

Unlocking the Potential of Local Leadership for Sustainable Urban Development

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Summary

The New Urban Agenda (NUA), laying out the vision for sustainable cities and human settlements for all, was adopted at the Habitat III held in Quito. In line with the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development (UN SDGs), the New Urban Agenda (NUA) emphasizes the significant role of cities for sustainable urban development, as a great deal of the action required is to be taken at the local level.

Against this backdrop, this Session will discuss how to facilitate cities in implementing the NUA and the SDGs, and feature sustainable urban policy examples on urban planning and regeneration, environment, financing etc., and explore opportunities for city-to-city cooperation to support the implementation of Global Agendas.

Programme

Introduction of the Session

- Moderator: Ms. Milag San Jose-Ballesteros
Regional Director for Southeast Asia and Oceania of C40 Cities Climate Leadership Group

Presentation

- Mr. YBhg. Datuk Hj. Mahadi bin Che Ngah
Deputy Mayor of Kuala Lumpur
- Mr. Jeongcheol Shin
Director of Global Urban Partnership Division, Seoul Metropolitan Government
- Dr. Aisa Tobing
Head of Governance Commission of Jakarta Research Council
- Dr. Sangbum Kim
CityNet Deputy Secretary General, former Vice Mayor of Seoul
- Mr. Thomas Hagedorn
Capacity Development Advisor of Cities Development Initiative for Asia

Panel Discussion

Q&A

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