



Light Festivals Pavilion

Conference program

LumiVille trade fair – Lyon, June 1-2

Organized by LUCI in the frame of the Light Festivals Pavilion, the conference program will give the floor to event managers, city representatives and lighting designers, who have worked on some of the most successful light festivals in the world.

In an original format, leaving space for open discussion and exchange, they will present their approaches and experiences in the organization of temporary lighting events.

Discussions will focus on two main questions: Why create a light festival and what are the benefits for a city? How to organize a light festival and how to define its objectives?

TUESDAY JUNE 1ST

14:00 Opening of the conferences

Jean-Michel Daclin, Deputy Mayor of Lyon and President of LUCI

14:15 – 15:00 La Fête des Lumières, Lyon light festival (France)

Jean-François Zurawik, Director of events, City of Lyon

15:00 – 16:30 Light festivals across the world: approaches and experiences of two lighting designers

Skertzo, Lighting Designer

Alain Bénini, Architect and Lighting Designer

WEDNESDAY JUNE 2ND

10:00 – 10:45 Chartres en Lumières, Chartres light festival (France)

Laurent Lhuillery, Deputy Mayor in charge of events, City of Chartres

11:00 – 11:45 Leipzig light festival (Germany)

Jürgen Meier, Artistic Director, Leipzig light festival

Marit Schulz, Marketing Director, City of Leipzig

14:30 – 15:15 GLOW, Eindhoven light festival (The Netherlands)

Rik Van Stiphout, Program Manager Lighting, City of Eindhoven

15:30 – 16:15 Arbres et lumières, Geneva light festival (Switzerland)

Nicolas Mabile, General Coordination, arbres et lumières

16:30 – 17:15 Hikari-Renaissance, Osaka light festival (Japan)

Masaki Bando, Manager for Events Planning Department, City of Osaka