES IN CHINA'S SICHUAN PROVINCE, HAITI, AND CHILE—AS WELL AS THE ONGOING DEPLETION AND DEGRADATION OF THE WORLD'S NATURAL RESOURCES CAUSED BY A BURGEONING HUMAN POPULATION—HAVE MADE IT CLEAR THAT "BUSINESS AS USUAL" IS NO LONGER SUSTAINABLE. WE NEED TO FIND WAYS TO IMPROVE HOW WE LIVE ON THIS PLANET WHILE MINIMIZING OUR IMPACT ON IT. *DESIGN FOR A VULNERABLE PLANET* SOUNDS A CALL FOR DESIGNERS AND PLANNERS TO GO BEYOND TRADITIONAL CONCEPTS OF SUSTAINABILITY TOWARD INNOVATIVE NEW DESIGN THAT FOSTERS REGENERATION AND RESILIENCE. DRAWING ON HIS OWN AND OTHERS' EXPERIENCES ACROSS THREE CONTINENTS, FREDERICK STEINER ADVOCATES DESIGN PRACTICE GROUNDED IN ECOLOGY AND DEMOCRACY AND INFORMED BY CRITICAL REGIONALISM AND REFLECTION. HE BEGINS BY ESTABLISHING THE FOUNDATION FOR A MORE ECOLOGICAL APPROACH TO PLANNING AND DESIGN, ADOPTING A BROAD VIEW OF ECOLOGY AS ENCOMPASSING HUMAN AND NATURAL, URBAN AND WILD ENVIRONMENTS. STEINER EXPLORES PRECEDENTS FOR HUMAN ECOLOGICAL DESIGN PROVIDED BY ARCHITECT PAUL CRET, LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT IAN MCHARG, AND DEVELOPER GEORGE MITCHELL WHILE DISCUSSING THEIR PLANNING FOR THE UNIVERSITY OF TEXAS CAMPUS, THE LAKE AUSTIN WATERSHED, AND THE WOODLANDS. STEINER THEN FOCUSES ON EMERGING TEXAS URBANISM AND EXTENDS HIS DISCUSSION TO BROADER CONSIDERATIONS BEYOND THE LONE STAR STATE, INCLUDING REGIONALISM, URBANISM, AND LANDSCAPE IN CHINA AND ITALY. HE ALSO EXAMINES THE LESSONS TO BE LEARNED FROM HUMAN AND NATURAL DISASTERS SUCH AS 9/11, HURRICANE KATRINA, AND THE BP OIL SPILL. FINALLY, STEINER OFFERS A BLUEPRINT FOR DESIGNING WITH NATURE TO HELP HEAL THE PLANET'S VULNERABILITIES.

*TOWARD AN URBAN ECOLOGY* - KATE ORFF 2016-07-12

KATE ORFF, 2017 MACARTHUR FELLOW, HAS AN OPTIMISTIC AND TRANSFORMATIVE MESSAGE ABOUT OUR WORLD: WE CAN BRING TOGETHER SOCIAL AND ECOLOGICAL SYSTEMS TO SUSTAINABLY REMAKE OUR CITIES AND LANDSCAPES. PART MONOGRAPH, PART MANUAL, PART MANIFESTO, *TOWARD AN URBAN ECOLOGY* RECONCEIVES URBAN LANDSCAPE DESIGN AS A FORM OF ACTIVISM, DEMONSTRATING HOW TO MOVE BEYOND FAMILIAR AND INCREASINGLY OUTMODED WAYS OF THINKING ABOUT ENVIRONMENTAL, URBAN, AND SOCIAL ISSUES AS SEPARATE DOMAINS; AND ADVOCATING FOR THE SYNTHESIS OF PRACTICE TO CREATE A TRULY URBAN ECOLOGY. IN PURELY PRACTICAL TERMS, *SCAPE* HAS ALREADY GENERATED NUMEROUS TOOLS AND TECHNIQUES THAT DESIGNERS, POLICY MAKERS, AND COMMUNITIES CAN USE TO ADDRESS SOME OF THE MOST PRESSING ISSUES OF OUR TIME, INCLUDING THE LOSS OF BIODIVERSITY, THE LOSS OF SOCIAL COHESION, AND ECOLOGICAL DEGRADATION. *TOWARD AN URBAN ECOLOGY* FEATURES NUMEROUS PROJECTS AND SELECT RESEARCH FROM *SCAPE*, AND CONVEYS A RANGE OF STRATEGIES TO ENGENDER A MORE RESILIENT AND INCLUSIVE BUILT ENVIRONMENT.

