

Caribbean Urban Forum 2018 Conference Agenda (21.5.18)

<i>DAY 1 - Wednesday 27th June 2018</i>			
8:00 am – 12:00 pm	Conference Sign in & Registration		
9:00 am – 10:00 am		Room: Business Meeting 1 CITYLAB CAR meeting (<i>closed</i>)	XXX
10:00 a.m. – 10:15 a.m.			
10:15 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.	XXX	Room: Business Meeting 1 CITYLAB CAR meeting (<i>closed</i>)	XXX Business meeting
12:00 pm. – 1:00 p.m.	LUNCH		
1:00 pm	Planning Tour: XXXX		
1:00 pm – 3:00 pm	Room: Business Meeting 2 <i>Caribbean Planners Association (CPA) Dialogue</i>	Room: Business Meeting 1 CITYLAB CAR meeting (<i>closed</i>)	Room: Business meeting 3 Caribbean Association of Local Government Authorities (closed)
3:00 pm – 3:15 pm	Coffee Break		
3:15 pm – 5:00 pm	Room: Business Meeting 2 <i>Caribbean Planners Association (CPA) Dialogue</i>	Room: Business Meeting 1 CITYLAB CAR meeting (<i>closed</i>)	Room: Business meeting Caribbean Association of Local Government Authorities/ FCM (open)
7:00 pm - 9:00 pm	OPENING CEREMONY		
END OF DAY 1			

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DAY 2 – Thursday 28th June 2018

<p>8:00 am – 9:15 am</p>	<p>Room: Sub-theme: Formal/Informal City Session Moderator: J. Lawton (University of Technology)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Strategies for reducing the disaster risks associated with informal settlements in Jamaica – Kimberly Burrowes (Urban Institute) An Institutional View on Legitimizing the Informal: The Case of Parish Councils and National Disaster Risk Management in Barbados - Kalim U. Shah (Indiana University) Enhancing Resiliency in the public, formal and informal residential context proposals. Case Study for Puerto Rico: Playita – Llorens – Laguna Communities, San Juan - Maria Estefania Barrios (University of Florida) 	<p>Room: Sub-theme: Design: Past, Present and Future Strategies Session Moderator: IADB</p> <p>IADB Panel 1: Transforming the IDB’s Emerging and Sustainable Cities Action Plans into Action: A Focus on Neighborhood Upgrading</p> <p><i>Panelists:</i> Gilberto Chona, Michael Donovan, Jesus Navarrete, Robin Rajack, Patricio Zambrano Barragán</p>	<p>Room: Sub-theme: Design: Past, Present and Future Strategies</p> <p>CITYLAB CAR Panel: Improving implementation of urban solutions using Problem Based Learning</p> <p>Session Moderator: Maj-Britt Quitzau (University of Aalborg)</p>
<p>9:15 am – 10:30 am</p>	<p>Room: Sub-theme: Design: Past, Present and Future Strategies Session Moderator: Patricia Green (University of Technology, Jamaica)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Designing the Informal within Kingston, Jamaica - Toni- Ann Reid (National Environment and Planning Agency) Démarches et acteurs de l’habitat informel en Guyane française – enjeux et perspectives – Justine Audrain (Etablissement Public Foncier et d’Aménagement de la Guyane) The reconstruction of informal settlements after hurricane María - Edwin R Quiles Rodríguez, Elio Martínez Joffre and Rafael Reyes Navarro (Co-founders Taller Arquitectura Comunitaria) 	<p>Room: Panel discussion: Transitional Urbanism in Ayiti: Law, Decentralization & (In)Formality Session Moderator:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Rationalizing Haiti’s Urbanisme Laws – Dominique Sanon Urbanisme in <i>Ayiti</i>: Diffusion, Decentralization & Disaster - Sophonie Milande Joseph Le déclin et l’informalité/formalité urbains en questions / Transnational Urbanisms Crossroads : Questioning Urban Decline and (In)formality - Georges Eddy Lucien Participatory approaches to urban planning in the informal neighbourhoods of Port-au-Prince - Anna Calogero and Benjamin Biscan 	<p>Room: Sub-theme: Design: Past, Present and Future Strategies</p> <p>CITYLAB CAR Panel: Improving implementation of urban solutions using Problem Based Learning continued</p> <p>Session Moderator: Maj-Britt Quitzau (University of Aalborg)</p>

