

Dear EPA members and colleagues,

the shortlist of the EPA Awards, details about the 3rd EPA POLIS workshop in Dublin and a new EPA booklet: find out about these and other association news on the next couple of pages.

Hope you enjoy your read,

Elisabeth Herles and Gerry Trost-Heutmekers, EPA Secretariat

EPA Awards

For the EPA Awards 2013 that promote excellence in parking in four categories 29 entries were received. Now the board has selected the shortlist of twelve objects that will be visited by the jury in June.

| Cat. | Name of object | Country, city | Operator |
|------|-----------------------------|---------------|----------------------------------|
| 1 | P-Hämppi | FIN-Tampere | Finnpark Ltd |
| 1 | Brotteaux | F-Lyon | Q-Park France |
| 1 | Padova Centro | I-Padova | Interparking Italia SRL |
| 1 | Theater | NL-Nieuwegein | Gemeente Nieuwegein |
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| 2 | Grote Markt | B-Tongeren | Q-Park Belgium |
| 2 | Magazin du Nord | DK-Copenhagen | Q-Park Denmark |
| 2 | Mercado do Chao do Lovreiro | P-Lisbon | EMEL |
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| 3 | The eyes in the streets | ES-Barcelona | BSMSA |
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| 4 | Integrated Parking | B-Bruges | Interparking Belgium |
| 4 | Illegal Parking Campaign | D-Germany | DB BahnPark |
| 4 | Barrierless Parking | GB-diverse | Abstract Computing International |
| 4 | Smart Parking | NL-Maastricht | Q-Park |

Award Jury

The international jury that will inspect all shortlisted projects in the first week of June has the following members:

Sebastian Koreneff / Finland is chairman, Bernd Beer / Germany, Amadeu Martí / Spain, Uri Sluckin / France, Nik Subramanian / Belgium and Peter Martens / Netherlands (Secretary).

The winners will be announced and awarded in a special ceremony at the EPA congress in Dublin on Thursday September 12, 2013.



12 projects in 5 days: a full week for the EPA Award Jury



16th EPA Congress Dublin

11-13 September 2013, Convention Centre Dublin



Convention Centre in Dublin

Programme

A first draft of the congress programme including information on the speakers is available for download on the website:

http://www.epacongress.eu/cms/Media/programme_epa2013.pdf

Exhibition

A limited number of shell scheme exhibition stands are still available and interested organisations are encouraged to contact the congress organisers asap to confirm their involvement.

For all questions relating to the EPA congress please contact the congress Secretariat by phone +353 1 648 6276 or email epa2013@parkingireland.ie for any further questions regarding registration or exhibition www.epacongress.eu

EPA - Polis workshop

10 September 2013 - Dublin 12:30-17:00







How can we make on street parking a success? Third EPA-Polis workshop

In cooperation with the Dublin Institute of Technology – Department of Transport Engineering

The event will focus on good practice in planning, operating and enforcement of on street parking. To create a better understanding between the different actors in parking activities, the European Parking Association (EPA) and Polis have established a partnership to discuss the interaction of urban transport and parking activities.

Information on registration, speakers and venue will be announced shortly.



EPA general meeting and elections



Delegates EPA general meeting in Helsinki 2012

The EPA general meeting 2013 will take place on **Friday, September 13, 2013 from 14.00 to 16.00** in Dublin on the final day of the EPA congress in the Convention Centre in Liffey Hall 2.

Elections will be held for seats on the board and the position of president. For the first time one seat will be reserved for a representative of the associate members. Also the Policy and Strategy Committee will be elected.

The invitation and agenda together with the explanation regarding the election and nomination procedure will be sent out to all EPA member associations in May 2013.

The deadline for nominations to the election is August 13, 2013.

EPA Brochure

A new printed brochure on the EPA, it's activities and members has been produced. It has been distributed to EPA's member associations. Furthermore it is available for download from the EPA website

www.europeanparking.eu



printed brochure or pdf: EPA Yearbook

Parking Trend International



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|--------|--------------|--------------------|
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| 2013-4 | 24 September | 1 November |

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ESPA 2013

New signs for 2013 are on stock now.

The ESPA is a standard for good quality in parking structures. The assessment and presentation of the ESPA awards is in the responsibility of the national parking associations. The checklist is available for download on the website or from the Secretariat. EPA's member associations can order the signs at a price of €95,- per piece at the Secretariat.

The acrylic plate measures 39,5 cm by 29,5 cm with four stainless steel mounting parts.



Calendar

May 21-23, 2013 **SVEPARK Conference and Expo**Boras, Sweden

<u>www.svepark.se</u>

September 11-13, 2013 **16th EPA congress and exhibition**Convention Centre Dublin, Ireland

<u>www.epacongress.eu</u>

June 19-20, 2013 **Parken 2013 conference and exhibition**Rhein-Main Hallen Wiesbaden, Germany

2014
March 25-28, 2014
Intertraffic
RAI, Amsterdam

www.intertraffic.com

www.parken-messe.de

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