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Call for Fellows Nomination Committee Chair – The Georgia Chapter is looking for a member to volunteer to head the Fellows Nomination Committee Chair. The only requirement is that any volunteers should already be a fellow, so that they can share their nomination knowledge and experience with the applicants. Please contact Adam Ragsdale at president@gaasla.org

Call for representative: The North Georgia Water Planning District is seeking additional members for the Lanier Basin and Oconee Basin. Dale Jaeger has volunteered to serve for the Lanier Basin and we are looking for someone to fill a position on the Oconee Basin. It is important to have Landscape Architects appointed to these councils in order to work from the inside on topics relevant to Landscape Architecture and offer excellent perspective on issues, especially regarding stormwater management. I have included information below for you to review or pass along.

Anyone who lives in the Lanier or Oconee basins is eligible to serve. You do not have to live in the 15 county Metro District, just the basin. Please go to the following web sites and use the "Basin Locator" to find if you live in the basin or not.

Anyone interested should contact Heather Moody at the District.

<http://www.northgeorgiawater.org/html/361.htm>

Nov

2 - James Corner / Douglas C. Allen Lecture – GA Tech
2 – GAASLA Drinks at the Cypress Street Pint and Plate (after the Corner Lecture)
7 - UGA CED Tailgate (begins 3 hours prior to kick off) Homecoming weekend!
12 – Pavestone Permeable Pavements Seminar
14 - UGA CED Tailgate (begins 3 hours prior to kick off)
21 - UGA CED Tailgate (begins 3 hours prior to kick off)
18 - Green Cuisine – Savannah
19 - Congress for the New Urbanism Atlanta Chapter's monthly Thirsty Third Thursdays (T3)

Dec

5-7 - American Sports Builders Association Technical Meeting and Trade Show
17 - Congress for the New Urbanism Atlanta Chapter's

monthly Thirsty Third
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Upcoming Events Details

James Corner (High Line Designer) - Inaugural Douglas C. Allen Lecture – GA Tech
November 2, 2009 at 6:00 PM – 7:30 PM LOCATION: Reinsch-Pierce Family Auditorium
FEES: none EVENT CONTACT: Teri Nagel, College of Architecture Contact Teri Nagel 404-385-2156 <http://www.coa.gatech.edu/news/event.php?id=4843>

After the lecture, all GAASLA members are invited to go to a nearby watering hole to have a drink with fellow members. The after lecture meeting will be at the Cypress Street Pint and Plate <http://www.cypressstreetpintandplate.com/about.html>

Permeable Pavements Seminar - November 12th, 2009, 9:00 AM until 3:00 PM (*Free Lunch Provided*) WESTIN ATLANTA AIRPORT, 4736 BEST RD, ATLANTA GA 30337 • 404.762.7676
To register for the program, please contact Sandra Famularo. email: sandra.famularo@pavestone.com OFFICE: 770.306.9691

Pavestone invites you to attend an educational seminar on permeable pavements featuring David Hein. David is the author of the recently developed PICP Permeable Design Pro Software for The Interlocking Concrete Pavement Institute. In the past month we have seen metro Atlanta receive record rainfall. What do we do with all of this water? How do we not just store it but also discharge it to be both cleaner as well as reusable? This seminar will answer these and other discussion points. David will also show you how the software works and makes it much easier for you in designing these systems both structurally and hydraulically. Lunch is provided at no charge.

The College of Environment and Design host tailgates for every home game. For information regarding the event or sponsorship please contact Audra Lofton at alofton@uga.edu or 706-542-4724. You can also view the College's calendar online at: <http://www.ced.uga.edu/index.php/events/>

The Congress for the New Urbanism Atlanta Chapter's monthly Thirsty Third Thursdays (T3)

is in midtown from 5:30P-7:30P at Silk Restaurant (two blocks from midtown MARTA station and 2-hour validated covered parking at Metropolis condos--Silk is located on the first floor). It is a great place to network with architects, planners, and developers on health and built environment issues and have fun doing it!

The purpose of these monthly social gatherings is to build momentum for the Congress for the New Urbanism's 18th annual Congress (CNU 18) to be held in Atlanta May 19-22, 2010 at the Hilton downtown. Themed "New Urbanism: Rx for Healthy Places," and organized with assistance from CDC, several CDC employees/BEWG members have already volunteered to serve on committees and submitted session ideas for the Congress. We anticipate many CDCers will also be session speakers and volunteers. Dr. Howard Frumkin is honorary chair of CNU 18.

This is a great way to learn more about CNU 18, meet the CNU Atlanta Chapter members who are hosting/planning the conference, and hopefully volunteer for one of the CNU 18 committees. They will take place every Third Thursday at Silk through April 2010.

American Sports Builders Association – Technical Meeting and Trade Show Savannah, GA Visit <http://sportsbuilders.org/index.php> for more details

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