

City of New York named Prize Laureate 2012

Prize awarded to City of New York

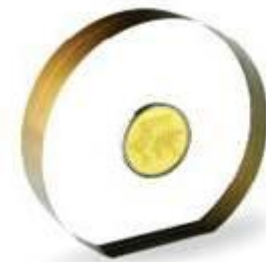


The Lee Kuan Yew World City Prize 2012 has been awarded to the Mayor of New York City, Michael Bloomberg and the Departments of Transportation, City Planning and Parks and Recreation for their efforts in the City of New York's remarkable transformation from one at risk in the post September 11 period, to one scaling new heights. Within a short span of time, the city has reinvented and rejuvenated itself to give residents and tourists renewed confidence and optimism for the city's future.

[More from the press release](#)

Inspiring model for global cities

About



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



New York City “serves as an inspiring model for other mature, high-density global cities to reframe their future in terms of sustainability and offers many innovative and replicable solutions for cities around the world.”

[More from the jury citation](#)

Insight into New York City



From new parkland and bicycle lanes, to reinvention of public spaces and transformation of derelict sites, New York City has embraced its density and diversity to transform itself into a more liveable, vibrant and greener city in the last 10 years.

[Learn more about its winning ways](#)

Upcoming:

1 – 4 July 2012

Exhibition at

World Cities Summit 2012 Expo

2 July 2012

Prize Lecture

Prize Forum

Award Ceremony and Banquet

All Prize events are held at

[World Cities Summit 2012](#)

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We find out from Department of City Planning Chair, Amanda Burden on New York City's change and how communities are involved in it.

Prize Lecture at World Cities Summit 2012



The 2012 Prize Laureate will be sharing their challenges, experiences and achievements at the Prize Lecture on 2 July 2012 at World Cities Summit in Singapore.

From 1 to 4 July 2012, the World Cities Summit is the global platform for government leaders and industry experts to address liveable and sustainable city challenges, share innovative urban projects and forge partnerships.

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