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PROGRAMME

HABITAT III THEMATIC MEETING ON PUBLIC SPACES

4-5 April 2016
Historic Building of the University of Barcelona

SUNDAY 3 APRIL

15:00 – 19:00 **Urban Study Visits**
All over the city

MONDAY 4 APRIL

08:00 Registration

08:00 – 09:30 **SIDE EVENTS**
Rooms: Seminary Main Meeting Room, Aula Magna and Chapel

09:30 – 10:00 **OPENING CEREMONY**

- Dr Joan Clos, Secretary-General Habitat III
- Ms Ada Colau, Mayor of Barcelona

Room: Paranimf Hall

10:00 – 11:30 **PLENARY SESSION 1**
A New Urban Agenda for combating inequalities: claiming for public spaces and a city for all.

- Adriano Gomes Ferreira, Mayor of the City of Bissau
- Jonathan Viera, Government of Ecuador
- Josep Roig, Secretary-General of UCLG



- Ana Falu, Universidad de Corboba, Argentina
- Augusto Barrera, Director of FLACSO
- Alison Brown, University of Cardiff

Moderator: Joan Subirats, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona

Room: Paranimf Hall

11.30 – 13:00

THEMATIC SESSION

Urban planning for sharing public spaces, sharing common goods.

- Pietro Garau, Istituto Nazionale di Urbanistica (INU), Italy
- Maria Buhigas, Urban Facts
- Agustin Hernandez Aja, Universidad Politécnica Madrid
- Didier Vancutsem, ISOCARP
- Patrick Lamson-Hall, New York University

Moderator: Ricard Goma, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona

Room: Paranimf Hall

11:30 – 13:00

THEMATIC SESSION

**Public leadership, citizens and the right to the city.
Open spaces vs Gated communities**

- Gustave Massiah, AITEC, Paris
- Hirotaka Koike, UN Major Group Children and Youth
- Itziar Gonzalez, Parlament Ciutadà
- Laura Capobianco, UN-Women
- Oscar Fergutz, Avina Foundation

Moderator: Laura Perez, Councillor City of Barcelona

Room: Aula Magna

13:00 – 14:30

Lunch time

13:00 – 14:30

SIDE EVENTS

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13:00 – 14:30

URBAN JOURNALISM ACADEMY

- Joan Clos, Secretary-General Habitat III
- Francesca Perry, The Guardian Cities
- El País – Planeta Future

Moderator: Simone d'Antonio, journalist

Room: Graus 2 Room

13:30 – 14:30

**PRESENTATION of the Monitoring Global Urban Expansion:
The Quality of Urban Footprints**



"Public Spaces as Prerequisites for Sustainable Urban Expansion"

- Dr Joan Clos, Secretary-General Habitat III
- Mr. Chernet Filate, Deputy City Manager of Hawassa and Head of the Urban Plan Preparation and Monitoring Department
- Patrick Lamson-Hall, New York University
- Manuel Madrid, Gvsig

Moderator: Eduardo Moreno, UN-Habitat

Room: Paranimf Hall

14:30 – 16:00

PLENARY SESSION 2

Housing and its extension in the public space.

- Lorena Zarate, President Habitat International Coalition
- Aldredo Rodriguez, Director SUR, Chile
- Patrick Braouezec, President de Plaine Commune Paris (tbc)
- Josep Maria Muntaner, Housing Councillor Barcelona

Moderator: Sergi Picazo, journalist

Room: Paranimf Hall

16:00 – 17:30

THEMATIC SESSION

Housing as a tool for urban upgrading.

- Nicolas Gharbi, European Commission, General Manager for Regional and Urban Policy
- Kathrin Gold, Architect, Pongratz
- Joan Subirats, Universitat Autònoma de Barcelona
- Ángela de la Cruz, Deputy Managing Director, Ministry of Public Works and Housing, Spain

Room: Paranimf Hall

16:00 – 17:30

THEMATIC SESSION

Right to housing and social production of the habitat.