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10:30 am – 10:45 am	Morning Coffee break		
10:45 am – 12:00 am	<p style="text-align: center;">Room: Subtheme: The Formal/Informal Actor Session Moderator: Pauline McHardy (University of Technology, Jamaica)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fight, Squat, Resist - The Housing Alternatives of Social Movements in Brazil - Pedro Rivera (Columbia University's Graduate School of Architecture, Planning and Preservation) • La Ciudad Informal - Orlando Inclan and Suleidys Alvarez Albejale • La ville des rastas de la Caraïbe - Philippe Kenjah Yerro 	<p style="text-align: center;">Room: Sub-theme: Formal/Informal City Session Moderator: Cities Alliance</p> <p style="text-align: center;">UN-HABITAT Cities Alliance Panel 1: Building climate resilience in informal settlements – Marcus Mayr</p> <p>Panelists:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Hon Gale Tracy Christian Rigobert, Minister of Education, Innovation, Gender Relations and Sustainable Development, Saint Lucia (invited) • Mr. Trevion Manning – Director for Planning, St. James Municipal Council, Jamaica (tbc) • Cities Alliance • IADB • David Dodman, IIED • Marcus Mayr, UN-Habitat 	<p style="text-align: center;">Room: Subtheme: Design: The Formal/Informal Actor Session Moderator: Linda Johnson-Bhola (University of Guyana)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Engagement and Participation in the transformation of informal settlements in Guyana: Case Study of Sophia Housing Development – Germene Stewart (Central Housing and Planning Authority) • Analysing the Participatory Learning Approach used in Community Driven Redevelopment Planning: A Case Study of Formalizing the Informal Settlement of Naggo Head, Portmore, Jamaica. - Carol Archer, Ricka-Ann Miles, Kellethia James, Sanjay Collins (University of Technology, Jamaica) • Community Participation in the distribution and management of water: A case study of the rural communities of Jeffery Town and Mile Gully St Mary - Jhanae Bailey, Adrian Tate and Jason-Rae Rowe (University of Technology, Jamaica)
12:00 pm. – 1:00 pm	LUNCH		

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<p>1:00 pm – 2:15 pm</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Room: Sub-theme: Social growth and measuring change Session Moderator: Larry Neufville (University of Technology, Jamaica)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Measure the dynamics of informal settlements in the Caribbean through the usage of UAV's and GIS applications - Dr. Kerry-Ann Thompson, Dr. Romain Cruse, Steeven Maizeroi • Measurement of uncontrolled urbanization - Juliette Guirado and Laurence Besançon (Agence d'Urbanisme et de Développement de la Guyane) • Urban growth and inequality in access to public services to urban areas in Haiti – Benjamin Biscan (ESA-Consultance) & Anna Calogero (Architect/Urban Designer) 	<p style="text-align: center;">Room: Sub-theme: Design: Past, Present and Future Strategies Session Moderator: IADB</p> <p style="text-align: center;">IADB Panel 2. Mapping Flood-Prone Cities in the Caribbean</p> <p>Panelists: José Jorge Saavedra, Michael Donovan, and Benjamin Strauss (Climate Central).</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Room: Subtheme: Design: The Formal/Informal Actor Session moderator: XXX</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Adaptation Programme and Financing Mechanism (AP&FM) for the Pilot Programme for Climate Resilience Jamaica</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Panel: The National Spatial Plan Initial Consultation Concept</p>
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2:15 pm – 3:30 pm	<p style="text-align: center;">Room: Subtheme: Design: Past, Present and Future Strategies Session Moderator: Patrick Williams (University of Guyana)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Plan4CuRe, an inquiry-driven, design-oriented approach for transforming the informal.- Johan De Walsche (University of Antwerpen), Marleen Goethals (University of Antwerpen) and Angelika Namdar (Anton de Kom University of Suriname) • Informal powers in land management hamper the implementation of housing policy in Suriname. An institutional analysis of housing policy in Suriname (1951 – 2015) and pathways to tackle housing deprivation more successful. – Sigrid Heirman (University of Antwerpen), Angelika Namdar (Anton de Kom University of Suriname) and Tom Coppens (University of Antwerpen) • Informality and Access to Formal Systems; A Role for Community-Based Organizations - Sarah Farina (Broadleaf Consulting) 	<p style="text-align: center;">Room: Subtheme: Design: Past, Present and Future Strategies Session Moderator: IADB</p> <p style="text-align: center;">IADB Panel 3. Launch of the Sustainable Nassau Action Plan</p> <p><i>Panelists:</i> Gilberto Chona and representatives from the Office of The Prime Minister, the Ministry of Transport and Local Government, Ministry of Environment and Housing</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Room: Subtheme: Design: The Formal/Informal Actor Session moderator:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Adaptation Programme and Financing Mechanism (AP&FM) for the Pilot Programme for Climate Resilience Jamaica</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Panel: The National Spatial Plan Initial Consultation Concept ..continued</p>
3:30 pm - 3:45 pm	Afternoon Coffee Break		
3:45 pm - 5:30pm	<p style="text-align: center;">Room: Sub-theme: Design: Past, Present and Future Strategies Panel: Advancing Urban Resilience in the Caribbean: Lessons from Irma and Maria (Moderator: Jeremy Collymore, University of the west Indies) Mapping and Assessing Urban Risks in the Caribbean: Tools Status and Next Steps - Ava Maxim (XXX) Building Urban Resilience: Getting Beyond Infrastructure - Paulette Bynoe (University of Guyana) Reconstruction after Irma: Realities of Resistance - Asad Mohammed (University of the West Indies/ CNULM) Annie Edwards (Government of Dominica) Sharon Griffith (Caribbean Development Bank)</p>		
	Break (End of Sessions)		
END OF DAY 2			

