



Call for papers

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Thematic

Urban Accessibility for more egalitarian cities

How cities, towns, and villages are planned and managed in order to fulfill their role as drivers of sustainable development, and hence shape the implementation of new global development and climate change goals.

Topics to be addressed:

1. Urban infrastructure and Basic Services, including energy
2. Transport and Mobility
3. Urban Housing
4. Smart Cities
5. Informal Settlements
6. Urban Accessibility

More information:

<http://uni.unhabitat.org/thematic-hubs/urban-mobility/>

Contributions are received for the following sections:

Article, Opinion, From the classroom, reviews

We look forward to your contributions!

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Habitat III is the first United Nations global summit after the adoption of the [2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development and the Sustainable Development Goals and was held in October 2016 in Quito, Ecuador](#). It offered a unique opportunity to discuss the important challenge of how cities, towns, and villages are planned and managed in order to fulfill their role as drivers of sustainable development, and hence shape the implementation of new global development and climate change goals.

One of the recognitions made is that the growing *"inequality and the persistence of multiple dimensions of poverty, including the rising number of slum and informal-settlement dwellers, are affecting both developed and developing countries, and that the spatial organization, accessibility and design of urban space, as well as infrastructure and basic service provision, together with development policies, can promote or hinder social cohesion, equality and inclusion"* (UN-Habitat, 2016, p. 6)

The issues papers were prepared by the UN Task Team on Habitat III and summarize one or more research areas, highlight general findings, and identify research needs on topics related to housing and sustainable urban development.

The Issue Papers provide an-depth review and analysis of specific issues relevant to the discussions of the Conference.

The **Urban Management Masters** from the Universidad Piloto de Colombia and the virtual journal **Papeles de Coyuntura** (ISSN: 1900-0324) as well as the Accessibility Hub from Habitat UN Partnership, invites city managers, researchers, students, graduates and other professionals interested in urban management that have a particular interest with subjects related with Urban Housing and Basic Services and Urban Accessibility to present articles to the call of papers No. 43.

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