- Bahram Ghazi, Office of the High Commissioner for Human Rights (OHCHR)
- Carlos Macias Caparros, Plataforma d'Afectats per la Hipoteca (PAH)
- Teresa Boccia, Università degli Studi di Napoli Federico II (UNINA)
- Raquel Rodriguez, Universidad Politécnica de Madrid

Room: Aula Magna

17:30 – 19:00

SIDE EVENTS

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TUESDAY 5 APRIL

08:30 – 10:00

SIDE EVENTS

Rooms: Seminary Meeting Room, Aula Magna and Chapel

10:00 – 11:30

PLENARY SESSION 3

Public Space and Mobility.

- Nadime Amparo Yaver, Defensoria Espacio Publico, City of Bogota
- Christophe Nadjovski, Transport and Public Space, City of Paris (tbc)
- Tina Wagner, Head of Transport and Infrastructure Development, Hamburg (tbc)
- Gino Van Begin, Secretary-General ICLEI
- Mr Costly Chanza, Director of Planning, City of Blantyre
- Salvador Rueda, Director Bcn Ecologia, Barcelona

Room: Paranimf Hall

11:30 – 13:00

THEMATIC SESSION

The right to mobility. For a more sustainable urban mobility.

- Maria del Pilar Tellez, Director Observatorio Metropolitano Colombia
- Ricard Font, Secretary of Territory and Mobility, Government of Catalonia
- Mark Nieuwenhuijsen, Head Researcher CREAL
- Sergio Porta, Director Urban Design Studies University of Strathclyde, Glasgow

Moderator: Yunus Arikan, Head of Global Policy and Advocacy Director, ICLEI

Room: Paranimf Hall

11:30 – 13:00

THEMATIC SESSION

Urban design for more human and safer public spaces.

- Laura Petrella, UN-Habitat
- Peter Elmund, Future of Places, Director Urban City Research Ax:ess Foundation
- Kathryn Travers, Women in Cities International (WICI)
- Guy Fleuret, Manager Director Transport and Urban Development, Union for the Mediterranean
- Josep Bohigas, Barcelona Regional

Room: Aula Magna

13:00 – 14:30

Lunch time

13:00 – 14:30

SIDE EVENTS

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14:30 – 16:00

PLENARY SESSION 4
Production, Exchange and Public Space.

- Cezar Busatto, City of Porto Alegre
- Richard Dobson, Warwick Markets, South Africa
- Françoise Labbé, Cities and Forms, France
- Maria Antonieta Pinto Lopes d'Alba, Government of Guinea-Bissau
- Giovanni Allegretti, Architect, planner and senior researcher at the Centre for Social Studies of the Coimbra University

Moderator: Oriol Nel.lo, geographer

Room: Paranimf Hall

16:00 – 17:30

THEMATIC SESSION
Sustainable production and fair consumption.

- Joyoti Das, World Vision
- Ioana Popp, International Organization for Migration (IOM)
- Ivan Miro, Director Xarxa Economica Solidaria
- Ishag Aagib, Government of Sudan

Moderator: Sara Hoeflich, UCLG Programme Manager

Room: Paranimf Hall

16:00 – 17:30

THEMATIC SESSION
Agoras: democratization of culture and education.

- Marina Canals, International Association of Educating Cities
- Francisco Bandarin, Assistant Director General for Culture, UNESCO
- Maryam Hariri, Project Manager at New York City Department of City Planning
- Ann Wanjiru, Coordinator Mathare Mother Development Center
- Ms Rosa Pavanelli, General Secretary of Public Services International

Room: Aula Magna

17.30 – 18:30

FINAL PLENARY SESSION
How democracy ensures access to public space and the right to the city?

- Esther Madeleine Leblanc, Coordinator Right to the City, City of Sao Paulo
- Puvendra Akkiah, City of Durban
- Sri Sofjan, Huairou Commission
- Joan Balanach, FAVB



- Mr Dimitri Roussopoulos, Montreal Charter

Moderator: Mireia Belil, General Manager Forum Foundation

Room: Paranimf Hall

18:30 – 19:00

CLOSING CEREMONY AND PRESENTATION OF THE BARCELONA DECLARATION

- Kumaresh Misra, Deputy-Secretary-General Habitat III Secretariat
- Gerardo Pisarello, First Deputy Mayor of Labour, Strategic Planning and Economy, City of Barcelona
- Janet Sanz, Forth Deputy Mayor of Ecology, Urbanism and Mobility, City of Barcelona

Room: Paranimf Hall

WEDNESDAY 6 APRIL

9:30 – 13:00

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