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<i>DAY 3 - Friday 29th June 2015</i>			
8:00 am – 9:15 am	<p style="text-align: center;">Room: Sub-theme: Managing informality <i>Session Moderator: Cavon White (Caribbean Development Bank)</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">CDB Panel 2: Caribbean Development Bank Housing Policy</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Room: Sub-theme: Formal/Informal City <i>Session Moderator: IADB</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">IADB Panel 4. Incremental Housing: Experiences from Guyana</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Panelists: Patricio Zambrano Barragán and Germene Stewart (Chief Planner for the Central Planning and Housing Authority of Guyana)</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Room: Sub-theme: Managing informality <i>Session Moderator: Perry Polar (BlueSpace Caribbean)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Investment for Sustainability of Informal Traditional Settlements: The Case of al-Ghat, Saudi Arabia - Prof. Dr. Hisham Mortada (King Abdul Aziz University) • Congestion and the Formal and Informal Sector: Kingston and Rio de Janeiro – Terrianna Selby (Pontifical Catholic University of Rio de Janeiro) • Symbiotic or Independent: Role of Local and Central Government towards managing informality in Jamaica - Isau G. Bailey (National Environment & Planning Agency)
9: 15 am – 10:30 am	<p style="text-align: center;">Room: Subtheme: Design: Past, Present and Future Strategies <i>Session Moderator: Samantha Chadee (University of Trinidad and Tobago)</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • An Investigation of the Controversy Related to the Parking Meter Project in the Municipality of Georgetown – Patrick E. Williams (University of Guyana) • Proposing a Waste-to-Energy Project for Tackling the Problems of Urban Solid Waste Management in Guyana: A Case study of Georgetown and Rose Hall Municipalities - Patrick E. Williams and Linda Johnson-Bhola (University of Guyana). • An equitable economic approach to urban upgrading - Jota Samper (University of Colorado Boulder) and Carlos Escobar (Alcaldía de Medellin and Area Metropolitana del Valle de Aburra) 	<p style="text-align: center;">Room: Sub-theme: Managing informality <i>Session Moderator: IADB</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">IADB Panel 5. Impacts of Land Market Regulation on Housing Affordability</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>Panelists: Robin Rajack</i></p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Room: Subtheme: Design: Past, Present and Future Strategies Guideline for Planning Secondary Cities in Caribbean Region <i>Session Moderator: Rogier Van Den Burg (UN-HABITAT)</i></p>
10:30 am –	Morning Coffee Break		