*NATURE AND CITIES* - FREDERICK R. STEINER 2016

"A COMPILATION OF ESSAYS BY LEADING INTERNATIONAL LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS, CITY PLANNERS, URBAN DESIGNERS, AND ARCHITECTS ABOUT THE NEED FOR ECOLOGICAL URBAN DESIGN. CHAPTERS EXPLORE THE ECONOMIC, ENVIRONMENTAL, AND PUBLIC HEALTH BENEFITS OF INTEGRATING NATURE MORE FULLY INTO CITIES, INCLUDING URBAN GREEN SPACES, STREETSCAPES, AND BUILDINGS"--

*LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE AND DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES* - JILLIAN WALLISS 2016-02-12

*LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE AND DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES* EXPLORES HOW DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES ARE RESHAPING DESIGN AND MAKING IN LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE. WHILE THE POTENTIALS OF DIGITAL TECHNOLOGIES ARE WELL DOCUMENTED WITHIN LANDSCAPE PLANNING AND VISUALISATION, THEIR APPLICATION WITHIN DESIGN PRACTICE IS FAR LESS UNDERSTOOD. THIS BOOK HIGHLIGHTS THE ROLE OF THE DIGITAL MODEL IN ENCOURAGING A NEW DESIGN LOGIC THAT MOVES FROM THE PRIVILEGING OF THE VISUAL TO A FOCUS ON PROCESSES OF FORMATION, BRIDGING THE INTERFACE OF THE CONCEPTUAL AND MATERIAL, THE VIRTUAL AND THE PHYSICAL. DRAWING ON INTERVIEWS AND PROJECTS FROM A RANGE OF INTERNATIONAL DESIGNERS -INCLUDING , SN[?] HETTA, ARUP, GUSTAFSON PORTER, ASPECT STUDIOS,

GRANT ASSOCIATES, CATHERINE MOSBACH, PHILIPPE RAHM, PARKKIM, LAAC AND PEG OFFICE OF LANDSCAPE + ARCHITECTURE AMONG OTHERS, THE AUTHORS EXPLORE THE INFLUENCE OF PARAMETRIC MODELLING, SCRIPTING, REAL-TIME DATA, SIMULATION, PROTOTYPING, FABRICATION, AND BUILDING INFORMATION MODELLING ON THE DESIGN AND CONSTRUCTION OF CONTEMPORARY LANDSCAPES. THIS ENGAGEMENT WITH PRACTICE IS EXPANDED THROUGH CRITICAL REFLECTION FROM ACADEMICS INVOLVED IN LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE PROGRAMS AROUND THE WORLD THAT ARE RESHAPING THEIR RESEARCH AND PEDAGOGY TO REFLECT AN EXPANDED DIGITAL REALM. CROSSING CRITICAL THEORY, TECHNOLOGY AND CONTEMPORARY DESIGN, THE BOOK CONSTRUCTS A PICTURE OF AN EMERGING TWENTY-FIRST CENTURY PRACTICE OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE PRACTICE PREMISED ON COMPLEXITY AND PERFORMANCE. IT ALSO HIGHLIGHTS THE DISCIPLINARY DEMANDS AND CHALLENGES IN ENGAGING WITH A RAPIDLY EVOLVING DIGITAL CONTEXT WITHIN PRACTICE AND EDUCATION. THE BOOK IS OF IMMENSE VALUE TO PROFESSIONALS AND RESEARCHERS, AND IS A KEY PUBLICATION FOR DIGITAL LANDSCAPE COURSES AT ALL LEVELS.

