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IFLA Europe Newsletter is prepared to inform you about the projects currently underway and to update you on IFLA Europe's and the activities of our members.

Work has started on the Blue Green Infrastructure manual and a research team are working through our partners. Together with EXCEPT Integrated Sustainability, Biodiversa partnership, Natural Resources Wales (NRW) and the Joint Nature Conservation Committee (JNCC), IFLA Europe took part in the joint development of a practical manual to guide the implementation of current biodiversity and ecosystem research for the design, construction and maintenance of blue and green infrastructure – BGI Manual. It was produced to increase the resilience of regions and jurisdictions by applying new research to assist in providing practical application of blue-green infrastructure through the provision of a manual on BGI. You can find the BGI Manual on: [Blue Green Infrastructure Manual](#)

IFLA EU Exhibition project was initiated by our Secretary General Urszula Forczek-Brataniec. It covers works from all over Europe and represents a database of the good landscape and architectural spaces that IFLA Europe wishes to recommend. The exhibition contained 61 projects from 24 countries associated in IFLA Europe. It was officially launched at the IFLA Europe General Assembly in London on 7 September 2018 and has been since touring in Netherlands (Delft University of the Dutch School of Landscape Architect (DSL), University of Applied Sciences Larenstein in Velp. at the General Assembly of NVTL in Utrecht, HAS University of Applied Sciences in 's-Hertogenbosch and at Wageningen University as a part of mini-seminar organised by Genius Loci). It will further be presented in Belgium, Czech Republic, Hungary, France and Italy. To learn more about the project please visit [IFLA Europe Exhibition Project](#)

IFLA Europe Elections take place this year and the following positions for 2-year term are available: President, Treasurer, VP Communication, VP Education and VP Professional Practice. Nominations for officers must be proposed and seconded by two delegates of the General Assembly, accompanied by a letter from the nominee stating his/her willingness to stand for election and a summary on the strategic plan for IFLA EU to be implemented. **The deadline for nominations is 17 May 2019.**

IFLA Global is soliciting nominations for its **Sir Geoffrey Jellicoe Award**. Sir Geoffrey Jellicoe Award is the highest honour that IFLA can bestow upon a landscape architect. It recognises a living landscape architect whose achievements and contributions have had a unique and lasting impact on the welfare of society and the environment and on the promotion of the profession of landscape architecture. Nominations for the 2019 Jellicoe Award must be submitted by **April 1, 2019**. For more information please visit IFLA Europe website <http://iflaeurope.eu/ifla-sir-geoffrey-jellicoe-award-2019/> or contact IFLA World Secretariat: admin@iflaonline.org.

News from our members and partners:

Hungarian National Association HALA is organising its Congress on 12-14 February 2019 in Tapolca, Hungary. The speakers will include Noel Kingsbury, Claire Takacs, Cassian Schmidt. Some of the topics that will be discussed are: Contemporary trends in planting design, New perspectives in design and maintenance of habitat-based perennial plantings. For more information about the programme please visit <http://iflaeurope.eu/wp-content/uploads/sites/2/2019/02/HALA-Congress-2019-International-Program.pdf>