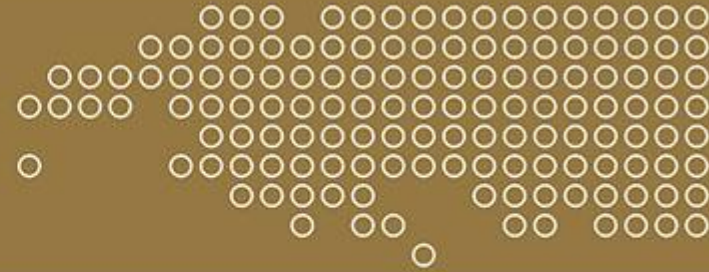


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The Stage A nominations for the Lee Kuan Yew World City Prize 2020 will be closing on 29 March 2019. [Click here](#) to find out more about the 2-stage nomination process.

Cities that are interested to participate would first need to engage an independent third party to nominate them. The 2020 Prize Laureate stands to win a cash prize of S\$300,000, a gold medallion and an award certificate sponsored by Keppel Corporation.

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In this issue, we take a look at some of the cities at the forefront of the circular movement, and how they got there.

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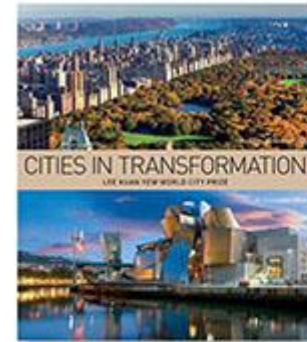
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