What did planning ever do for us?

A celebration of Civic Design and Planning

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The role of Universities:
\textit{Civic Design and planning futures}

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OUTLINE

Educating future planners

Leading the future development of planning as a discipline

Contributing to the future of places
EDUCATING FUTURE PLANNERS
How Liverpool planned the world

by Peter Elson, Liverpool Daily Post | Aug 5 2009

An exhibition shows how the new art of civic design was invented in Liverpool a century ago. Peter Elson reports
Enthusiastic, multi-disciplinary, multi-national team
Research Led Teaching
European, Regional, *Urban, Environmental, Rural GIS*....

Urban Rails 2012, Liverpool
29-30 November 2012
Focus on Employability

Place-based ‘live’ projects

Connecting theory to practice in ALL years of study

Field trips
Global Perspective

Internationalised curriculum

Opportunities for study in China and USA
Professional Accreditation

Education and careers

The RTPI works to maintain and raise the standards of spatial planning. We set expectations of competence and professionalism for our membership. We support these through education and Lifelong Learning. This section outlines our commitment to Lifelong Learning and Continuing Professional Development (CPD).

Members of the RTPI are committed to maintaining and developing their expertise through Continuing Professional Development (CPD). We support members in their CPD through a range of learning activities such as RTPI Conferences, RTPI Networks and RTPI Learn, our virtual learning environment. Regardless of career stage, education and learning opportunities are encouraged and supported by the RTPI through a wide range of initiatives, programmes and resources.
Planners and Places at the core

Place analysis
environmental, economic, social, cultural, aesthetic, institutional, urban rural, local, regional, global......

Place shaping
Planning theory, Legal frameworks, plan making, urban design, stakeholder engagement, development economics, development management, project management......

Place making
Vision, creativity, enthusiasm, listening, leadership......
Planning Programmes at Liverpool

**Undergraduate**
- BA (Hons) Environment & Planning
- BA (Hons) Urban Regeneration & Planning
- MPlan Town and Regional Planning

**Postgraduate**
- Master of Civic Design
- MA Town and Regional Planning
- MA Environmental Management and Planning
- MSc Urban Regeneration and Management
- MSc Marine Planning and Management
Spatial Planning in Action

Past Projects
Neighbourhood Planning  Wirral
Bold Forest Park
Manchester City Link
Atlantic Gateway: Adapting the Landscape
Pennine Lancashire: Living Places Initiative
Liverpool City Region: From Capital of Culture to Cultural Capital
Bridgewater Canal Strategy
Weaver Valley Regional Park
Morecambe Bay and Duddon Estuary Regional Park
Mersey Waterfront Regional Park
Manchester and Pennine Waterways: Waterway Windows 2030

Our Client

Canal & River Trust

Manchester and Pennine Waterway Partnership

‘Over the next 12 months we will be creating a 10 year vision for the Manchester and Pennine Waterways’
WATERWAY WINDOWS 2030: PROJECT AIM

To contribute to the development of the Manchester and Pennine Waterways Plan by preparing a series of action plans providing ‘Windows on the Waterways’ in 2030 which illustrate their potential to contribute to the sustainable development in the region.
SELECTED PROJECT AREAS

KEY

World Class Place
1. Pomona

Build Cultural Connections
2. Restoration of Manchester Bolton and Bury Canal
3. Rochdale and Failsworth (south of Failsworth centre to Newton Heath)

Rejuvenate Cultural Connections
4. Town Centre Rejuvenation in Tameside (Ashton, Droylsden and Stalybridge)
5. Middlewich – Canal Hub (connection of two canals on the Cheshire Ring)

Exploit Cultural Connections
6. Marple/ Bugsworth/ Whaley Bridge area – Gateway to Peaks
7. Marsden – the Day Out Offer linked to Standedge

Greater Manchester — Blue Infrastructure
8. Policy Gaps; Conurbation Wide Connectivity Issues – by water, on foot and cycle – removal of psychological & physical barriers; maintain and improve the working condition of the waterway infrastructure itself; Measurement & Valuing

Manchester and Pennine Waterway Partnership
Waterway Windows 2030 Student Project - Project Study Areas
11 January 2013
SITE TOURS AND SITE VISITS
STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT MEETINGS:
Week 4
Week of 18 Feb
Week 13
Manchester & Pennine Partnership Annual Conference
The Lowry Salford Quays 13 May 2013

