MM3 Plenary Speakers

Karen Chappell, University of California, Berkeley - May 4, 7 pm

A professor of city and regional planning at the University of California, Berkeley, Karen Chappell is the author of the book, Planning Sustainable Cities and Regions: Towards More Equitable Development. In 2015, she launched the Urban Displacement Project, a research portal examining patterns of residential, commercial, and industrial displacement, as well as policy and planning solutions. Chappell is currently engaged in research projects related to sustainability planning.

Stefanos Polyzoides, Moule and Polyzoides - May 5, 8:45 am

Architect and planner Stefanos Polyzoides is co-founder of the Congress for the New Urbanism and, with his wife Elizabeth Moule, a partner of Moule and Polyzoides in Pasadena, California. From 1973 to 1997, he was an associate professor of architecture at the University of Southern California. His professional experience includes design of institutional, commercial and civic buildings, historic rehabilitation, housing and the urban design of university campuses and neighborhoods throughout the world.

Adam F. Ducker, RCLCO - May 6, 12:15 pm

Adam Ducker heads an Urban Real Estate Advisory Group of Bethesda-based RCLCO. He is a recognized expert in economic development, market and financial analysis; and high-density housing, retail/entertainment and hotel development. Ducker also specializes in transit-oriented developments and the financing mechanisms and public-private partnerships that are relied upon to achieve them.

Wes Guckert, The Traffic Group - May 6, 12:15 pm

Wes Guckert is an expert in traffic engineering and transportation planning. He often serves as a technical adviser in traffic analysis, signal design, automated and robotic parking systems, and transit planning. Since founding his Baltimore-based firm in 1985, Guckert has played a major role in more than 7,000 projects around the world. He currently serves as chairman of the Urban Land Institute’s Public Development Infrastructure Council.