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15th & 16th October 2015

# Dublin Organizing Committee -- Presentation Overview

Objectives of the Biennial

Progress  to Date

Themes

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Sponsorship

# Objectives of the Biennial 2015

1. Identify and demonstrate technology applications in planning practice
2. Familiarise planners with the use of technology applications
3. Enhance professional practice skills in urban planning
4. Develop professional leadership and practice management skills in urban planning
5. Present a “job-market” opportunity to planners and potential employers.

# Progress to Date

1. Won ECTP-CEU Bid for Biennial 2015
2. Formed Local Organising Committee
3. Formed Technical Committee
4. Established and Agreed Biennial Themes

# Progress to Date (cont.)

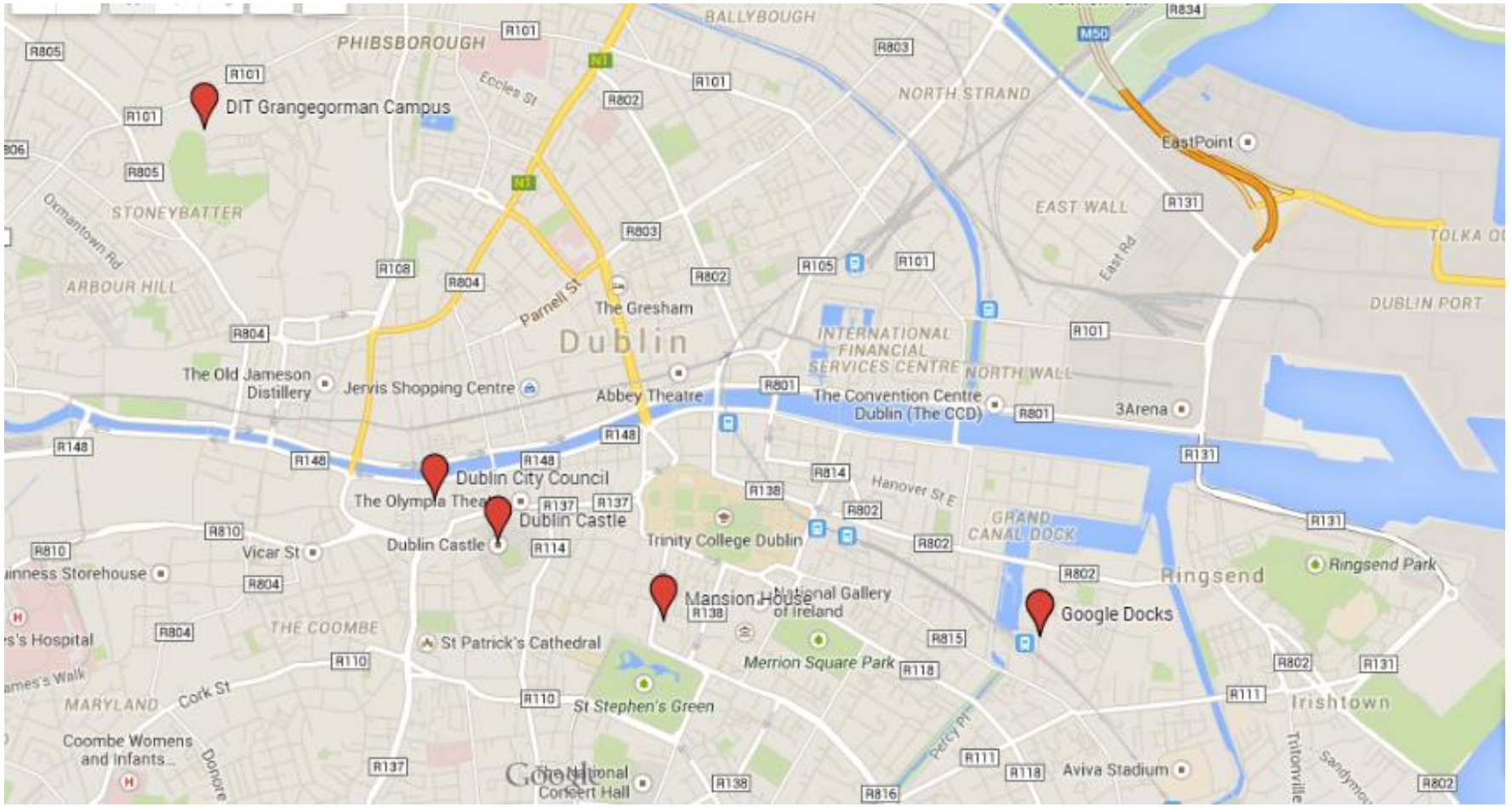
5. Appointed Specialist Event Organiser -- “Conference Partners,” a Dublin-based firm.
6. Confirmed Dublin Castle as the Plenary Venue
7. Completed site visits of an additional event venue: (Grangegorman Campus of DIT, an urban regeneration site in the centre of Dublin)
8. Set up Biennial website at: http://www.biennialdublin2015.com and Facebook page at: https://www.facebook.com/Biennial2015