THE LIVING LANDSCAPE, SECOND EDITION - FREDERICK R. STEINER 2008-03-23

THE LIVING LANDSCAPE IS A MANIFESTO, RESOURCE, AND TEXTBOOK FOR ARCHITECTS, LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS, ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNERS, STUDENTS, AND OTHERS INVOLVED IN CREATING HUMAN COMMUNITIES. SINCE ITS FIRST EDITION, PUBLISHED IN 1990, IT HAS TAUGHT ITS READERS HOW TO DEVELOP NEW BUILT ENVIRONMENTS WHILE CONSERVING NATURAL RESOURCES. NO OTHER BOOK PRESENTS SUCH A COMPREHENSIVE APPROACH TO PLANNING THAT IS ROOTED IN ECOLOGY AND DESIGN. AND NO OTHER BOOK OFFERS A SIMILAR STEP-BY-STEP METHOD FOR PLANNING WITH AN EMPHASIS ON SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT. THIS SECOND EDITION OF THE LIVING LANDSCAPE OFFERS FREDERICK STEINER'S DESIGN-ORIENTED ECOLOGICAL METHODS TO A NEW GENERATION OF STUDENTS AND PROFESSIONALS. THE LIVING LANDSCAPE OFFERS • A SYSTEMATIC, HIGHLY PRACTICAL APPROACH TO LANDSCAPE PLANNING THAT MAXIMIZES ECOLOGICAL OBJECTIVES, COMMUNITY SERVICE, AND CITIZEN PARTICIPATION • MORE THAN 20 CHALLENGING CASE STUDIES THAT DEMONSTRATE HOW PROBLEMS WERE MET AND OVERCOME, FROM RURAL AMERICA TO LARGE CITIES • SCORES OF CHECKLISTS AND STEP-BY-STEP GUIDES • HANDS-ON HELP WITH PRACTICAL ZONING, LAND USE, AND REGULATORY ISSUES • COVERAGE OF MAJOR ADVANCES IN GIS TECHNOLOGY AND GLOBAL SUSTAINABILITY STANDARDS • MORE THAN 150 ILLUSTRATIONS. AS STEINER EMPHASIZES THROUGHOUT THIS BOOK, ALL OF US HAVE A RESPONSIBILITY TO THE EARTH AND TO OUR FELLOW RESIDENTS ON THIS PLANET TO PLAN WITH VISION. WE ARE MERELY VISITING THIS PLANET, HE NOTES; WE SHOULD LEAVE GOOD IMPRESSIONS.

SUSTAINABLE URBANISM - DOUGLAS FARR 2012-01-09

WRITTEN BY THE CHAIR OF THE LEED-NEIGHBORHOOD DEVELOPMENT (LEED-ND) INITIATIVE, SUSTAINABLE URBANISM: URBAN DESIGN WITH NATURE IS BOTH AN URGENT CALL TO ACTION AND A COMPREHENSIVE INTRODUCTION TO "SUSTAINABLE URBANISM"--THE EMERGING AND GROWING DESIGN REFORM MOVEMENT THAT COMBINES THE CREATION AND ENHANCEMENT OF WALKABLE AND DIVERSE PLACES WITH THE NEED TO BUILD HIGH-PERFORMANCE INFRASTRUCTURE AND BUILDINGS. PROVIDING A HISTORIC PERSPECTIVE ON THE STANDARDS AND REGULATIONS THAT GOT US TO WHERE WE ARE TODAY IN TERMS OF URBAN LIFESTYLE AND ATTEMPTS AT REFORM, DOUGLAS FARR MAKES A POWERFUL CASE FOR SUSTAINABLE URBANISM, SHOWING WHERE WE WENT WRONG, AND WHERE WE NEED TO GO. HE THEN EXPLAINS HOW TO IMPLEMENT SUSTAINABLE URBANISM THROUGH LEADERSHIP AND COMMUNICATION IN CITIES, COMMUNITIES, AND NEIGHBORHOODS. ESSAYS WRITTEN BY FARR AND OTHERS DELVE INTO SUCH ISSUES AS: INCREASING SUSTAINABILITY THROUGH DENSITY. INTEGRATING TRANSPORTATION AND LAND USE. CREATING SUSTAINABLE NEIGHBORHOODS, INCLUDING HOUSING, CAR-FREE AREAS, LOCALLY-OWNED STORES, WALKABLE NEIGHBORHOODS, AND UNIVERSAL ACCESSIBILITY. THE HEALTH AND ENVIRONMENTAL BENEFITS OF LINKING HUMANS TO NATURE, INCLUDING WALK-TO OPEN SPACES, NEIGHBORHOOD STORMWATER SYSTEMS AND WASTE TREATMENT, AND FOOD PRODUCTION. HIGH PERFORMANCE BUILDINGS AND DISTRICT ENERGY SYSTEMS. ENRICHING THE ARGUMENT ARE IN-DEPTH CASE STUDIES IN SUSTAINABLE URBANISM, FROM BEDZED IN LONDON, ENGLAND AND NEWINGTON IN SYDNEY, AUSTRALIA, TO NEW RAILROAD SQUARE IN SANTA ROSA, CALIFORNIA AND DONGTAN, SHANGHAI, CHINA. AN EPILOGUE LOOKS TO THE FUTURE OF SUSTAINABLE URBANISM OVER THE NEXT 200 YEARS. AT ONCE SOLIDLY RESEARCHED AND PASSIONATELY ARGUED, SUSTAINABLE URBANISM IS THE IDEAL GUIDEBOOK FOR URBAN DESIGNERS, PLANNERS, AND ARCHITECTS WHO ARE EAGER TO MAKE A POSITIVE IMPACT ON OUR--AND OUR DESCENDANTS'-- BUILDINGS, CITIES, AND LIVES.

