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URBAN AGE CONFERENCE GOVERNING URBAN FUTURES

**DELHI, INDIA
14-15 NOVEMBER 2014**

Final conference programme



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In partnership with



National Institute of Urban Affairs

Friday, 14 November 2014

Location: Hyatt Regency, Delhi

08.45 to 09.15 WELCOME

Anshu Jain, Chairman of the Board of Trustees, Alfred Herrhausen Society and Co-CEO of Deutsche Bank

Craig Calhoun, President and Director, London School of Economics and Political Science

09.15 to 09.45 INAUGURAL ADDRESS

Greg Clark, Minister for Universities, Science and Cities, UK Government

09.45 to 10.00 OVERVIEW

Urban Age Conference: Governing Urban Futures

Ricky Burdett, Director, LSE Cities and Urban Age, LSE

10.00 to 10.45 SHAPING URBAN FUTURES

Chair: Ricky Burdett, Director, LSE Cities and Urban Age, LSE

PRESENTATIONS (15min each)

Towards a global agenda for urban development

Joan Clos, Executive Director, UN Habitat

Ungovernable urban complexity

Richard Sennett, Professor of Sociology, LSE and NYU

City institutions for an urban age

Ed Glaeser, Professor of Economics, Harvard University

10.45 to 11.15 COFFEE BREAK

11.15 to 11.30 KEYNOTE

Governing Tehran

Mohammad-Bagher Ghalibaf, Mayor of Tehran

11.30 to 13.00 URBANISING GOVERNMENT: DEVOLVING THE STATE

Co-Chairs: Jagan Shah, Director, National Institute of Urban Affairs and Andy Altman, Senior Visiting Fellow, LSE Cities

PRESENTATIONS (10min each)

A voice for Urban India: Decentralising governance

KC Sivaramakrishnan, Chair, Centre for Policy Research

Deciding who decides

Gerald Frug, Professor of Law, Harvard University

PANEL DISCUSSION (30min)

Charles Correa, Architect; **Hilmar von Lojewski**, Councillor for Urban Development, German Association of Cities; **Vijai Kapoor**, Lieutenant Governor of Delhi 1998 to 2004; **Wolfgang Schmidt**, State Secretary, City of Hamburg; **Meenakshi Lekhi**, Member of the Indian Parliament

OPEN DISCUSSION (30min)

13.00 to 14.00 LUNCH

14.00 to 15.30 INCLUSIVE GOVERNANCE: AGENCY AND DISADVANTAGE

Co-Chairs: Jo Beall, Director, Education and Society, British Council and Mukulika Banerjee, Associate Professor of Social Anthropology, LSE

PRESENTATIONS (10min each)

Understanding the choices of the urban poor

Abhijit Banerjee, Professor of Economics, MIT

Governance needs government: The case of African Cities

Sue Parnell, Professor, African Centre for Cities

Governing urban uncertainty

Austin Zeiderman, Assistant Professor of Urban Geography, LSE

PANEL DISCUSSION (30min)

Amita Baviskar, Associate Professor of Sociology, Institute of Economic Growth, Delhi; **Dunu Roy**, Director, Hazards Centre; **Adam Greenfield**, Senior Urban Fellow, LSE Cities; **Tikender Singh Panwar**, Deputy Mayor of Shimla

OPEN DISCUSSION (30min)

15.30 to 16.00 COFFEE BREAK

16.00 to 16.15 KEYNOTE

Urban governance – but at what scale?

Neil Brenner, Professor of Urban Theory, Harvard University

16.15 to 17.45 GOVERNING THROUGH PARTNERSHIPS

Co-Chairs: Andy Altman, Senior Visiting Fellow, LSE Cities and Partha Mukhopadhyay, Senior Research Fellow, Centre for Policy Research

PRESENTATIONS (10min each)

Investment and infrastructure in Urban India

Arun Nanda, Chairman, Mahindra Lifespace Developers Ltd.

Governing resilience through partnerships: 100 Resilient Cities Programme

Michael Berkowitz, Managing Director, 100 Resilient Cities, Rockefeller Foundation

Delivering innovation in urban governance: The Mayors Challenge

James Anderson, Director, Government Innovation Programs, Bloomberg Philanthropies

PANEL DISCUSSION (30min)

Ashwin Mahesh, Co-Founder, Mapunity; **Narinder Nayar**, Chairman, Bombay First; **Sanjay Sridhar**, Regional Director for South and West Asia, C40; **Sanjeev Sanyal**, Global Strategist, Deutsche Bank

OPEN DISCUSSION (30min)

