Friday, May 6

Introductory remarks

9:00 Tom Cummins, Director of Dumbarton Oaks
Thaïsa Way, Director of Garden and Landscape Studies, Dumbarton Oaks
Stephen Daniels, Professor Emeritus of Cultural Geography, University of Nottingham
Dell Upton, Distinguished Research Professor of Architectural History, UCLA

Session 1: Reclaiming Environments

Moderator: Dell Upton, Distinguished Research Professor of Architectural History, UCLA

9:30 – 11:00 Jay Cephas, Princeton University, The Labor of Landfills: A Social History of the Bronx Salt Marshes
Mars Plater, Dickinson College, “Poor People’s Park”: Downtown Environmentalism in Nineteenth-Century New York City

11:00 – 11:15 Coffee Break

11:15 – 12:00 Colleen M. Stockmann, Gustavus Adolphus College, Stewarding a Fractured Landscape: Potted Plants in Tenement Housing

12:00 – 2:00 Lunch Break

Session 2: Builders’ Knowledge

Moderator: Dianne Harris, Professor of History & Dean, College of Arts and Sciences, University of Washington

Michelle Arevalos Franco, The Ohio State University, Migration and Maintenance: Mesoamerican Making of Landscapes in ‘El Norte’

3:30 – 3:45 Coffee Break

3:45 – 4:30 Sarah Lopez, University of Texas at Austin, A Comparative Life: Mexican Stonemasons and Quarrymen on the Fridges of Global Capital
Saturday, May 7

Session 3:  Powers in the Land
Moderator:  Elizabeth Meyer, Professor of Landscape Architecture, University of Virginia

9:15 – 10:45  Antonia Weiss, University of Amsterdam,  *A Garden of Scrawls and Scribbles: Amsterdam’s Notarial Records as Evidence of Everyday Landscape Creation in the 18th-century City*

Olanrewaju Lasisi, The College of William and Mary,  *Common Space, Different Place: Interpreting the Dynamics and Fluidity of Ijebu Palatial Urbanscape*

10:45 – 11:00 Coffee Break

11:00 –11:45  Desiree Valadares, University of California, Berkeley,  *The Law of the Land: Homesteads, Canneries, Internment Camps and Marine Parks in Southeast Alaska*

11:45 – 1:45 Lunch Break

Session 4:  Multivocality
Moderator:  Stephen Daniels, Professor Emeritus of Cultural Geography, University of Nottingham

1:45 – 3:15  Lisa Johnson, University of Nevada, Las Vegas,  *Multilocality of an Ancient Maya City: Archaeology, Tourism, and Indigenous Landscapes of Palenque, Mexico*

Dane Carlson, Principia College,  *Tied Across Time: The Future of Making Landscape in the High Himalaya*

3:15 – 3:30 Coffee Break


4:15 – 5:00 Discussion and Conclusions