

ABSTRACT

ALAM CIPTA seeks unpublished articles on research and practice matters in the field of sustainable tropical design. Interested authors are invited to submit their full manuscripts in the format stipulated in these guidelines. The guidelines include complete descriptions of the fonts, spacing, and related information for producing the manuscripts. Please follow them. All manuscripts must be in British or American English. Abstracts must not exceed 170 words / not including the guide for keywords.

1. INTRODUCTION

ALAM CIPTA seeks unpublished articles on research and practice matters in the field of sustainable tropical design. Interested authors are invited to submit articles in the following areas

Environmental Design Behaviour. Theory and applications related to the environment behavior in the natural and built environments. Research and practice in this area include, but are not limited to, human-environment and human-product interactions (such as behavioural studies of design organization and processes), human-computer interactions, perception and emotion studies, rural and urban social impacts of design, heritage conservation, and visual resource assessment and management in all product development disciplines.

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Environmental Design Integration. Theory and application related to research and practice activities throughout the product development lifecycle with

emphasis on the design phases that influence implementation and post-operational usage. They include, but are not limited to, multi- and trans-disciplinary research that integrates or affects multiple sustainability components. These could be social, economic and environmental. They include, but are not limited to, developing theories and applications for computer aided collaborative design, virtual reality, evolutionary design, etc.

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