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Turning waste into wealth: World Habitat Day focus on cleaning up cities

"We must reduce the amount of waste we produce", said UN Secretary-General António Guterres in a statement. "And, at the same time, start seeing it as a valuable resource that can be re-used and recycled, including for energy"....[Read more](#)



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Mobility as a Service: Sustainable City Transportation

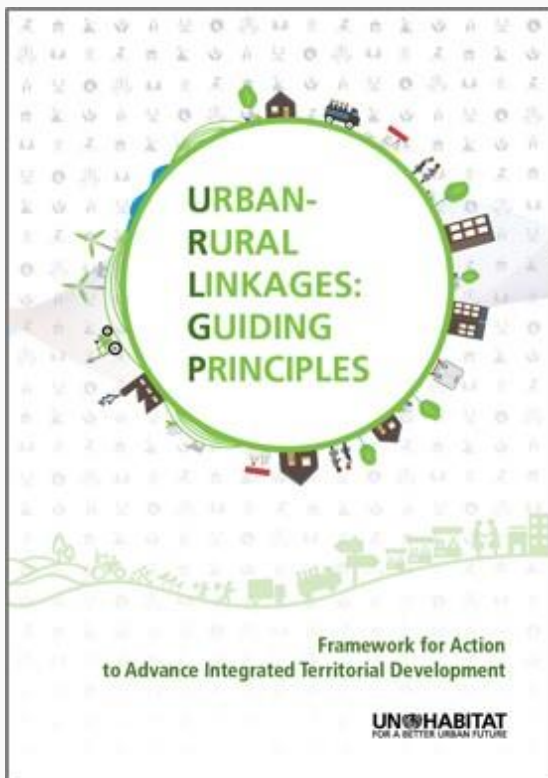


Green roofs improve the urban environment – so why don't all buildings have them?



20+ Cities Call for Integrating Climate, Biodiversity Concerns into Urban Planning

Knowledge



The Urban-Rural Linkages: Guiding Principles and Framework for Action to Advance Integrated Territorial Development

In both the 2030 Agenda for Sustainable Development (SDGs)¹ and the New Urban Agenda (NUA)², United Nations Member States agreed to policies that support integrated urban and territorial planning and development. They called for new, inclusive approaches and enhanced synergies between urban and rural communities and spaces - an essential component of the vision of Agenda 2030 to "leave no one behind". The vision and commitments these and other global framework agreements³ espouse recognize and respond to rapidly evolving urban-rural systems in which households, communities and local and national governments face new and often critical challenges.

Governments at all levels, along with United Nations agencies and other important agents of change must move from a growing recognition ...[read more](#)

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- [Call for Case Studies: Compendium of Inspiring Practices on Urban-Rural Linkages](#)(October 15, 2019)
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- [Hub Coordinator / Area Urban Planner, Aleppo, Syria](#)(October 25, 2019)
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(October 27, 2019)

Events



Asia-Pacific Urban Forum (APUF7)

(15th to 17th OCTOBER 2019)

In 2019 APUF-7 will provide this unique platform to discuss and analyze the status, challenges and opportunities of the implementation of the New Urban Agenda, the Paris Agreement, the Sendai Framework for Disaster Risk Reduction and the 2030 Agenda in the region. APUF-7 will also be the venue to launch The Future of Asia-Pacific Cities 2019 report being developed by ESCAP and UN-

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- [C40 World Mayors Summit](#) (9th - 12th October 2019)
- [Liveable Cities Conference](#) (12th - 13th October 2019)
- [Autonomy & The Urban Mobility Summit](#)(16th & 17th 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)
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