Event Details

Title of Event
Territorial Planning: Diamonds, Diagonals & Supercities

Organization Details
Organization: Fundacion Metropoli
Organization Country: Spain

Summary
This event will consist of a series of short presentations followed by a panel discussion, launch of the Supercities book, and a networking session. 1. Opening introduction 2. Presentation by Fundacion Metropoli on the general concept of Territorial Planning and Supercities & Territorial Diamonds 3. Presentation by the author of the Supercities book introducing the key ideas 4. Presentation by Think City on case study and learnings about territorial planning, from the Malacca Straits Diagonal and Perak Diamond projects 5. Panel discussion with the presenters including Q&A 6. Supercities book launch ceremony 7. Book signing and networking session – light refreshments provided There is a need to rethink not only how primary and secondary cities are planned, developed and managed, but also the way they interact with one another and with smaller peripheral townships. The role of culture and innovation including the role of technological disrupters needs to be considered, especially in the way they are transforming urban economies, traditional mobility patterns and established socio-economic and socio-cultural patterns. Larger cities need to be planned and managed beyond the conurbation scale, and with new forms of territorial understanding and co-operation that cut across jurisdictions. The greatest opportunity for smaller and medium-sized cities consists of articulating regional systems composed of polycentric urban structures with unique competitive advantages. This is fundamental for cities to succeed in an increasingly hypermobile global economy. This Networking Session introduces the concept of Territorial Planning and Supercities & Territorial Diamonds that provide an alternative model based on a polycentric system of cities and city-regions that specialise and reinforce one another. The publication titled “Supercities” will also be launched at this event along with a brief presentation on key ideas from the book. Case studies of applications of the concept will be highlighted, including the Malacca Straits Diagonal and the Perak Diamond in Malaysia. There will be a panel discussion involving the speakers who will discuss Territorial Planning and Supercities, including how the concepts relate to the themes and objectives of WUF10. Finally, there will be a networking session for academic, government, and business participants to further discuss collaborative project opportunities relating to Territorial Planning and Supercities & Territorial Diamonds.

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