Bentley Community (UKI) Winter Workshop

25th and 26th February 2010
at The Barcelo Hotel, Oxford

Day 1 Agenda

Bentley , Thursday 25th February

0900-1000	Registration with tea and coffee
1000-1300	In a change to the usual training modules, this year Bentley and the BCUKI have joined forces to bring you a day of BIM focused learning in the context of your own project. We invite you to a bring a project large or small. During the day we will take you through the project set-up process, modelling work-flows and deliverables output. This is an opportunity to give your practice a kickstart into the world of BIM.

Also over the course of the day we will supplement the general project activities with a series of short break out sessions on topics such as visualisation, parametric modelling and dynamic views.

Instructors at the workshop will include: Stuart Milne, Bogdan Wasylkiw, Jim Barr and Rob Snyder from Bentley Systems and Robert Klaschka and Ian Lapper from the BCUKI. |
1300-1400	Lunch
1400-1700	Bring a project workshop continues
1900-1930	Pre-Dinner Reception
1930	Dinner

Day 2 Agenda

Bentley Community (UKI), Friday 26th February

0830-0915	Registration with tea and coffee
0915-0930	Welcome and Introduction with Robert Klaschka
0930-1015	Keynote, Mervyn Richards, Constructing Excellence Avanti Project A hard hitting, discourse on collaborative working and BIM today, outlining some of the lessons learnt, with historical precedents from the many projects he has been involved with. For anyone considering BIM or collaboration this is a must see talk.
1020-1100	Integrated Product Update, Jim Barr from Bentley Systems US One can't have failed to notice the large number of software acquisitions that Bentley Systems have made many of which extend the capability of the core building products. For this talk we have invited Jim to give a strategic overview of how these new products integrate with the existing major consultant roles.
1100-1120	Exhibition and Refreshments
1120-1200	Dataset Masterclass - Volker Thein, Bentley Systems UK The dataset and customisations made to it stand at the centre of each of the Building products. In this revealing discussion Volker covers the core components of the dataset and takes you through the process of an office set-up.
1205-1245	Project Explorer Masterclass, Ian Lapper, F1 CAD Services With a rapidly increasing feature set Project Explorer has quickly become the fastest most efficient way to handle, and integrate your project model data. In his update Ian will cover a broad overview of this interface and detail some of the most recent updates.
1245-1400	Lunch
1400-1440	The Stone Towers, Chris Lepine, Zaha Hadid Architects This talk focuses around a pair of projects. The Stone Towers, Cairo is a business park with mixed use facilities including retail and a 5 star hotel. Then the Signature Towers, Dubai. Chris has headed the implementation of 3D Microstation in Hadid's office. The talk will include a discussion of interoperability with Rhino and Maya and explore approaches to getting a team working together quickly in a complex 3D environment.
1445-1525	Project Work-flow Masterclass, Robert Klaschka, Markland Klaschka A+D In this inception to delivery presentation Robert will discuss in detail the work-flow that has emerged for authoring, documentation and output of the project model. The talk will focus on the use of Bentley Architecture and cover dynamic views, the new drawing model type and new output approaches. It will also have a brief discussion of new features in Bentley Architecture SS1.
1525-1545	Exhibition and Refreshments
1545-1625	i-Models and Projectwise Navigator, Stuart Milne, Bentley Systems Completing the day Stuart provides an exciting look into the new powerful uses of i-models in the context of compression, business and graphical data, review and mark-up, and clash detection within Projectwise Navigator.
1630-1710	Panel Discussion and Questions
1710-1730	Wrap up and prize draw with Robert Klaschka