



ACSR Half-day Symposium on Architecture and Social Responsibility

Date: 10 October 2013

Venue: Radisson Hotel, Kathmandu, Nepal

Time	Programme	
8:30 – 9:00 am	Registration	
9:00 – 9:30am	Opening Ceremony (Welcome Remarks by ACSR, ARCASIA & SONA President, Local VIP & Officials) (Group Photos & Souvenirs)	
Session 1 - Theme: Universal Design & Accessibility		
	Speaker	Topic
9:30 - 10:45am	Mr. Kanak Mani Dixit & Ar. Deepak K.C (Nepal)	<i>Experiences and Projects regarding Problems faced by Wheelchair Users in Nepal</i>
	Dr. Bijaya K. Shrestha (Nepal)	<i>Child, Gender and Differently-Able School Toilet in Nepal: Planning, Designing and Implementation Issues</i>
	Ar. Abu Hena Md Zia Uddin (Bangladesh)	<i>The Road to Achieving Universal Accessibility in Bangladesh – Learning from Bangladesh... Ten Years After</i>
	Mr. Birendra Raj Pokharel (Nepal)	<i>Basis of Disasters Risk Reduction: Accessible Early Warning Systems for Persons with Disabilities</i>
10:45 - 11:00am	Morning Coffee Break	
Session 2 - Theme: Design for Natural Disasters		
	Speaker	Topic
11:00am - 2:15pm	Ar. Renato Heray (Philippines)	<i>Mobile Shower: a Disaster Response</i>
	Ar. Shoeki Kurakawa & Ar. Noriyuki Okabe (Japan)	<i>Architect's Role in Disasters</i>
	Ar. David Tong (Hong Kong SAR)	<i>Hong Kong SAR's Post-Quake Reconstruction Support Work in Sichuan Province, China</i>
	Ar. Smith Obayawat (Thailand)	<i>Innovative Designs for Flooding</i>
	Ms. Sandhya Janardhan (Singapore)	<i>Rebuilding of Communities after Natural Disasters</i>
12:15 - 12:45 pm	Design Competition Awards Ceremony - “Universal Design” Public Toilet for All (Presentation of Prizes and Award Certificates by ARCASIA & SONA President, and Sponsors) Closing Remarks	
12:45 - 2:00pm	Lunch	

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