ECOLOGICAL PLANNING - FORSTER NDUBISI 2003-04-30

CHOSEN BY CHOICE MAGAZINE AS AN OUTSTANDING ACADEMIC TITLE FOR 2003 ECOLOGICAL PLANNING IS THE PROCESS OF UNDERSTANDING, EVALUATING, AND PROVIDING OPTIONS FOR THE USE OF LANDSCAPE TO ENSURE A BETTER FIT WITH HUMAN HABITATION. IN THIS AMBITIOUS ANALYSIS, FORSTER NDUBISI PROVIDES A SUCCINCT HISTORICAL AND COMPARATIVE ACCOUNT OF THE VARIOUS APPROACHES TO THIS PROCESS. HE THEN REVEALS HOW EACH OF THESE APPROACHES OFFERS DIFFERENT AND UNIQUELY USEFUL PERSPECTIVES FOR UNDERSTANDING THE DIALOGUE BETWEEN HUMAN AND ENVIRONMENTAL PROCESSES. NDUBISI BEGINS BY EXAMINING THE PHILOSOPHIES BEHIND AND MAJOR CONTRIBUTORS TO ECOLOGICAL THINKING DURING THE PAST 150 YEARS, AS WELL AS THE PARADIGM SHIFT IN PLANNING THAT OCCURRED IN RECENT DECADES AS A RESULT OF A GROWING GLOBAL ECOLOGICAL AWARENESS. HE THEN TURNS TO LANDSCAPE SUITABILITY ANALYSIS AND DISCUSSES ALTERNATIVE APPROACHES TO ECOLOGICAL PLANNING, SUCH AS APPLIED HUMAN ECOLOGY, APPLIED LANDSCAPE ECOLOGY, AND OTHERS. FINALLY, HE OFFERS A COMPARATIVE SYNTHESIS OF THE APPROACHES IN ORDER TO REVEAL THE THEORETICAL AND METHODOLOGICAL ASSUMPTIONS INHERENT WHEN PLANNERS CHOOSE ONE APPROACH OVER THE OTHER. NDUBISI CONCLUDES THAT NO ONE APPROACH CAN BY ITSELF ADEQUATELY ADDRESS THE WHOLE SPECTRUM OF ECOLOGICAL PLANNING ISSUES. FOR THIS REASON HE OFFERS GUIDANCE AS TO WHEN IT MAY BE APPROPRIATE FOR LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS AND PLANNERS TO EMPHASIZE ONE APPROACH RATHER THAN ANOTHER.

SITE ENGINEERING FOR LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS - STEVEN STROM 2013-01-30

THE LEADING GUIDE TO SITE DESIGN AND ENGINEERING—REVISED AND UPDATED SITE ENGINEERING FOR LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS IS THE TOP CHOICE FOR SITE ENGINEERING, PLANNING, AND CONSTRUCTION COURSES AS WELL AS FOR PRACTITIONERS IN THE FIELD, WITH EASY-

