

Side Event Details

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Organization Details

Partner Type	Civil Society Organization
Organization	American institute of architects (usa)
Organization Country	United States of America

Event Details

Title of event	Aia/ hud secretary awards: housing and community development strategies for achieving the un habitat sustainable development goals in the us
Description	This panel session will begin with a presentation of award-winning housing and community development initiatives that will be followed by an interactive discussion focusing on sustainable housing and community development that is inclusive, safe, and resilient. Additionally, panelists will explore how developments respond to local conditions across multiple geographic, social, and economic contexts. They will explore the role of the arts, equity and participation in achieving excellence. Three of the projects presented will be used as case studies of cost-effective strategies suitable to a variety of economic and social contexts.

Summary For the past twenty years the American Institute of Architects and the US Department of Housing and Urban Development have collaborated on an awards program designed to identify the best designed innovative projects that meet the social, economic, and environmental requirements of low-income families and communities. Strategies employed by awardees include celebrating local culture, energy-efficiency, sustainability, self-help, and prefabrication. Speakers will provide an overview of the awards program and lessons learned, focusing on case studies of projects that address objectives established in the UN Habitat Sustainable Development Goals: eliminating poverty, protecting quality-of-life, and reducing carbon emissions.

- 1) The Alley Project - Detroit Collaborative Design Center, Detroit, Michigan. The Alley Project transformed a neighborhood alley and surrounding vacant lots into an inspirational graffiti art gallery that connects neighbors and youth to each other as well as to community assets. This collaborative design process resulted in spaces and design elements that reflect the neighborhood's identity and vibrancy, embodied in a well-used community hub for creative programming and ongoing collaboration. This project has made the community safer and healthier for women and children and assisted in building social capital.
- 2) Williams Terrace, Charleston, South Carolina - David Baker Architects. Williams Terrace replaces an older development that sustained damage from Hurricane Hugo. This project was specifically planned as housing for low-income seniors. The project team incorporated numerous resilient environmentally sustainable elements into the building and the surrounding community that protect the property and residents in the event of another condition of stress. This project demonstrates how affordable housing design can promote equitable development and proves that good design is not exclusive to higher-income community projects.
- 3) IFF Access Housing, Chicago, Illinois - Landon Bone Baker Architects. In Illinois, a disproportionate number of low-income disabled persons live in institutions because they lack community-based accessible housing alternatives. The IFF Access Housing project's goal is to preserve

affordable housing while creating accessible options for people with disabilities to live independently. What sets this project apart is its human focus and scale. Rather than concentrating people with disabilities in a single site, access housing gives people the opportunity to thrive in attractive homes that blend into communities of their choosing. The session will conclude with a discussion of strategies for implementing the new urban agenda through the engagement of design professionals.

Key Objectives	This session will provide participants with: 1) an overview of the aia/hud secretary awards and their role in achieving sustainable development goals 2) knowledge of the best practices in housing and community development in the us 3) understanding of varying national strategies and the role of design professionals in these strategies 4) discussion about advancing the sustainable development goals in each participant's community
Dialogue Themes	Urbanization, Culture and Innovation, Tradition and Modernity: A Creative Convergence for Better Cities
How relevant to WUF10	This session directly addresses the wuf theme: cities of opportunities: connecting culture and innovation. It will touch on issues from many of the dialogs including dialog 1: urbanization, culture and innovation addressing projects that respond to the cultural diversity of their communities. Many of the wuf10 key action areas will be addressed including: 1) innovative urban housing solutions 2) building human and social capital to build a sustainable urban future through collaboration and community building in cooperative housing
Promote strategy	This event will be promoted by the notification on the hud, aia and associated websites; emailing the members of the participants' email lists; outreach to hud and aia 's civil society partners and ministry counterparts; and a joint press release. Professional learning credits will be provided to further encourage participation.
Monitor strategy	Each participant will be connected to international, regional and local cooperative housing initiatives. This event will have a sign-in sheet that will provide an opportunity for participants to request follow up on topics or questions from

each of the panelists. Each participant will receive access to resources they can use when they return to their work.

Other Organization involved	Yes
Other Organization name	Us department of housing and urban development
Main Language	English
Requires Interpretation	No
Interpretation Language	
Requires Catering	No
Previous events	WUF 9, Habitat III

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

	First Name	Last Name	Role	Organization
1	Kathleen	Dorgan	Moderator	American institute of architects/ dorgan architecture & planning
2	Etty	Padmodipoetro	Panelist	American institute of architects/ urban ideas lab
3	Seth	Appleton	Panelist	Us department of housing and urban development, assistant secretary
4	Lisa	Richmond	Panelist	American institute of architects, seattle executive director
5	Regina	Gray	Panelist	Us department of housing and urban development
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