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Singapore is a story of transformation – from a small trading post to a thriving cosmopolitan city. A densely populated small island with extremely limited resources, how did Singapore manage to evolve into a green, vibrant, and livable city?...Singapore's successful transformation provides practical solutions that can be readily adapted to help developing countries embark on a pathway for a more inclusive, resilient, and sustainable future.



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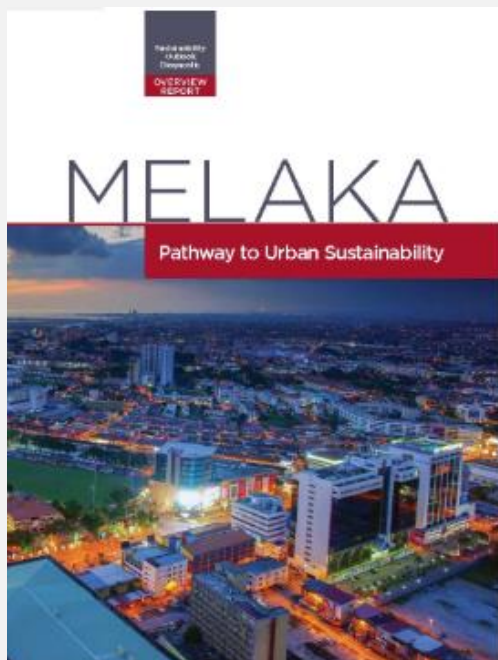


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Knowledge



[Melaka Sustainability Outlook Diagnostic: Pathway to Urban Sustainability](#)

Melaka State in Malaysia has strong sustainability aspirations and is an important member of the Global Platform for Sustainable Cities (GPSC). To inform the next update to Melaka's State Structure Plan, GPSC performed a sustainability outlook diagnostic to holistically consider six dimensions of the state's urban sustainability. The diagnostic consists of an overview report—containing a policy brief, executive summary, and benchmarking assessment—and six supporting reports that cover each of the diagnostic's dimensions. Informed by a wide range of stakeholder consultations and by data, analyses, and the benchmarking assessment, the reports offer key messages....[Read more](#)

Opportunities



[Fund Raising Trainer - Private Sector](#)

UN-Habitat would like to increase the level of its funding, diversify its donor base so that it is able to increase its annual revenue from a level of USD200 million to USD 500 million within six years. The agency needs to develop skills including in the areas of partnering with the private sector and foundations in addition to resource mobilization from national and local governments this will entail, among other things, enhancing the capacity of staff with resource mobilization functions so that they...[Read more](#)

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- [Consultant – Urban Water, Sustainable cities & Transport](#) (August 30th 2019)
- [Call for to Transform Innovative Solutions Waste to Wealth](#) (September 6th 2019)
- [Fund Raising Trainer - Public Sector](#) (September 11th 2019)
- [CALL FOR PAPER: Green Urbanism 2019 calls scholars to join the quest for sustainability & resilience](#) (September 20th 2019)
- [Call for Abstracts for the 6th international symposium on knowledge and capacity development for the water sector](#) (November 14th 2019)
- [CfP: Public Policy: Experiences and Policy Transfers among Various Cultural Backgrounds](#) (February 20th 2019)

Events



[3rd INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON SMART AND SUSTAINABLE PLANNING FOR CITIES AND REGIONS 2019](#)

(16th to 20th September 2019)

This global conference will be held September 16–20 in São Paulo, Brazil. Government leaders, city practitioners, and global experts will convene over five days to explore how they can work together to plan, finance, and implement sustainable development trajectories for our cities. Three key urban development partners—the World Bank’s Global Platform for Sustainable Cities (GPSC), Brazil’s Sustainable Cities Program (SCP), and the host city of São Paulo—are collaborating to organize the conference. The event will jointly be GPSC’s 3rd Global Meeting and SCP’s 2nd International Conference on Sustainable Cities.

- [Smart Cities Conference 2019 \(16th September 2019\)](#)
- [Cities 4.0: Unlocking Functional and Sustainable Cities \(23rd to 24th September 2019\)](#)
- [Walk 21 \(7th- 10th October 2019\)](#)
- [EcoCity World Summit 2019 \(7th to 11th October 2019\)](#)
- [C40 World Mayors Summit \(9th - 12th October 2019\)](#)
- [16th International Conference on Urban Health \(4th to 8th November 2019\)](#)
- [3rd INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON SMART AND SUSTAINABLE PLANNING FOR CITIES AND REGIONS 2019 \(9th to 13th December 2019\)](#)
- [The Tenth Session of the World Urban Forum \(2020\)](#)

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