

*Dumbarton Oaks 2009 Garden and Landscape Studies Symposium*

***The Interlacing of Words and Things in Gardens and Landscapes:  
Beyond Nature and Culture***

PRACTICAL INFORMATION

During your visit you will also have an opportunity to see the Byzantine and Pre-Columbian collections in our newly renovated galleries and to explore the museum store. The gardens are open to symposium guests during the lunch break.

ACCOMMODATION INFORMATION

For your convenience, we have listed below several hotels in the area. They are all reputable and comfortable places. There are many others to choose from; you should contact any hotel that interests you and make your reservations directly with them. All of the hotels listed below are in or near Georgetown and therefore within close proximity to Dumbarton Oaks.

SAMPLE OF AREA HOTELS

Holiday Inn\*  
2101 Wisconsin Ave., NW 20007  
202-338-4600  
[www.higeorgetown.com](http://www.higeorgetown.com)

Park Hyatt  
24th and M Streets, NW 20037  
202-789-1234  
[www.ParkWashington.Hyatt.com](http://www.ParkWashington.Hyatt.com)

Hotel Monticello of Georgetown  
1075 Thomas Jefferson St., NW 20007  
202-337-0900  
[www.monticellohotel.com](http://www.monticellohotel.com)

Georgetown Suites  
1111 30th St. NW 20007  
202-298-7800  
[www.georgetownsuites.com](http://www.georgetownsuites.com)

Doubletree Guest Suites  
2500 Pennsylvania Ave., NW 20037  
202-333-8060  
[www.Doubletree.com](http://www.Doubletree.com)

Savoy Suites  
2505 Wisconsin Ave., NW 20007  
202-337-9700  
[www.savoySuites.com](http://www.savoySuites.com)

Georgetown Inn  
1310 Wisconsin Ave., NW 20007  
202-333-8900  
[www.georgetowninn.com](http://www.georgetowninn.com)

Radisson Barcelo  
2121 P Street, NW 20009  
202-293-3100  
[www.barcelo.com](http://www.barcelo.com)

Georgetown University Conference Hotel  
3800 Reservoir Road, NW 20057  
202-687-3200  
[www.marriott.com](http://www.marriott.com)

## AIR TRAVEL

Three airports service the Washington area. The Ronald Reagan Washington National Airport (DCA) is 7 miles from DO and handles all major national airlines. The Washington Dulles International Airport (IAD) services all national and international airlines and is 26 miles west of Washington. The Baltimore Washington International Airport (BWI) services all major national and international airlines from its position 30 miles north-east of the city.

## PARKING

No parking is available for symposium participants at Dumbarton Oaks. There is unlimited street parking on Sunday, but the District of Columbia is efficient about ticketing over the 2-hour limit in this zone on weekdays and Saturdays. Available public parking close to Dumbarton Oaks approximately 12 minutes walk to the campus.

### **Central Parking** (*rates as of December 2007*)

2201 Wisconsin Avenue, NW

For additional information: 202-496-4200

Early Bird Special – stay all day if you arrive before 10:00 am: \$6

First hour: \$5

Daily max: \$8

Open **Monday through Friday** from 7:00 am until 7:00 pm

### **Atlantic Parking** (*rates as of February 2009*)

2233 Wisconsin Avenue, NW

For additional information: 202-466-5050

First hour: \$4

Second hour: \$6

Daily Max: \$8

Saturdays: \$3.50 per hour

Open **Monday through Friday** from 7:00 am until 7:00 pm

Open on **Saturday** from 8 am until 4 pm

## LIBRARY ACCESS

We encourage you to take the opportunity to get a valid Dumbarton Oaks Reader's badge while you are here. Valid badges will not be necessary to attend the symposium but are necessary if you wish to use the Library at any point during your visit. It will also allow you more freedom of movement around the property on the days before and after the symposium, and you can retain the badge for any future visits to Dumbarton Oaks.

Security and Library staff will be available to make new or replacement badges for symposium participants and to give an orientation to the new Library. The production of the badges usually only takes a few minutes; the orientation of the Library will last approximately 45 minutes to an hour, and it is required of all new visitors to the Library. Badges must be requested in advance; no badges will be created during the days of the symposium, but we are happy to schedule

appointments for you on Monday, May 11 if you prefer to wait until after the symposium to get your badge and your orientation. Staff members will need to have a list of people to expect at the specified times, so we ask that you contact the Librarian for Garden and Landscape Studies, Sheila Klos ([KlosS@doaks.org](mailto:KlosS@doaks.org)), before Wednesday, April 29th.

- If you do not have a Dumbarton Oaks electronic badge, please complete the registration form that can be found on our website: [http://www.doaks.org/library/access\\_info.html](http://www.doaks.org/library/access_info.html). Please send the completed form to [libraryaccess@doaks.org](mailto:libraryaccess@doaks.org).

- If you have not renewed your Dumbarton Oaks electronic badge for 2009–2010, please complete the application form found at the URL given above and submit it to [libraryaccess@doaks.org](mailto:libraryaccess@doaks.org). If you are unsure whether your badge was renewed, please contact Sheila Klos at [KlosS@doaks.org](mailto:KlosS@doaks.org).

- If you have misplaced your badge, please contact Mike Steen at [SteenM@doaks.org](mailto:SteenM@doaks.org) to arrange for a replacement badge.