



# Join the World Bank at the World Urban Forum

## Feb 9, 2020 | Abu Dhabi, UAE

**World Bank Participation**

Session	Time	Venue	Organizer
Financing the Urban Future: Leveraging Private Investments for Innovative Urban Projects	12:30 - 1:30 pm	Hall 2 Room 7	BMZ (German Ministry for Econ Coop & Dev)
Towards a new urban culture in Tunisia: advancing inclusive urban policies from the gender, migration and decentralization perspectives	1 - 2 pm	Voices from Cities Room A	Cities Alliance
Urban Researchers Roundtable	1:30 - 4 pm	Hall 4 Room C	UN-Habitat
Cities in the world: Towards a new perspective on urbanization and urban policy	2 - 2:45 pm	Urban Library	OECD
Special Session: Sustainable Urban Development in MENA	2 - 4 pm	Hall 4 Room C	UN-Habitat
Making cities resilient beyond 2020	2 - 4 pm	HALL 2 Room 9	UNDRR
Beyond the Metropolis: Innovative tools for managing the Megapolis	2 - 4 pm	HALL 3 Room 13	L'Institut Paris Region
Building the future urban world: Construction materials as the link between tradition and innovation	2 - 4 pm	Hall 2 Room 3	BMZ (German Ministry for Econ Coop & Dev)
Asia-Pacific Mayors' Academy on Sustainable Urban Development	2 - 4:30 pm	Capital Suite 17 (SC17)	UN-Habitat
Roundtable on business and industry	4:30 - 7 pm	Hall 4 Room B	UN-Habitat
Special Session: Urban Culture and Climate Change Action	4:30 - 6:30 pm	Hall 4 Room D	UN-Habitat
Innovative partnerships and financing for urban regeneration	4:30 - 6:30 pm	Hall 2 Room 10	Woodrow Wilson Center
Delivering Sustainable Urbanization and Development in the Commonwealth	4:30 - 6:30 pm	Hall 2 Room 8	Rwanda Ministry of Infrastructure
International launch of PlacemakingX: expanding the global network for community-powered public spaces	4:30 - 6:30 pm	Hall 2 Room 9	Placemaking US

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## Feb 10, 2020 | Abu Dhabi, UAE

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Session	Time	Venue	Organizer
Dialogue 2: Implementing the New Urban Agenda to Drive Sustainable Change	9 am - 12 pm	ICC4	UN-Habitat
Future of Asian & Pacific Cities Report 2019 launch	10 - 11:00 am	Urban Library	UNESCAP
Presentation of Zero Slums Program: toward better urbanization leading to economic growth	12:30 - 1:30 pm	Hall 2 Room 6	Djibouti Ministry of Housing
Ganga: Reconnecting River, City and People	12:30 - 1:30 pm	Hall 3 Room 14	India Ministry of Water, Dept of Water Resources, River Dev and Ganga Rejuvenation
Local strategies for financing local actions	12:45 - 1:45 pm	Voices from Cities Room A	UCLG Africa
One UN Dialogue Special Session: Sustainable Urban Development, UN Reform and Agenda 2030	1:30 - 4 pm	Hall 4 Room A	UN-Habitat
Towards a more equal city: engaging changemakers in transforming cities	2 - 4 pm	Hall 2 Room 4	World Resources Institute
Art, Culture and Design in Creating City Vibrancy and Strong Communities	2 - 4 pm	Hall 2 Room 5	Kuala Lumpur City Government
Special Session: Financing for sustainable urban development	4:30 - 6:30 pm	Hall 4 Room C	UN-Habitat
Special Session: Culture, the creative industry and their impact on urban reconstruction and resilience	4:30 - 6:30 pm	Hall 4 Room D	UN-Habitat
Supporting the formulation and implementation of territorial/spatial plans through multilateral collaboration: Pilot programs of Spatial Planning Platform (SPP) in Cambodia, Mongolia, and Myanmar	4:30 - 6:30 pm	Hall 3 Room 15	MLIT (Japan) + Spatial Planning Platform Secretariat

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## Feb 11, 2020 | Abu Dhabi, UAE