VIDEO: University of Liverpool students win top marks for their Middlewich vision

10:19am Friday 17th May 2013 in News

University tutor Karen Potter and Town Clerk, Jonathan Williams, with students Luke Atherton, Chris Conlon, Xinyun Yu, Jinglin Wu, Chen Yu at the River and Canal Trust national presentation at Salford Quays.
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LEADING THE FUTURE DEVELOPMENT OF PLANNING AS A DISCIPLINE

Example: CIVIC DESIGN STEPPING INTO THE SEA.....
THE MERSEY BASIN

“Europe’s dirtiest river
......a disgrace to a civilised society”
(1981)
improving river basin quality
encouraging sustainable waterside regeneration
engaging individuals, businesses and communities in the process.
Local Environment
The International Journal of Justice and Sustainability

Publication details, including instructions for authors and subscription information:
http://www.informaworld.com/smpp/title~content=a713304137

The Mersey Basin and its River Valley Initiatives: an appropriate model for the management of rivers?
Sue Kidd, David Shaw
THE NORTH WEST COAST

• High value coastal landscapes
• Over 80% of the North West coastline has been designated as of European importance for wildlife and international importance for birds
• Coastal trade, industry and tourism provide livelihoods for hundreds of thousands of North West families
• As a gateway to Europe, North West ports annually carry around 50 million tonnes of cargo
• Traditional fishing methods form part of the living heritage of the North West coast
THE NW COAST AND CIVIC DESIGN

Research into integrated coastal planning in the North West region

Making The Most Of The North West's Coast

The North West Coastal Forum Business Plan 2009 - 2012

The North West Regional Coastal Conference 2008
Coastal Renaissance in North West England
5th & 6th June 2008
The Midland Hotel, Morecambe

Morecambe Bay & Duddon Estuary Regional Park
A Future for the Park

An Overview and Strategy Towards
Future Development
THE IRISH SEA
16. MSP Pilot Outputs: Identification of multiple use

- Landuse
- Tourism
- Oil & Gas
- Mariculture
- Coastal Defence
- Ports & Navigation
- Military Activities
- Culture
- Conservation
- Dredging & Disposal
- Submarine Cables

- Fishing
- Renewable Energy
- Marine Recreation
- Mineral Extraction
Irish Sea Marine Planning Responsibilities

- **Planning Authority: Scottish Ministers**
  - Plans only affect non-devolved functions if the Secretary of State agrees by means of an order under the Scotland Act.

- **Planning Authority: Department of the Environment, Northern Ireland.**

- **Planning Authority: Department of the Environment, Heritage & Local Government, Ireland, Ireland for strategic developments**

- **Planning Authority: Welsh Ministers**
  - Plans only affect non-devolved functions if the Secretary of State agrees.

- **Planning Authority: Isle of Man Government**

**Offshore area adjacent to Scotland:**
- Planning Authority: Scottish Ministers.
- Plans have to be agreed with the Secretary of State.

**Offshore area adjacent to Northern Ireland:**
- Planning Authority: Department of Ireland. Plans have to be agreed with the Secretary of State.

**Offshore area adjacent to Wales:**
- Planning Authority: Welsh Ministers. Plans have to be agreed with the Secretary of State.
THE IRISH SEA AND CIVIC DESIGN

Irish Sea
Transnational Partnership
Working Workshops

Irish Sea Conservation Zones

Irish Sea Issues & Opportunities
European Policy Context

Territorial Agenda of the EU 2020

‘Maritime activities are essential for territorial cohesion in Europe. ........ The Marine Strategy Framework Directive and EU Integrated Maritime Policy call for coordinated actions from Member States on maritime spatial planning. Such planning should be integrated into the existing planning systems to enable harmonious and sustainable development of a land-sea continuum.’

The ‘Blue Growth’ initiative aims to elaborate the maritime dimension of the Europe 2020 strategy.

• "smart, sustainable and inclusive economic and employment growth from the oceans, seas and coasts".

A long term strategy to support growth in the maritime sector as a whole

All the sectoral and cross-sectoral economic activities related to the oceans, seas and coasts

Focus on emerging, existing and potential activities such as short sea shipping, coastal tourism, offshore wind energy, desalination, marine biotech.
European Seas and Civic Design

European Seas Territorial Development Opportunities and Risks ESaTDOR
Espon Project

Celtic Seas Partnership
LIFE project

North Sea Star
ESPON project