

#### Organisers

The 3<sup>rd</sup> International Conference on Managing Urban Land is being organised by CABERNET and the Etablissement public foncier de l'Ouest Rhône Alpes (EPORA) in Saint-Etienne, France.

EPORA is a public land management authority, created in 1998 heading brownfield regeneration work in liaison with the local authorities and planners of the Rhône-Alpes region, namely Saint-Etienne.

CABERNET, Europe's sustainable brownfield regeneration network, aims to share good practice and the develop cross-disciplinary shared understanding essential to cost effective, socially desirable and environmentally benevolent regeneration



#### Participants

CABERNET conferences are aimed at all - professionals or not - engaged in brownfield regeneration: international specialists, decision-makers, public and private players involved in economic and urban rehabilitation meet to pool skills, know-how, experiences and visions for the cities of tomorrow.

Delegates include:

- planners, engineers, scientists and architects
- consultants to local authorities
- representatives of North American and European national, regional and local authorities
- land and estate professionals
- investment, banking and insurance professionals
- researchers and academicians
- legal advisors
- representatives from citizens' associations and non-governmental organisations

#### Conference themes

- Integrated land management policies
- Economics of brownfield regeneration
- Environmental dimensions of land management policies
- Citizen participation in policies and projects
- Regulation, governance and legal issues
- Public – private partnerships
- Best practice case studies
- Brownfield rehabilitation in European programmes
- North-American and international experiences
- Professional certification and development
- Training and education
- International case studies

#### Call for papers

Short abstracts (200 words) or suggestions for special sessions should be requested by **31 October 2008**. The programme committee is particularly interested in case studies representing best practices that are transferable to other regions and countries. Short papers/ extended abstracts will be published.

#### Trade Exhibition

A trade exhibition offers the opportunity to bring your products and services to our delegates attention.

#### Venue

Saint-Étienne is a city in the central eastern part of France, 60 km (40 miles) southwest of Lyon. Located in in the Massif Central, Saint-Étienne is the capital of the Loire département of the Rhône-Alpes région. The Saint-Etienne Congress Centre offers state of the art, stylish facilities and delectable cuisine.



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