TO-UNDERSTAND COVERAGE OF THE PRINCIPLES AND TECHNIQUES OF BASIC SITE ENGINEERING FOR GRADING, DRAINAGE, EARTHWORK, AND ROAD ALIGNMENT. THE SIXTH EDITION HAS BEEN REVISED TO ADDRESS THE LATEST DEVELOPMENTS IN LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE WHILE RETAINING AN ACCESSIBLE APPROACH TO COMPLEX CONCEPTS. THE BOOK OFFERS AN INTRODUCTION TO LANDFORM AND THE LANGUAGE OF ITS DESIGN, AND EXPLORES THE SITE ENGINEERING CONCEPTS ESSENTIAL TO PRACTICING LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE TODAY—FROM INTERPRETING LANDFORM AND CONTOUR LINES, TO DESIGNING HORIZONTAL AND VERTICAL ROAD ALIGNMENTS, TO CONSTRUCTION SEQUENCING, TO DESIGNING AND SIZING STORM WATER MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS. INTEGRATING DESIGN WITH CONSTRUCTION AND IMPLEMENTATION PROCESSES, THE AUTHORS ENABLE READERS TO GAIN A PROGRESSIVE UNDERSTANDING OF THE MATERIAL. THIS EDITION CONTAINS COMPLETELY REVISED INFORMATION ON STORMWATER MANAGEMENT AND GREEN INFRASTRUCTURE, AS WELL AS MANY NEW AND UPDATED CASE STUDIES. IT ALSO INCLUDES UPDATED COVERAGE OF STORMWATER MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS DESIGN, RUNOFF CALCULATIONS, AND NATURAL RESOURCE CONSERVATION. GRAPHICS THROUGHOUT THE BOOK HAVE BEEN REVISED TO BRING A CONSISTENT, CLEAN APPROACH TO THE ILLUSTRATIONS. PERFECT FOR USE AS A STUDY GUIDE FOR THE MOST DIFFICULT SECTION OF THE LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT REGISTRATION EXAM (LARE) OR AS A HANDY PROFESSIONAL REFERENCE, SITE ENGINEERING FOR LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS, SIXTH EDITION GIVES READERS A STRONG FOUNDATION IN SITE DEVELOPMENT THAT IS ENVIRONMENTALLY SENSITIVE AND INTELLECTUALLY STIMULATING.

RECONSIDERING IAN MCHARG - IGNACIO BUNSTER-OSSA 2017-11-08

IN 1969 IAN MCHARG LAID OUT A NEW APPROACH TO LAND-USE PLANNING. HIS SEMINAL WORK, DESIGN BY NATURE, BLAZED THE TRAIL FOR SUSTAINABLE URBAN DEVELOPMENT. THE ROAD WAS PAVED WITH GOOD INTENTIONS. BUT WHERE EXACTLY DID IT LEAD? AND WHERE DO WE GO FROM HERE? RECONSIDERING IAN MCHARG OFFERS A FRESH ASSESSMENT OF MCHARG'S LESSONS AND LEGACY. IT APPLAUDS HIS CALL FOR ENVIRONMENTAL STEWARDSHIP WHILE ACKNOWLEDGING ITS UNINTENDED RESULTS. FOR MCHARG'S IDYLIC DEVELOPMENTS AT THE EDGE OF NATURE TURNED GREENFIELD SITES INTO SUBURBAN COMMUNITIES. THEY ADDED TO SPRAWL AND MADE AMERICA MORE DEPENDENT ON CARS. AND THEY MAY EVEN HAVE DELAYED THE KIND OF URBAN REDEVELOPMENT NEEDED TO MAKE TODAY'S CITIES MORE SUSTAINABLE.

LEWIS MUMFORD AND PATRICK GEDDES - FRANK G. NOVAK JR. 2014-04-23

I AM A DISCIPLE OF PATRICK GEDDES, AND I AM AN ABJECT ADMIRER OF EVERYTHING HE HAS SAID AND DONE. THE TANTALISING NEARNESS OF EVERYTHING WE MOST WANT; WERE IT NOT FOR SOME FATAL, STUBBORN GRAIN IN BOTH OF US, GEDDES AND I, LINKED TOGETHER, INTELLECTUAL AND EMOTIONAL, MIGHT STILL CONQUER THE WORLD. FOR LACK OF THIS, HE WILL BE IMPERFECTLY ARTICULATE AND I, PERHAPS, WILL HAVE NOTHING TO SAY. THESE TWO COMMENTS BY LEWIS MUMFORD, WRITTEN AT EITHER END OF HIS LARGELY EPISTOLARY RELATIONSHIP WITH PATRICK GEDDES, FRAME AN ASTONISHING CORRESPONDENCE BETWEEN TWO OF OUR CENTURY'S GREATEST THINKERS ON WESTERN CIVILISATION. MUMFORD WAS THE VERSATILE NEW YORK CULTURAL CRITIC, FAMOUS FOR HIS WRITINGS ON ARCHITECTURE, THE CITY AND TECHNOLOGY. HIS MASTER, GEDDES, WAS THE SCOTS BIOLOGIST, SOCIOLOGIST AND PLANNER, THE PROFESSOR OF THINGS IN GENERAL. THE LETTERS REVEAL MUCH ABOUT THE INTELLECTUAL CULTURE OF THE FIRST HALF OF THE TWENTIETH CENTURY AS THEY CHART AN EXTRAORDINARY ANGLO-AMERICAN RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN VERY DIFFERENT MEN; THIS FRIENDSHIP, INITIALLY OF MASTER AND DISCIPLE, EVEN FATHER/SON, WAS BASED ON A SHARED INTELLECTUAL QUEST, AND INSPIRED THE WORK OF BOTH. ALL THAT EXISTS OF THOSE LETTERS, AND MUCH PREVIOUSLY UNPUBLISHED MATERIAL BESIDES, HAS BEEN METICULOUSLY COLLECTED AND EDITED BY FRANK G. NOVAK JR..

