48 Hour Design Challenge

**Dates**
Midday Friday 1 July to midday Sunday 3 July 2011

**Award Ceremony**
Sunday 3 July 2011, early evening (time and venue to be confirmed)

**Who**
The 48 Hour Design Challenge is a team challenge open to all members of NZ Registered Institutes.

**Mission**
To engage with the local design and development community in a meaningful way through a timed design challenge that encourages quick and innovative ideas to inspire the Central City Plan and to enable emerging themes to be tested in real design scenarios.

**Location**
School of Landscape Architecture, Lincoln University

**How**
Teams of seven will be given a project brief for one site in the Central City and a 48 hour deadline to put their best plan forward. Projects will be judged based on criteria developed by the Central City Plan team. This will include: incorporation of public space, green building elements, seismic stability, economic feasibility, etc. Site visits will be organised for Friday 1 July, pending ability to enter into the Red Zone.

**Competition Outline**
- 5 Central City Sites
- 20 Teams
- 140 Participants
- 48 Hours
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Competition Rules
All event participants will be working together for the 48 hour period.

All meals, snacks, and non-alcoholic beverages will be provided to teams.

Flights to and from the event are the participants’ responsibility.

All 48 Hour Design Challenge related travel within Christchurch will be provided by the organiser for out of town teams. Please inform the organiser of team itineraries so transport can be booked in advance.

Each team will be provided with two computers with design software. If additional computers or laptops are required participants will need to bring their own.

The organiser will provide:
- Networked colour A4 and A3 printer and photocopiers
- Wide format printer and scanner paper
- Wireless internet connection
- Basic drawing supplies

All teams will be required to submit their scheme as a digital PowerPoint presentation for judging purposes. The organiser will provide USB memory sticks for each team to save their presentations.

No company names or team members names will be allowed on final presentations.

No external support is allowed during the Challenge.

Event Programme

Friday 1 July
9.30am Teams arrive to sign in and set up their work space.
11am Welcome and briefing on the Challenges
12noon 48 Hour Design Challenge Starts

Saturday 2 July
Teams continue to work on their challenges

Sunday 3 July
12noon 48 Hour Design Challenge Finishes
12.15pm Judging commences

An award ceremony and function will be held early evening. Time and venue to be confirmed.