Gwen Wright

Director, Montgomery County Planning Department

From coast to coast, America's suburbs are rapidly transforming into vibrant, urban places. We believe this conference offers an ideal mix of academic and practitioner insights into this important phenomenon.

Gerrit Knaap

Executive Director National Center for Smart Growth Research and Education at the University of Maryland

MM3 Plenary Speakers

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

A professor of city and regional planning at the University of California, Berkeley, Karen Chapple 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. Chapple 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 cofounder 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 the Urban Real Estate Advisory Group of Bethesdabased 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.

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Conference Agenda

May 4 - University of Maryland

- 7:00 pm Keynote address Karen Chapple
 - School of Architecture, Planning and Preservation
- Reception
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May 5 - Silver Spring Civic Building

- 8:00 am Light breakfast & registration
- 8:30 am Welcome Nancy Floreen, Casey Anderson and Gerrit Knaap
- 8:45 pm The Missing Middle Densities in American Architecture and Urbanism - Stefanos Polyzoides
- 10:00 am 1A Perspectives on Montgomery County's Sharing Economy
 - 1B Building Thriving Communities without Transit
 - 10 The Geography of Neighborhood Change: Poverty, Immigration and Gentrification
 - 1D Brainstorming the Financial Challenges of Smart
- Growth and TOD
- 11:30 am Lunch on your own
- 12:45 pm 2A Bike Sharing Beyond the City
 - 2B New Suburbanism: Applying TOD Best Practices to Non-**TOD Locations**
 - 2C Placemaking through the Arts
 - 2D Making the Most of What We Have: Preserving and **Enhancing Existing Communities**
- 2:15 pm Break
- 2:30 pm **3A** The Sharing Economy: Access to Food and Workspace
 - 3B Planning for Car-Free Living & Enabling Efficient Transit **3C** - Gentrification and Displacement: Strategies for Local
 - Business and Affordable Housing
 - 3D The Making of a TOD: Case Studies from Greenbelt, MD and Alexandria, VA
- 4:00 pm Happy hour at McGinty's Public House, cash bar 911 Ellsworth Dr, Silver Spring, MD 20910

May 6 - Silver Spring Civic Building

- 8:30 am Light breakfast and registration
- 9:00 am 4A Reinvest Maryland: Small Business, the Sharing Economy and Community Investment
 - 4B Finding the Missing Links to Create a Connected Place
 - 4C Networks of Opportunity: Connecting People, Housing & Jobs
 - 4D Public Housing Re-imagined for the Suburbs
- 10:30 am Break
- 10:45 am **5A** Senior Cohousing: A New Solution to an Age Old Problem
 - 5B The Future of Suburban & Federal Office Parks
 - 5C Next-Generation Engagement: Digital Tools and Social Media
 - **5D** Beyond Congestion: Transportations Trends, Metrics and Predictions
- 12:15 pm Lunch and Presentation, A Roadmap for the Future: Planning for
- Driverless Vehicles Adam F. Ducker and Wes Guckert 6A - On Demand Transit: Opportunities & Consequences
 - 6B Managing Growth and Its Impact on Public Schools
 - 6C Getting the Balance Right: Citizens, Developers and Government Working Together for Better Community Development
 - **6D** The Purple Line: Opportunity for Economic Development or Threat to Community Stability?

3:15 pm - Adjourn













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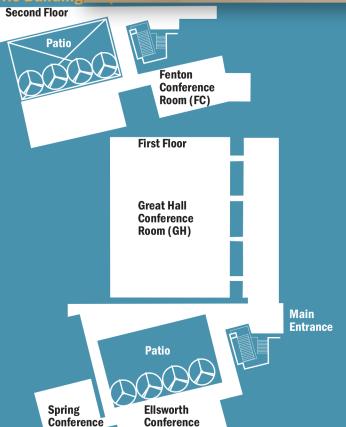
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