THE ROUTLEDGE HANDBOOK OF REGIONAL DESIGN - MICHAEL NEUMAN 2021-04-15

THE ROUTLEDGE HANDBOOK OF REGIONAL DESIGN EXPLORES CONTEMPORARY RESEARCH, POLICY, AND PRACTICE THAT HIGHLIGHT CRITICAL ASPECTS OF STRATEGY-MAKING, PLANNING, AND DESIGNING FOR CONTEMPORARY REGIONS—INCLUDING CITY REGIONS, BIOREGIONS, DELTA REGIONS, AND THEIR HYBRIDS. AS ACCELERATING URBANIZATION AND GLOBALIZATION COMBINE WITH OTHER FORCES SUCH AS THE DEMAND FOR INCREASING RETURNS ON INVESTMENT CAPITAL, MIGRATION, AND INNOVATION, THEY YIELD CITIES THAT ARE EXPANDING OVER EVER-LARGER TERRITORIES. MOREOVER, THESE POLYCENTRIC CITY REGIONS THEMSELVES ARE AGGLOMERATING WITH ONE ANOTHER TO CREATE NEW TERRITORIAL MEGA-REGIONS. THE PROCESSES THAT BEGET THESE NOVEL REGIONAL FORMS PRODUCE NUMEROUS AND SIGNIFICANT EFFECTS, POSITIVE AND NEGATIVE, THAT CALL FOR NEW MODES OF DESIGN AND MANAGEMENT SO THAT THE URBAN PLACES AND THE LIVES AND WELL-BEING OF THEIR INHABITANTS AND BUSINESSES THRIVE SUSTAINABLY INTO THE FUTURE. WITH INTERNATIONAL CASE STUDIES FROM LEADING SCHOLARS AND PRACTITIONERS, THIS BOOK IS AN IMPORTANT RESOURCE NOT JUST FOR STUDENTS, RESEARCHERS, AND PRACTITIONERS OF URBAN PLANNING, BUT ALSO POLICY MAKERS, DEVELOPERS, ARCHITECTS, ENGINEERS, AND ANYONE INTERESTED IN THE BROADER ISSUES OF URBANISM.

SITE PLANNING AND DESIGN HANDBOOK, SECOND EDITION - THOMAS RUSS 2009-07-06

ESSENTIAL SITE PLANNING AND DESIGN STRATEGIES, UP-TO-DATE WITH THE LATEST SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT TECHNIQUES DISCOVER HOW TO INCORPORATE SOUND ENVIRONMENTAL CONSIDERATIONS INTO TRADITIONAL SITE DESIGN PROCESSES. WRITTEN BY A LICENSED LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT WITH MORE THAN 20 YEARS OF PROFESSIONAL EXPERIENCE, THIS AUTHORITATIVE GUIDE COMBINES ESTABLISHED APPROACHES TO SITE PLANNING WITH SUSTAINABLE PRACTICES AND INCREASED ENVIRONMENTAL SENSITIVITY. FULLY REVISED AND UPDATED, SITE PLANNING AND DESIGN HANDBOOK, SECOND EDITION DISCUSSES THE LATEST STANDARDS AND PROTOCOLS—INCLUDING LEED. THE BOOK FEATURES EXPANDED COVERAGE OF GREEN SITE DESIGN TOPICS SUCH AS WATER CONSERVATION, ENERGY EFFICIENCY, GREEN BUILDING MATERIALS, SITE INFRASTRUCTURE, AND BROWNFIELD RESTORATION. THIS COMPREHENSIVE RESOURCE ADDRESSES THE CHALLENGES ASSOCIATED WITH SITE PLANNING AND DESIGN AND LAYS THE GROUNDWORK FOR SUCCESS. SITE PLANNING AND DESIGN HANDBOOK, SECOND EDITION EXPLAINS HOW TO: INTEGRATE SUSTAINABILITY INTO SITE DESIGN GATHER SITE DATA AND PERFORM SITE ANALYSIS MEET COMMUNITY STANDARDS AND EXPECTATIONS PLAN FOR PEDESTRIANS, TRAFFIC, PARKING, AND OPEN SPACE USE GRADING TECHNIQUES TO MINIMIZE EROSION AND MAXIMIZE SITE STABILITY IMPLEMENT LOW-IMPACT STORMWATER MANAGEMENT AND SEWAGE

