



Playground Design Symposium:

Fall Conference - September 9, 2008

Hosted by the University of Virginia's School of Architecture
Landscape Architecture Program

Symposium to be held at Hereford Green Room in Runk Hall at the
University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Virginia
Virginia Chapter of the American Society of Landscape Architects

- 8:30-9:00 **Registration**
- 9:00-9:15 **Conference Welcome:** Kevin Barnes, VA ASLA President
- 9:15-10:30 **Opening Plenary:** Helle Burlingame, Psychologist, Director Kompan Institute
The Psychology of Play
- 10:30-10:45 Break
- 10:45-11:30 **Session One:** Pete O'Shea, ASLA, FAAR, Siteworks
McGuffey Playground, Charlottesville, Virginia
- 11:30-12:15 **Session Two:** Eric Zelman, Raindrop Products/GTH20 Spraygrounds
Spraygrounds and Water Play Areas
- 12:15-1:15 Lunch & Social
- 1:15-2:00 **Session Three:** Bill Conkle, DCR, CPSI
*Safety Standards, Guidelines and Certification:
The impact of safety in the design of playgrounds*
- 2:00-2:45 **Session Four:** Lisa Moore, PlayCore V.P., Corporate Strategic Services
Universal Playground Design: EveryBODY Plays!
- 2:45-3:00 Break
- 3:00-3:45 **Session Five:** Nathan Imm, EDAW
Children's Gardens at Morton Arboretum and Norfolk Botanical Garden
- 3:45-4:10 **Session Six:** Karl Krause, UVA's Howland Traveling Fellow
*Translate, Transform:
Generative Experiences of Urban Immigrant Children*
- 4:10-5:30 *VA ASLA Executive Committee Meeting*