

Goals, finalities and activities

AIAPP – Associazione Italiana Architettura del Paesaggio – represents since 1950 Italian professionals working in Landscape matters and gathers to date 600 adherents circa. Considering their different specialist competences, they are committed in ward, preservation and improvement of our Country landscape quality. Landscape Architecture is the professional discipline that deals with the analysis, design and management of outdoor environment and open spaces, from gardens to parks and large – scale landscapes. The Association is a member of both the International Federation of Landscape Architects (IFLA) and the European Foundation for Landscape Architecture (EFLA) and currently has approximately 540 members (link to AIAPP members) engaged in protecting, conserving, and improving the quality of Italian landscape. AIAPP evaluates applications for membership based education and professional experience according to European regulations. Association documents include a Statute, Regulations and Rules of Conduct. The holistic vision of EFLA demands it establishes, supports, and promotes the landscape architectural profession across Europe, contributing to an international discourse, shaping and disseminating European initiatives, facilitating the exchange of information, whilst promoting excellence in professional practice, education and research culminating in a culturally rich, diverse and sustainable Europe. The European Foundation named above deals in the promotion of the profession “Landscape Architect” in the European context. The representation of the profession at the European Union Public Institutions, among the Council of Europe and at the other pan European organizations as promoter of landscape policies, directives and agreements. Moreover it means to give an active structure of widespread information about the role of the landscape architect both inside and outside of his profession and, in particular, to guarantee high and comparable standards in education as well as in the professional practice according to EFLA declaration (Bruxelles, 1989) and IFLA (Banff, 2003) both dealing about the definition and the role of the profession of the Landscape Architect. Today, AIAPP, through the appointment of its own members and affiliates, is active in the diffusion of a more widespread and qualified knowledge of landscape discipline through professional education, specialist update, promotion of cultural activities and Landscape Architecture research. The AIAPP Section of Piedmont and Valle d’Aoste is currently one of the nine regional sections being part of the national AIAPP organism and, to date, is composed by about 50 members committed in landscape themes dealing about the same national targets. The activity and representation, with triennial season, is managed by the Section Chairman Council. The Piedmont section, according to the National Chairman Council and General Assembly, attends to some important roles deemed necessary for the prestige of the Association and the professional qualification of its members. These roles deal about information spreading and education in synergy with other Institutions. The quality of the activities lies in the ability of following the cultural and professional aims of its members and is frequently and by many acknowledged. The spreading activity is granted since 1998 by the bimestral review “Architettura del Paesaggio”, edited by Paysage editore. It is the first Italian review fully involved in landscape planning themes, made by and for professionals of this sector. It publishes several projects, from urban to great scale land planning; all of them linked to the profession of landscape architects.

Fig. 1 Santa Croce in Gerusalemme Monastery Garden, Roma - 2004 (Paolo Pejrone, ph. D. Lanzardo)
 Fig. 2 Environment Park Garden, Torino (TO) - 2004 (Gianluca Cosmacini con Davide Giachino)
 Fig. 3 Villa della Regina, Restoration of Gardens and Park (XVII-XVIII sec.), Torino (TO) - 2000-2006 (Federico Fontana, Renata Lodari)
 Fig. 4 Casino Barolo Garden, Torino - FLORMART AWARD, Padova 2009 (M. Minari, P. Mighetto con S. Fioravanzo, M. Vitale and A. Aires, F. Capitani)

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