# Major Themes

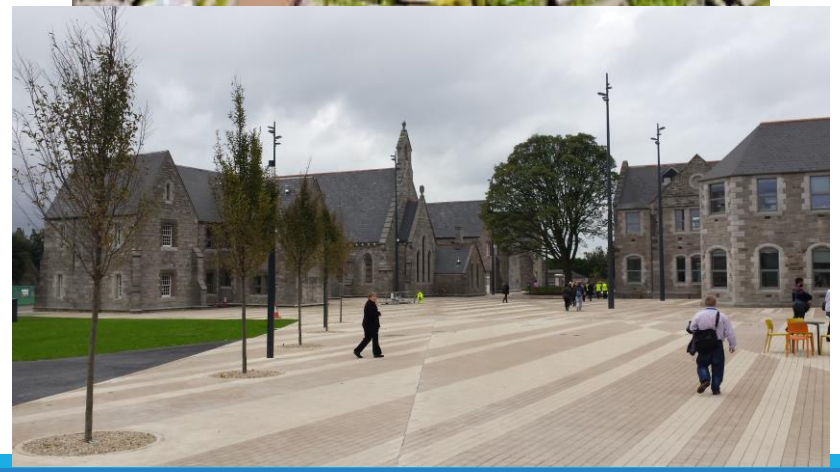
- ICT – Applications to Town/Regional Planning
- City Leadership and Governance
- Urban Mobility
- Mapping and Information Systems
- Sustainable Infrastructure (Energy & Water)

# Conference Venues

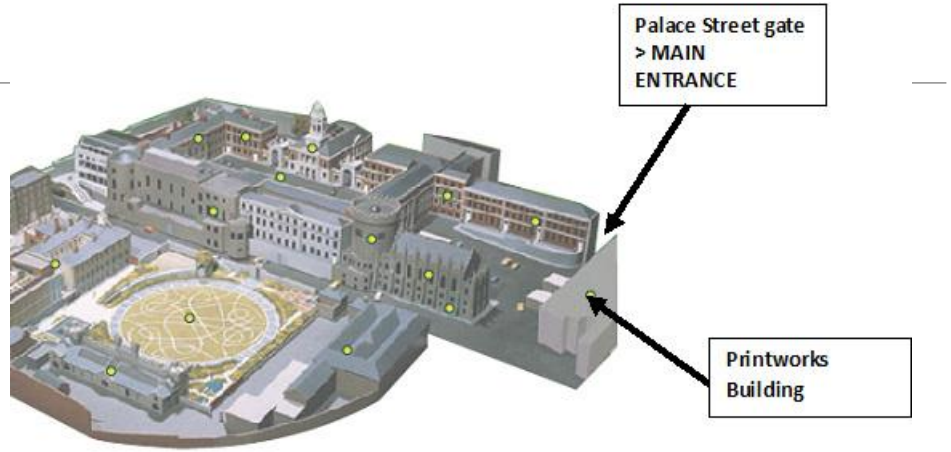
- Grangegorman (Dublin Institute of Technology)
- Wood Quay (Dublin City Council)
- Dublin Castle -- Principal
- The Mansion House
- Google Dock



