

# PROGRAMME SUMMARY /

This programme has been updated. Some details may have changed from a previous version which was distributed.

## Tuesday 15 November

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Welcome lunch at The Royal New Zealand Yacht Squadron  
181 Westhaven Drive, Westhaven Marina  
You can walk or coach to the venue.

10am Meet your Water Edge host in the SkyCity Hotel lobby if you would like to take a guided walk to the venue.

Or

10.50am Coach departs SkyCity Hotel for the Royal New Zealand Yacht Squadron.

11.30am Guests assemble for a Pōwhiri (traditional Māori welcoming ceremony) and a formal welcome from the Mayor of Auckland.

12pm Lunch is prepared by renowned Kiwi chef Al Brown, introducing tastes of New Zealand.

### Water Edge cities present their places

1.15pm Water Edge 2016 moderator Prof Greg Clark will introduce himself and officially commence the programme.

City presentations will be made in groups of three cities and followed by question time. (Each city presentation will be six minutes or less).

### Waitemata Harbour travel

4.45pm Guests travel east by boat across the city centre water edge past the Wynyard Quarter and the Viaduct Events Centre. Guests will arrive at Princes Wharf and continue on foot to the neighbouring Queens Wharf and the re-purposed Shed 10, close to Auckland's port.

### Auckland Conversations - an evening for Auckland's public

5.30pm Guests attend Auckland Conversations at Shed 10, Queens Wharf

This event has become a regular highlight in Auckland city-lovers' calendars. It aims to inspire, educate and engage Aucklanders in ideas for becoming the world's most liveable city. From exploring the implications of climate change to discussing the virtues of public art, Auckland Conversations has been bringing world-class speakers to Auckland from leaders and experts in design and planning to heritage, the environment and socio-economics. Some presentations have been attended by 200 or more.

Prof Greg Clark will introduce a panel of four Water Edge city presenters, to discuss the theme "Living by the Water".

7.30pm Coach departs Shed 10, Queens Wharf for SkyCity Hotel

### Recovery time

7.30pm Day One concludes in the early evening with free time to recover and dine at your pick of Auckland's exciting Federal Street eateries, close to your hotel.

The SkyCity gift card, which is provided in your hotel room, can be used to pay for your meal.



## Wednesday 16 November

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### Breakfast

- 7.30am Guests attend one of two breakfast gatherings at SkyCity Hotel. One is for executives and the other for non-executives (elected or appointed members).  
Jürgen Bruns-Berentelg, CEO HafenCity Hamburg GmbH, will speak briefly to executives in water edge agencies, and Carl Weisbrod, Chairman New York City Planning Commission, will address non-executive (elected or appointed members).

### Symposium programme

- 8.30am Coach departs SkyCity Hotel for The Royal New Zealand Yacht Squadron.
- 9am The symposium programme begins.  
The programme is divided into four sessions. Each city will be asked to prepare their thoughts beforehand on one of four themes.  
For each session, three to four cities will lead off the discussion on a particular theme. The conversation is then opened up to the entire group and your active participation is invited. Common issues, and lessons learned will be distilled and captured by Prof Greg Clark.
- 9.15am **Theme one: Living by the water**  
Water edge developments as a response to pressing housing shortages; managing density and diversity; inclusion for existing communities and newcomers; renewing and forging a shared 'sense of place'.  
New York, Hamburg, Brisbane and Copenhagen will lead the discussion.
- 10.30am Morning tea
- 11.15am **Theme two: Using the water**  
A new accommodation with the water - where waterways, water, the river and sea beds are restored and actively used; visioning for water spaces; initiatives which invite active use of water spaces amongst a broader audience.  
Taipei and Auckland will lead the discussion.

- 12.45pm Lunch

- 1.15pm The Waterfront Centre session on 'Awarding practitioners reconfiguring and resolving dilemmas on the water edge'

### 1.30pm **Theme three: Reconfiguring the waterfront**

Opportunities to stimulate new futures by relocating/re-purposing assets past their time; anticipating the impacts of disruption; ways to manage unintended consequences of renewal and revitalisation.

Perth, Washington, Vancouver and the New York/New Jersey Inner Harbour Waterfront will lead the discussion.

- 3pm Afternoon tea

### 3.30pm **Theme four: Resolving dilemmas on the water edge**

Development lessons across water edge locations big and small, prominent and less known, greenfields/brownfields; problem solving on difficult sites; designing effective development approaches for tough sites and circumstances.

Glasgow, Taichung, Boston and Washington will lead the discussion.

- 5pm Review and close

- 5.15pm Coach departs The Royal New Zealand Yacht Squadron for SkyCity Hotel  
Own time

### Formal dinner

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- 7.15pm Coach departs SkyCity Hotel for Shed 10, Queens Wharf

- 7.30pm Official dinner and The Waterfront Centre's Excellence on the Waterfront Awards Celebration

- 11.30pm Coach departs Shed 10, Queens Wharf for SkyCity Hotel

## Thursday 17 November

7.45am Coach departs SkyCity Hotel for a tour of Onehunga.

8am Breakfast on the go

8.50am Coach arrives at The Landing  
2 Onehunga Harbour Road, Onehunga

### Workshop

#### Workshop on Onehunga/Manukau Harbour water edge

International Advisory teams will be drawn from different locations, and supported by emerging and established Auckland designers.

Each working team will produce and present ideas for future development opportunities for Onehunga – its vision, the right delivery tools and vehicles, and the phases and cycles of the first year work programme.

9am Technical briefings and discussion

9.45am Group work

11.15pm Feedback: presentations, Q&A and discussion

12pm Review of prospects for Onehunga

### Symposium closes

12.45pm **Closing session**

1pm Lunch and farewell

2pm Coaches depart The Landing for SkyCity Hotel and Auckland Airport



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----- Suggested walking route from SkyCity Hotel to the Royal New Zealand Yacht Squadron.