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4 Tips on how to build Smarter & Sustainable cities- Managing Urbanization

The topic of building smarter and sustainable cities is now a common agenda item among multiple stakeholders including policy makers, researchers and Public Private partnerships (PPP's).

How Africa can put bike use in the fast lane

Urban Food Security in the Global South: Three Ideas

Thriving amid turbulence: Imagining the cities of the future

What Local Climate Actions Would Have the Greatest Impact

Knowledge

[The Bali Fintech Agenda : IMF Policy Paper](#)

The International Monetary Fund and the World Bank Group launched the Bali Fintech Agenda, a set of 12 policy elements aimed at helping member countries to harness the benefits and opportunities of rapid advances in financial technology that are transforming the provision of banking services, while at the same time managing the inherent risks. The Agenda proposes a framework of high-level issues that countries should consider in their own domestic policy discussions and aims to guide staff from the two institutions in their own work and dialogue with national authorities.

Opportunities

[Training on Innovative Approaches to Deliver Affordable Housing Options in Asia:](#)
(Deadline for applications closes on 20 October.)
The training course will take place at IUTC Eco-complex – an environment friendly facility – in Gangwon Province, Republic of Korea....[Read more](#)

- [Scholarship: The Politics of Urbanization](#) **(Closing date: 19th October 2018)**
- [Intern - Urban Planning, Rio de Janeiro, Brazil](#) **(Closing date: 27th October 2018)**
- [National consultant -Urban Diagnostics for Urban Poverty and the Social Security Needs of the Urban Poor, Dhaka](#) **(Closing date: 29th October 2018)**
- [Call For Proposals: Facilitate a Hackathon Session for Entrepreneurial Solutions with Somali Youth](#) **(Deadline: 30th October 2018)**
- [Sustainable Land Use Research Consultant, Jakarta](#) **(Deadline: 30th October 2018)**

- [Research Assistant, Urban Development, Washington](#) **(Deadline: 31st October 2018)**
- [Intern - Urban Transport, Cities Program, Bengaluru, Bengaluru](#) **(Deadline: 31st October 2018)**
- [Program Coordinator II, Cities, Washington](#) **(Deadline: 31st October 2018)**
- [The Rudy Bruner Award for Urban Excellence (RBA)](#) **(Deadline: 12th December 2018)**
- [GeoInformatica Special Issue on Spatial Computing for Urbanization Research](#) **(Deadline: 15th December 2018)**
- [Global Climate City Challenge](#) **(Deadline: December 31st, 2018)**

Events

[World Cities Day - October 31st, 2018](#)
(31st October, 2018)

World Cities Day aims to promote the international community's interest in global urbanization, enhance cooperation among countries and cities in meeting opportunities and addressing challenges of urbanization, and contribute to sustainable urban development. The overall World Cities Day theme is Better City, Better Life and this year's particular theme is Building Sustainable and Resilient Cities. The main event will be celebrated in Liverpool, UK.

- [New Urban Champions](#) **(23rd to 24th October, 2018)**
- [Local Renewables Conference 2018: Urban Transformation To A Circular Economy](#) **(24th to 26th October 2018)**
- [15th International Conference on Urban Health](#) **(26th to 30th November 2018)**
- [The Meeting of the Minds Annual Summit](#) **(27th to 29th November, 2018)**

- [The 2nd International Conference on Green Urbanism](#) **(5th to 7th December 2018)**
- [Urban ARC 2019 | City and the Region](#) **(10th to 12th January 2019)**
- [MUNI World 2019: Global Brainstorming on Smart Cities Facing Urban Terrorism](#) **(26th to 28th February 2019)**

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