A forum on Envisioning Drought-Resilient Cities
Sponsored by Southern California Edison

A public presentation of architects, engineers, sustainability experts and USC professors to explore the transformation of cities to meet increasing water scarcity in the arid Southwest

Tuesday, May 6, 2014
2:00 – 4:30 p.m.
Lewis Hall, Room 101
Reception to immediately follow in RGL 308

Featuring

Welcome
Jack Knott, Dean USC Sol Price School of Public Policy

Introduction
Hilda Blanco, USC Sol Price School of Public Policy

Keynote address: From Policy to Projects: How Changing Water Policy in California Impacts Local Communities
Maria Mehranian, Los Angeles Regional Water Quality Control Board and Cordoba Corp.

The Riparian Preserve: Water Management, Recreation, Preservation of Open Space, and Habitat Replacement
Guy Carpenter, Carollo Engineers

Recalibrating Water Infrastructure: Contemporary Multivalent Solutions
Mia Lehrer, Lehrer Architects

Watershed to Catchment: Listening to the Aussies
Andy Lipkis, Tree People

Interstitial greening for a drought-resilient city
Travis Longcore, USC Dornsife

Sponge City: Stormwater and its Urban Design Implications
Hadley and Peter Arnold, Arid Lands Institute

Discussants:
Krista Sloniowski, USC Sol Price School of Public Policy
Nancy Steele, Council for Watershed Health

Concluding remarks:
Dan Mazmanian, USC Sol Price School of Public Policy

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