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Session	Time	Venue	Organizer
Reconceptualizing and responding to urban crises: researcher-practitioner reflections on innovation, culture and transformative urban practices	12:30 - 1:30 pm	Hall 3 Room 16	Global Alliance for Urban Crises
Guidance for Responding to Displacement in Urban Areas: A collaboration between UNHCR and UN-Habitat	12:30 - 2:00 pm	Hall 3 Room 13	UNHCR
International dialogue on Sustainable tourism: Role of creative innovation and cultural heritage in sustainable urban economies	1:50 - 2:40 pm	TBC	Moscow City Government
Urban performance tool in Palestine	2 - 4 pm	Hall 2 Room 2	CAPSUS
Unique, high-impact and investible proposition of affordable housing in Urban Africa and Asia	2 - 4 pm	Hall 2 Room 6	SIDA
Asia-Pacific Mayors' Academy on Sustainable Urban Development	4:30 - 6:30 pm	Capital Suite 17 (SC17)	UN-Habitat
Funding innovation: self-reliance at the local level through own-source revenue	4:30 - 6:30 pm	Hall 2 Room 6	USAID
Public Space in the New Urban Agenda: New Research Findings, Strategies, and Tools; Research into Practice for Pilot Projects.	4:30 - 6:30 pm	Hall 2 Room 4	Centre for the Future of Places, KTH Royal Institute of Technology (Sweden)
Opportunities for Innovative Financing to Accelerate City Progress on the SDGs: The Investors' Perspective	4:30 - 6:30 pm	Hall 3 Room 19	Brookings
Property rights, culture and context (women's property rights / Stand for Her land / Solid Ground)	4:30 - 6:30 pm	Hall 3 Room 18	IHC Global

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# Join the World Bank at the World Urban Forum

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Session	Time	Venue	Organizer
Dialogue 5: Planning and Urban Heritage Preservation and Regeneration	9 am - 12 pm	ICC 1	UN-Habitat
SDGs in Action: Innovative national and local urban policies to achieve SDGs and implement the New Urban Agenda	10:15 - 11:15 am	SDGs in Action (Hall 5)	Brazil Ministry of Regional Development
A Finance Alliance to project preparation: How to transform ideas into bankable projects	12:30 - 1:30pm	Hall 2 Room 8	Climate Policy Initiative / CCFLA
Side event on Climate and Disaster Risk Assessments in Data-Scarce Cities	12:30-1:30 pm	Hall 2 Room 9	AECOM
Challenges and opportunities of migration for the development of smart and sustainable cities	12:30 - 1:30 pm	Hall 3 Room 15	UNDP + UN-H + National U / Central U / Colombia + U of Andes Venezuela
Using integrated planning to foster inclusive communities: how refugee and host community integration can strengthen communities and inform global sustainable development agendas	12:30 - 2 pm	Hall 2 Room 4	UNHCR
Launch of UN-Habitat flagship report on urban migration (Inclusive cities: Enhancing the positive impact of urban migration)	1 - 2 pm	UN-Habitat booth	UN-Habitat
<b>Special Session: Affordable Housing Innovation to Foster Cities' Culture and Diversity</b>	2 - 4 pm	Hall 4 Room C	UN-Habitat
Building global innovation platforms: regionally adapted expressions of the successful Urban Housing Practitioners Hub	2 - 4 pm	Hall 2, Room 7	Habitat for Humanity
<b>Special Session: Land governance and urban growth: Leveraging land value to achieve sustainable urbanization</b>	4:30 - 6:30 pm	Hall 4 Room C	UN-Habitat
Localizing global agendas – the case of collaborative climate action	4:30 - 6:30 pm	Hall 2 Room 3	GIZ
Affordable housing finance	4:30 – 6:30 pm	Hall 3 Room 14	Reall UK
Making room for urban growth: understanding the anatomy of density	4:30 - 6:30 pm	Hall 2 Room 2	NYU
Let's start with streets: A Step-by-Step Guide for Cities	4:30 - 6:30 pm	Hall 2 Room 8	UN-Habitat
Planning social housing: Challenges for sustainable urban development	4:30 - 6:30 pm	Hall 2 Room 7	Brazil Ministry of Regional Dev
Social & urban integration: sharing Buenos Aires' experience in Barrio 31	6 - 7 pm	Voices from Cities Room B	Buenos Aires City

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