



Special feature: Interview with Professor Wulf Daseking

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The Lee Kuan Yew World City Prize is a biennial international award that honours outstanding achievements and contributions to the creation of liveable, vibrant and sustainable urban communities around the world.

The Prize is awarded to cities and recognises their key leaders and organisations for displaying foresight, good governance and innovation in tackling the many urban challenges faced, to bring about social, economic and environmental benefits in a holistic way to their communities.



Nominations for the 2016 cycle of the Lee Kuan Yew World City Prize have closed. We would like to thank all Nominators and Cities who have expressed interest in the Prize and/or submitted the nominations.

If you have missed the current cycle, we look forward to your participation in the 2018 cycle of the Prize. Nominations for the 2018 cycle of the Prize will open in July 2016. More details will be made available on our website and via our mailing list closer to the date.

Interview with Professor Wulf Daseking



Professor Wulf Daseking is the new member of the Nominating Committee of the Lee Kuan Yew World City Prize 2016 and currently a Professor at the University of Freiburg. He is also the former Chief Planning Officer for the City of Freiburg from 1984 – 2012, and was instrumental in shaping the city to its current status as an ecological capital. In 2010, the City of Freiburg was awarded European City of the Year 2010 by the Academy of Urbanism (London). We speak to Prof Daseking for his insights on city planning, and the creating of sustainable, liveable cities.

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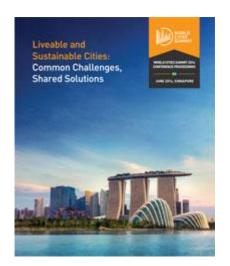
During her term as Transportation Commissioner of New York City, Janette Sadik-Khan showed the world how providing space on the street for everyone can have a positive impact on all aspects of the city. In this interview, Ms Sadik-Khan shares the intricate link between city and street planning, and how redesigning streets is not as unintuitive as one would think.

New York City was awarded the Lee Kuan Yew World City Prize in 2012, and recently hosted for the World Cities Summit Mayors Forum from 8 – 10 June 2015.

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The insights, solutions and ideas gathered from the World Cities Summit 2014 – over 30 hours of discussions – is now available as a digital download.



This latest publication captures 5 key takeaways from the common challenges and shared solutions that surfaced at the Mayors Forum 2014, plenary sessions at the World Cities Summit 2014, 5 thematic tracks and 5 city presentations from Rotterdam (Netherlands), Zhuhai (China), Melbourne (Australia), Gifu (Japan) and Manila (Philippines), as well as 4 regional forums covering China, India, Latin America and Southeast Asia. Further insights were gleaned from the Lee Kuan Yew World City Prize 2014 Lecture and Forum featuring Suzhou (China), Medellín (Colombia) and Yokohama (Japan).

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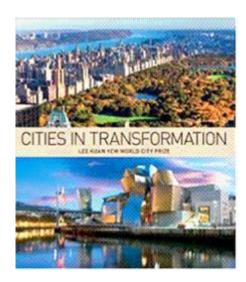


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