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10:45 am			
10:45 am – 12:00 pm	<p style="text-align: center;">Room:</p> <p>Subtheme: Design: Past, Present and Future Strategies Session moderator: - Emrah Engindeniz (UN-Habitat)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">UN-HABITAT and Cities Alliance Panel 2: Towards a Caribbean Regional Strategy on Slums and Informal Settlements Upgrading</p> <p>Ministerial representative from Jamaica Ministerial representative from Haiti Ministerial representative from St Vincent and the Grenadines as focal point for MINURVI Sub-regional representative, Affordable/adequate housing in the Caribbean context, and outcomes from the Regional Habitat and Housing Forum. - Anaclaudia Marinheiro Centeno Rossbach (Cities Alliance) Approach and Principles for Slum and Informal Settlements Upgrading in the Caribbean Region - Emrah Engindeniz Sub-Regional Plan and Cooperation Program - Ricardo Jordán (UNECLAC)</p>	<p style="text-align: center;">Room:</p> <p>Sub-theme: Formal/Informal City Session Moderator: : J. Lawton (University of Technology)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • GIS and Land Tenure in Community Regularization – Sherece James and Salina Solomon (Jam Habitat for Humanity) • Participation Beyond Tokenism to Create Social Cohesion - The vehicle for Social Transformation - Damien Marcus Williams and Paulette Griffiths (University of Technology, Jamaica) • Community-based Approach to Developing a Culture Trail in The Southside Neighbourhood of Parade Gardens, Kingston, Jamaica - Theresa Gordon, Yasheem Mathias, Nia Scarlett, Leseno Walker (University of Technology) 	<p style="text-align: center;">Room:</p> <p>Sub-theme: Managing informality Session Moderator: Priya Kissoon (University of the West Indies)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Impact of Traffic Calming Measures on Land Uses in Guyana – Danniebelle Mohabir and Lawrence Mentis (University of Guyana) • Confronting the Challenges of managing Informal Settlements: A critical review of the case of “Plastic City, Guyana –Paulette Bynoe, Rawle Edinboro and Dina Benn (University of Guyana) • Informal settlements in Georgetown: implications for urban economic development - A Case Study – Georgetown, Guyana – Chrisandrea Limburg-Fernandes (University of Guyana)
12:00 pm-1:00 pm	LUNCH		
1:00 pm – 2:15 pm	<p style="text-align: center;">Room:</p> <p>Social growth and measuring change Session Moderator: Angelika Namdar (Anton de Kom University of Suriname)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Social Impact Framework to Legitimize Marginalized Tourism Workers in Jamaica – Kristin Murray (Florida State University) • The Revitalization of the Informal City - Edwin R Quiles Rodríguez (Co-founder Taller Arquitectura Comunitaria) 	<p style="text-align: center;">Room:</p> <p>Subtheme: Design: Past, Present and Future Strategies Session moderator:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Local Sustainable Development Plan for Trelawny - Ms. Marlet Wellington (Trelawny Municipal Corporation) • Ackee Village in Portmore - Mr. Sean Jarett (Portmore Municipality) 	<p style="text-align: center;">Room:</p> <p>Research and Policy Development for Climate Change Session Moderator: Ministry, Jamaica)</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Panellist: Marcus Mayr (UN-HABITAT), CIAT, Ministry of Housing Policy Unit, Jamaica, Ministry of Economic Growth and Job Creation, Jamaica IADB St. Lucia</p>

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2:15 pm – 3:30 pm	<p>Room:</p> <p>Sub-theme: Managing informality</p> <p>Session Moderator: Caribbean Development Bank</p> <p>CDB Panel 1 : The Caribbean Development Bank’s Urban Policy</p>
3: 30 pm - 3:45 pm	<p>Afternoon Coffee break</p>
3:45 pm – 5:00 pm	<p>Room:</p> <p>Sub-theme: Managing informality</p> <p>The way forward: Regional strategy on informal development</p> <p>Session Moderator: Asad Mohammed (<i>blueSpace Caribbean</i>)</p> <p>Discussion in the New Urban Agenda track surrounding implementation of Caribbean New Urban Agenda (in partnership with UN-Habitat, Inter-American Development Bank, ECLAC and Caribbean Development Bank)</p>
5:00 p.m. – 6:30 p.m.	<p>CLOSING CEREMONY AND HAND OVER TO HOST OF CUF2019</p>
6:30 p.m. – 7:30 p.m.	<p>CULTURAL NIGHT</p>
<p>END OF DAY 3</p>	

Saturday 30th June 2018 – CITYLABS CAR training session (till 12:00pm)

* Cost of Tours is not included in Conference fees.