# Venues – DIT/Grangegorman Campus



# Venues – Dublin Castle and the Print Works



# Venues – Dublin City Hall @ Wood Quay

Dublin City
Baile Átha Cliath

# Sponsor Contacts and Prospects -- IBM

IBM has signed on as major sponsor

# Sponsor Prospects for the Biennial – Google

Google

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| Google |
| IBM |
| ESRI (ArcGIS) |
| An Post |
| Intel |
| Teagasc |
| Irish Marine Institute |
| Compass Informatics |
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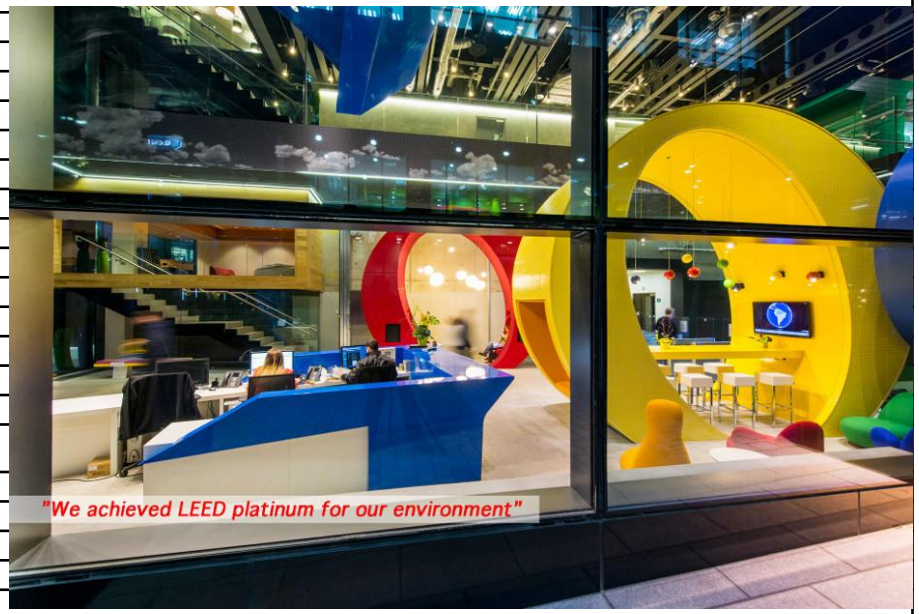
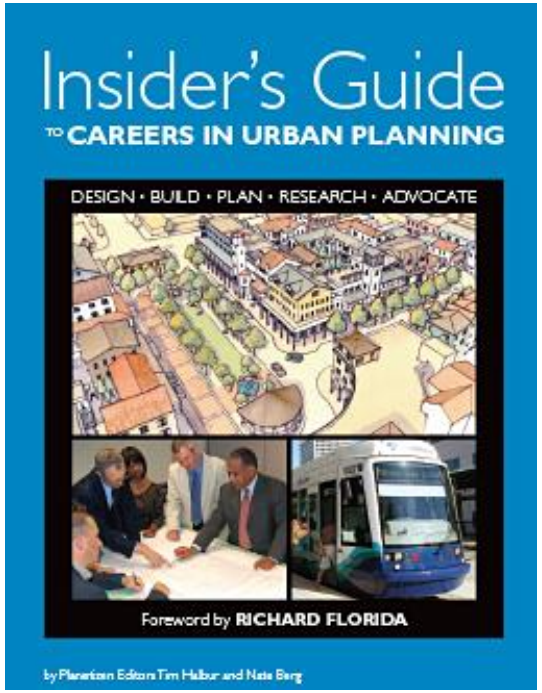


# And Siemens, ESRI and Many More…

# Job Market @ Start of Biennial 2015



# Timetable for Biennial 2015

**October 2014 – March 2015**: ECTP-CEU member organizations provide contact names to support Biennial 2015 and engage members in participation/support for this effort. We are especially keen to showcase your work and the successes you've achieved.

**March 2015:** Call for papers to go out. We will be particularly interested in reaching out to planners in private practice and to technology companies for exemplary projects that showcase the use of technology in solving urban problems.

**May 2015:** Conference booking opens. We will be developing conference tour packages for tours of Ireland that can be booked in conjunction with the conference event, thus providing a more robust mechanism to ensure participation. These tours will feature not only the historic and cultural landscape of Ireland but will showcase individual sites where there are successful applications of urban planning technology.

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-- Plus technical committees to be organized to support:

- (1.) Each of the major theme areas
- (2.) The conference tour programme
- (3.) Transport and housing arrangements
- (4.) The Job Fair

# Join the Dublin Team for Biennial 2015!

**Making Cities Work** is a job for all of us. Join us. Work with us.

What can you do?

- Spread the word – and plan for you and your colleagues to attend and participate.
- Propose potential sponsors.
- Publicize the Biennial and its programme at http://www.biennialdublin2015.com
- Invite all to Dublin and to the Biennial for 2015.

*Thank You!*