17.45 END OF DAY ONE

19.30 DEUTSCHE BANK URBAN AGE AWARD CEREMONY

Location: Ambassador's Residence, German Embassy, 6/50 G, Shantipath, Chanakyapuri, Delhi

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09.00 to 09.15 DAY TWO INTRODUCTION: FROM GOVERNANCE TO PLANNING

Shaping urban futures: The divergent roles of urban governments

Philipp Rode, Executive Director, LSE Cities and Urban Age, LSE

09.15 to 10.45 GOVERNING LAND: MANAGING URBAN EXPANSION

Co-Chairs: Reuben Abraham, Chief Executive Officer and Senior Fellow, IDFC Institute and Michael Cohen, Professor of International Affairs, The New School

PRESENTATIONS (10min each)

The exponential growth in urban land

Karen C. Seto, Professor of Geography and Urbanization, Yale University

Land markets in India

Arvind Panagariya, Professor of Economics, Columbia University

The Land question

Ananya Roy, Professor of City and Regional Planning, University of California, Berkeley

Governing urban expansion in India and China

Solomon Benjamin, Associate Professor, IIT Madras

OPEN DISCUSSION (50min)

10.45 to 11.15 COFFEE BREAK

11.15 to 11.30 KEYNOTE

Who owns the city?

Saskia Sassen, Professor of Sociology, Columbia University

11.30 to 13.00 STRATEGIC INFRASTRUCTURE: FUTURES BY DESIGN

Co-Chairs: Philipp Rode, Executive Director, LSE Cities and Urban Age, LSE and José Castillo, Principal, Arquitectura 911 sc, Mexico City

PRESENTATIONS (5min each) AND OPEN DISCUSSION (20min)

New York's Regional Rail: Overcoming the metropolitan dilemma?

Thomas K. Wright, Executive Director, Regional Plan Association, New York

The Delhi-Mumbai Industrial Corridor: Creating location

Amitabh Kant, Secretary for Industrial Policy, India and Chairman, Delhi-Mumbai Industrial Corridor Development Corporation

PRESENTATIONS (5min each) AND OPEN DISCUSSION (20min)

Post-Sandy Rebuilding: Connecting infrastructures and re-design

Henk Ovink, Senior Advisor, Hurricane Sandy Rebuilding Task Force

London's strategic infrastructure: What's best for London?

Ricky Burdett, Director, LSE Cities and Urban Age, LSE

PRESENTATIONS (5min each) AND OPEN DISCUSSION (20min)

Mumbai's flyovers, sealinks and freeways: Mobility or mayhem?

Madhav Pai, Director, EMBARQ India

The Delhi BRT Experience: 1994 to 2014

Geetam Tiwari, Professor of Transport Planning, IIT Delhi

13.00 to 14.00 LUNCH

14.00 to 15.40 URBAN LEADERS' ROUND TABLE

Co-Chairs: Ricky Burdett, Director, LSE Cities and Urban Age, LSE and Sue Parnell, Professor, African Centre for Cities

PRESENTATIONS AND PANEL DISCUSSION

Babatunde Fashola, Governor of Lagos

Pravin Gordhan, Minister of Cooperative Governance, South Africa

Enrique Peñalosa, Mayor of Bogotá 1998-2001

Anthony Williams, Mayor of Washington D.C. 1999-2007

Sheila Dikshit, Chief Minister of Delhi 1998-2013

15.40 to 16.00 COFFEE BREAK

16.00 to 17.45 GOVERNING INDIA'S FUTURE: ARE CITIES GETTING SMARTER?

Co-Chairs: Darryl D'Monte, Journalist, Mumbai and Ananya Roy, Professor of Urban Planning, University of California, Berkeley

PRESENTATIONS (10min each)

Better growth, better climate, better cities

Isher Ahluwalia, Chair, Indian Council for Research on International Economic Relations

Addressing the many exclusions of the urban poor

Harsh Mander, Director, Centre for Equity Studies

A five-step plan for improving urban governance in India

Ireena Vittal, Strategic Consultant, Delhi

Policies for India's Urban Future: The 100 Smart Cities Programme

Shankar Aggarwal, Secretary for Urban Development, India

PANEL DISCUSSION (60min)

Jagan Shah, Director, National Institute of Urban Affairs; **Gerald Frug**, Professor of Law, Harvard University; **Anumita Roychowdhury**, Executive Director Research and Advocacy, Centre for Science and Environment; **Richard Sennett**, Professor of Sociology, LSE and NYU

17.45 to 18.00 CLOSING REMARKS

Thomas Matussek, Managing Director, Alfred Herrhausen Society

18.00 END OF CONFERENCE