



Event Details

Title of Event

Heritage & Culture-led development – A paradigm shift towards Sustainable Architecture

Organization Details

Organization: INTERNATIONAL UNION OF ARCHITECTS (UIA)

Organization Country: France

Summary

Current cities are expanding in a way that ignore the risks and thereby intensify the vulnerabilities. The short-term political cycles or short-sighted economic motives do not prioritize the preservation of cultural heritage in current urban development schemes. The networking event is divided in two parts. In 1st part our architect speakers will talk about the experience of new ideas from diverse cultural, ethnic and religious background. The African Union of Architects, (AUA) and International Union of Architect (UIA) will jointly host it. The 5 Researchers, Academicians & Practicing architects will speak 6-7 minutes on their experiences & research on the new urban solutions. The floor will be open for interactive discussion for 20 minutes. 1st part, will focus on how to address sustainable architecture at this challenging intersection of cultural heritage and innovation. Culture is the asset of the society – art, belief, capabilities, habit, moral and behavior. In this process the preservation of people's lives, livelihood and cultural heritage has to be placed at the centre of our imagination. Architects and urban Designers have to meet these challenges by introducing new ideas of Heritage and culture inclusive urban solutions. In the 2nd part there will be a round table panel discussion among the partners from other stakeholder group in the profession, in search of a solution on the conflicting grounds of market driven development and preservation of Cultural heritage. Underlying Profit motive of market economy often undermines the value of culture, consequently creating cultural conflicts and disregards any potential discourse that comes with. Architects and other allied urban professionals play a vital role in designing and implementing any urban development. Thus to make it culture led and Sustainable, an immediate cross stake holders discourse is imperative. In this regard, in the 2nd part, discussants from multiple stakeholders will speak as a panel. International Union of Architects (UIA), IFLA & CSU will jointly host the event. A high level moderator from UIA will moderate the 60 min session with 5 panelists from ISOCARP, IHFP, IFLA, CSU, UN Youth Group and end with a Q & A session. The panel will scrutinize how to implement the effective long term urban development policies that tackles the profit motive while mitigating challenges of rapid urbanization that threatens to alienate culture and society in any urban settlement. Finally, we look for a quality based, heritage & culture led urban development model.

Other Organization name

International Union Architects [UIA], African Union of Architects [AUA], Consortium of Sustainable Urbanization[CSU], International Federation of Landscape Architects [IFLA]

Prospective moderator, speaker(s) or panelist(s)

	First Name	Last Name	Role	Organization
1	Thomas	Vonier	President/ Modaretor	Intetnational Union of Architects[UIA]
2	Lance jay	Brown	President/ panelist	Consortium of Sustainable Urbanization[CSU]
3	James	Hayter	president/ panelist	International Federation of Landscape Architects [IFLA]
4	Regitze Marriane	Hess	Director: International Affairs/ panelist	International federation for housing & planning (IFHP)
5	Katsu	Nil	Regional Focal Point/ panelist / panelist	UNMGCY - UN Youth group
6	Martin	Dubbeling	President/ Panelist	International Society for City and Regional PlanningI [SOCARP]
7	Martin	Bacot	Speaker	ARCHIPAT
8	Per Anold	Anderson	Special Advisor/ Speaker	Velux
9	Kathy	Dorgan, FAIA	Speaker	American Institute of Architects , AIA
10	Dr Annette	Condello	Sr. Lecturer / Speaker	Curtin University, Perth, Australia
11	Emma	Miloyo	Past President/ Speaker	Architects Association of Kenya [AAK]
12	Md. Ishtiaque	Zahir	Modarator	UIA
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