DISPOSAL METHODS MANAGE BROWNFIELD REDEVELOPMENT APPLY LANDSCAPE ECOLOGY PRINCIPLES TO SITE DESIGN PRESERVE HISTORIC LANDSCAPES AND EFFECTIVELY UTILIZE VEGETATION  
**GREEN INFRASTRUCTURE** - KAREN FIREHOCK 2019

**SOCIAL DESIGN** - ROBERT SOMMER 1983

LANDSCAPE PERFORMANCE - BO YANG 2018-10-26

IAN MCHARG'S ECOLOGICAL PLANNING APPROACH HAS BEEN INFLUENTIAL SINCE THE 20TH CENTURY. HOWEVER, FEW EMPIRICAL STUDIES HAVE BEEN CONDUCTED TO EVALUATE THE PERFORMANCE OF HIS PROJECTS. USING THE FRAMEWORK OF LANDSCAPE PERFORMANCE ASSESSMENT, THIS BOOK DEMONSTRATES THE LONG-TERM BENEFITS OF A RENOWNED MCHARGIAN PROJECT (THE WOODLANDS TOWN DEVELOPMENT) THROUGH QUANTITATIVE AND QUALITATIVE METHODS. INCLUDING 44 BLACK AND WHITE ILLUSTRATIONS, LANDSCAPE PERFORMANCE SYSTEMATICALLY DOCUMENTS THE PERFORMANCE BENEFITS OF THE ENVIRONMENTAL, SOCIAL, AND ECONOMIC ASPECTS OF THE WOODLANDS PROJECT. IT DELVES INTO MCHARG'S PLANNING SUCCESS IN THE WOODLANDS IN COMPARISON WITH ADJACENT HOUSTON DEVELOPMENTS, WHICH DEMONSTRATED URBAN RESILIENCE AFTER HURRICANE HARVEY IN 2017. LASTLY, IT IDENTIFIES THE INGREDIENTS OF MCHARG'S ABILITY TO DO REAL AND PERMANENT GOOD. YANG ALSO INCLUDES A NUMBER OF APPENDICES WHICH PROVIDE VALUABLE INFORMATION ON THE METHODS OF ASSESSING PERFORMANCE IN LANDSCAPE DEVELOPMENT. THIS BOOK WOULD BE BENEFICIAL TO ACADEMICS AND STUDENTS OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE AND PLANNING WITH A PARTICULAR INTEREST IN IAN MCHARG.

**BUILDING WITH NATURE** - MATTHIJS BOUW 2021-01-19

BUILDING WITH NATURE IS A PROVEN, INNOVATIVE APPROACH TO CREATE WATER-RELATED NATURE-BASED SOLUTIONS FOR SOCIETAL CHALLENGES, THAT HARNESSES THE FORCES OF NATURE TO BENEFIT THE ENVIRONMENT, ECONOMY AND SOCIETY. EcoShape, a UNIQUE COLLABORATION BETWEEN SCIENTISTS, ENGINEERS, BUILDERS, DESIGNERS AND NOT-FOR-PROFITS, HAS IN THE PAST DECADE DESIGNED, REALIZED, MONITORED AND RESEARCHED MULTIPLE BUILDING WITH NATURE PROJECTS IN EUROPE (ESPECIALLY IN THE NETHERLANDS) AND SOUTH EAST ASIA. THESE PROJECTS DEMONSTRATE THE CAPACITY TO BUILD NATURE-BASED SOLUTIONS AT SCALE TO CREATE SAFE AND SUSTAINABLE FLOOD PROTECTION AS WELL AS ECOLOGICALLY RICH AND RESILIENT ENVIRONMENTS THAT PROVIDE GREAT PLACES TO LIVE, WORK, AND VISIT. THESE CHARACTERISTICS MAKE BUILDING WITH NATURE THE GO-TO METHOD TO ADAPT TO AND MITIGATE CLIMATE CHANGE. In this book, EcoShape brings the authors into dialogue with experts and stakeholders to discuss methodologies and lessons learned about building with nature as well as potential barriers and enablers for

IMPLEMENTATION. IT DESCRIBES AND ILLUSTRATES KEY CONCEPTS, LINKING THEM TO A RANGE OF LANDSCAPE TYPES AND THEIR UNDERLYING ECOLOGICAL, ECONOMIC, AND SOCIAL SYSTEMS. AS SUCH, THE BOOK IS MORE THAN A MANUAL; IT CAPTURES THE IMAGINATIVE AND INSPIRATIONAL POTENTIAL OF BUILDING WITH NATURE.

LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE - IAN THOMPSON 2014-05

LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS ARE INVOLVED IN A VARIETY OF PROJECTS, INCLUDING RECLAMATION, RESTORATION, AND THE DESIGN OF CRUCIAL INFRASTRUCTURE.

- KATHLEEN JOHN-ALDER 2019-09-17

IAN MCHARG AND THE SEARCH FOR IDEAL ORDER LOOKS AT THE WELL-KNOWN AND STUDIED LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT, IAN MCHARG, IN A NEW LIGHT. THE AUTHOR EXPLORES MCHARG'S FORMATIVE YEARS, AND INVESTIGATES HOW HIS IDEAS DEVELOPED IN BOTH THEIR COMPLEXITY AND SCALE. AS A PRECURSOR TO MCHARG'S APPROACH IN HIS INFLUENTIAL BOOK DESIGN WITH NATURE, THIS BOOK OFFERS NEW INTERPRETATIONS INTO HIS SEARCH FOR ENVIRONMENTAL ORDER AND OUTLINES HOW HIS STRUGGLE TO UNDERSTAND HUMANITY'S RELATIONSHIP TO THE ENVIRONMENT IN AN ERA OF RAPID SOCIAL AND TECHNOLOGICAL CHANGE REFLECTS AN ONGOING CHALLENGE THAT LANDSCAPE DESIGN HAS YET TO FULLY RESOLVE. THIS BOOK WILL BE OF GREAT INTEREST TO ACADEMICS AND RESEARCHERS IN LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURAL HISTORY.

HUMAN ECOLOGY - FREDERICK R. STEINER 2016-02-16

HUMANS HAVE ALWAYS BEEN INFLUENCED BY NATURAL LANDSCAPES, AND ALWAYS WILL BE—EVEN AS WE CREATE EVER-LARGER CITIES AND OUR DEVELOPMENTS FUNDAMENTALLY CHANGE THE NATURE OF THE EARTH AROUND US. IN HUMAN ECOLOGY, NOTED CITY PLANNER AND LANDSCAPE ARCHITECT FREDERICK STEINER ENCOURAGES US TO CONSIDER HOW HUMAN CULTURES HAVE BEEN SHAPED BY NATURAL FORCES, AND HOW WE MIGHT USE THIS UNDERSTANDING TO CONTRIBUTE TO A FUTURE WHERE BOTH NATURE AND PEOPLE THRIVE. HUMAN ECOLOGY IS THE STUDY OF THE INTERRELATIONSHIPS BETWEEN HUMANS AND THEIR ENVIRONMENT, DRAWING ON DIVERSE FIELDS FROM BIOLOGY AND GEOGRAPHY TO SOCIOLOGY, ENGINEERING, AND ARCHITECTURE. STEINER ADMIRABLY SYNTHESIZES THESE PERSPECTIVES THROUGH THE LENS OF LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE, A DISCIPLINE THAT REQUIRES ITS PRACTITIONERS TO CONSCIOUSLY CONNECT HUMANS AND THEIR ENVIRONMENTS. AFTER LAYING OUT EIGHT PRINCIPLES FOR UNDERSTANDING HUMAN ECOLOGY, THE BOOK'S CHAPTERS BUILD FROM THE SMALLEST SCALE OF CONNECTION—OUR HOMES—AND EXPAND TO COMMUNITY SCALES, REGIONS, NATIONS, AND, ULTIMATELY, EXAMINE GLOBAL RELATIONSHIPS BETWEEN PEOPLE AND NATURE. IN THIS AGE OF CLIMATE CHANGE, A NEW APPROACH TO PLANNING AND DESIGN IS REQUIRED TO ENVISION A LIVABLE FUTURE. HUMAN ECOLOGY PROVIDES ARCHITECTS, LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTS, URBAN DESIGNERS, AND PLANNERS—AND STUDENTS IN THOSE FIELDS— WITH TIMELESS PRINCIPLES FOR NEW, CREATIVE THINKING ABOUT HOW THEIR WORK CAN SHAPE A VIBRANT, RESILIENT FUTURE FOR OURSELVES AND OUR PLANET.

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