

Special feature: Tackling Inequality

Tackling Inequality – Interview with Bill de Blasio



More than a year into office as Mayor of New York City, Bill de Blasio has led the fight on many issues important to the more than eight million people who live in America's largest city. He was elected to office on promises to tackle issues ranging from social inequality to climate change. In this special interview, Mayor de Blasio discusses the progress of some of his game-changing plans for New Yorkers.

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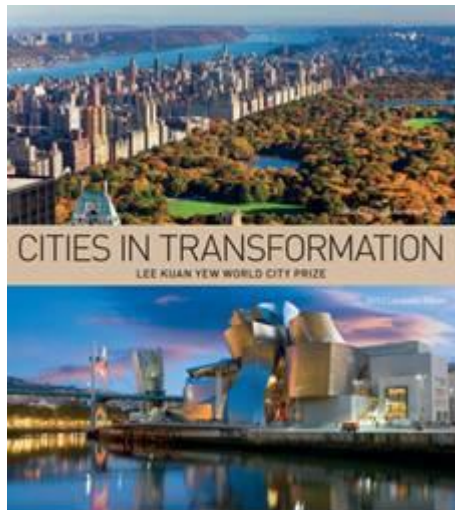
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