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#### Venue

Kulturhaus LA8

Lichtentaler Allee 8, D-76530 Baden-Baden

#### Registration

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Further information concerning your registration are available in the enclosed registration form or under www.denkmalpflege-bw.de

Deadline for registration: February 9, 2015 The number of participants is limited.

#### Registration fees

Participation fees amount to 120 Euro, reduced fees are 70 Euro (members of ICOMOS Germany, DGGL or State Office for the Preservation of Historical Monuments Baden-Württemberg), Students 50 Euro

# How to get to the Kulturhaus LA8 in Baden-Baden By train and public transports:

At station Baden-Baden take bus lines 201, 216 and 245; Get off at Augustaplatz.

By car:

Motorway A5 exit Baden-Baden, via national road B500 direction Centrum/Congress.

**Parking Facilities:** 

Parkhaus Congress, Parkhaus Kurhaus

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#### Accomodation

You will find a list of hotels under www.baden-baden.de Inquiries and booking also possible under sales@baden-baden.com

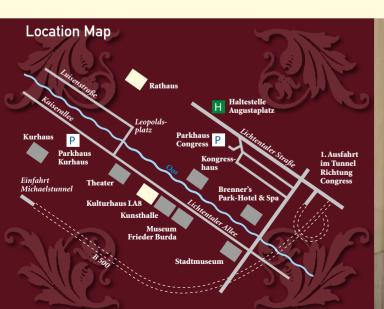
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International Congress

Between Healing and Pleasure – Spa Parks and Spa Gardens in Europe

Baden-Baden, March 19 to 21, 2015



#### Introduction

There is no spa resort without spa parks and gardens. The green spaces are inherent parts of spa towns having emerged as distinct types of settlement since 17<sup>th</sup> century Europe. They mark the structure, the looks and image of spa towns and bathing resorts still today. And they played an important role in the traditional European spa concept that combines mainly water-based therapy with pleasure, social events and exercise.

As varied and numerous as the spa towns in Europe are the spa gardens and spa parks. But do these grounds – equivalent to the spa towns that present a particular form of settlement - also develop their own garden type?

# Fountain avenues, music pavilions, carpet beddings and promenades

The aim of the conference "Between Healing and Pleasure – Spa Parks and Spa Gardens in Europe" is to specify the characteristics and the historical significance of European spa gardens and spa parks and to discuss the subject by comparing international examples. Whereas the talks deal with the diversity of European spa grounds in terms of time and region at first, they subsequently discuss the formal and functional particularities and distinctive features by giving an overview and by presenting examples. Beyond that they look at the interrelation between spa grounds, urban planning and cultural landscape. The session closes with questions of maintenance and conservation of historic spa gardens and spa parks.

The conference is associated in substance to the former international conference "European Health Resorts and Fashionable Spas of the 19<sup>th</sup> Century" which took place in Baden-Baden in 2010. It also makes a contribution to the current process of a serial nomination of several European spa towns to be listed on the World Heritage List.

### Thursday, March 19, 2015

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10:00	Words of welcome Margot Mergen, Mayor of the town of Baden-Baden Prof. Dr. Jörg Haspel, President of ICOMOS Germany Prof. Dr. Markus Müller, State Department of Finance, Trade and Industry Baden-Württemberg Prof. Dr. Claus Wolf, Head of the State Office for the Preservation of Historical Monuments Baden-Württemberg DiplIng. Jochen Martz, Chairman of the Working Group
11:00	on Historic Gardens of DGGL  Introduction  Spa gardens and spa parks in Europe – an overview of their characteristics and variety  DiplIng. Katrin Schulze M.A., München / Berlin
11:45	Spa parks and spa gardens – historic and regional diversity Moderator: Prof. Dr. Erika Schmidt, TU Dresden
12:00 noon	Wilhelmsbad – a spa park of the 18 <sup>th</sup> century. History, developement and present state Dr. Inken Formann, Bad Homburg
0:45	lunch break
2:00	Peter Joseph Lenné as designer of spa parks Dr. Klaus-Henning von Krosigk, Berlin
2:45	Composition, maintenance and improvement of spa parks in the oeuvre of the garden designers Siesmayer DiplIng. Barbara Vogt, Frankfurt a. Main
3:30	coffee break
4:00	Spa landscapes of 19 <sup>th</sup> century England – from wild Romanticism to managed order Paul Simons M.A., Corsham
4:45	Spa parks and spa gardens in the former Kingdom of Hungary Katalin Takács M.sc., Budapest
5:30	Spa parks and spa gardens in France – examples from the Auvergne and Alsace areas Colette Beaudean M.sc., London
	Reception by the town of Baden-Baden in the town hall

# Friday, March 20, 2015

9:00	Spa parks and spa gardens –
	formal and functional features
	Moderator: Dr. Caroline Rolka,
	Working Group on Historic Gardens of DGGL
9:15	Fountain avenues as original basis of spa grounds?
	Using the example of Bad Pyrmont
	Dr. Dieter Alfter, Bad Pyrmont
10:00	Fountain pavilions, colonnades, covered walks –
	garden architecture in spa parks
	Prof. Dr. Dominique Jarrassé, Le Kremlin-Bicêtre
10:45	coffee break
11:15	Promenade concerts, music pavilions and bandstands -
	the place of music in spa parks
	Dr. Ian Bradley, St. Andrews
12:00 noon	Sports facilities in the spa park – German spa gardens
	as "hotbeds" of tennis and golf
	Dr. Heiner Gillmeister, Bonn
0:45	lunch break
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# Saturday, March 21, 2015

9:00	Spa parks and spa gardens -
	a subject to historic garden conservation
	Moderator: Dr. Martin Baumann,
	State Office for the Preservation of
	Historical Monuments Thüringen
9:15	The Management Plan for the Spa Park of
	Bad Homburg – implementation and monitoring
	DiplIng. Wenzel Bratner, Wiesbaden
9:45	Torrent – floatable channel – water art – torrent?
	The river Oos in the spa park of Baden-Baden
	DiplIng. Petra Martin M.A., Esslingen a. Neckar
10:15	coffee break
10:45	Spa promenades in Meran.
	Landscape design – history – current claims
	Dr. Waltraud Kofler Engl, Bozen
11:15	Preservation and maintenance of spa parks and
	spa gardens – a special case for garden conservators?
	DiplIng. Jochen Martz, Nürnberg
11:45	Conclusion
	DiplIng. Katrin Schulze M.A., München / Berlin
12:00 noon	lunch break
1:30	Excursions
	A - The spa grounds of Baden-Baden
	DiplIng. Markus Brunsing
	B - The Spa Park of Bad Wildbad
	DiplIng. Petra Martin M.A.

Conference languages are German and English. Simultaneous translations are available.