



## **Agenda Connective Cities Dialogue Event Climate proofing urban development**

Dortmund, Germany, 3<sup>rd</sup>-5<sup>th</sup> September 2019

### **Venues**

#### **Hotel:**

Hotel Königshof GmbH  
Königswall 4-6  
44137 Dortmund

#### **Dialogue Event:**

Dortmund City Hall (Rathaus)  
Friedensplatz 1  
44135 Dortmund

### **Participating Institutions**

City of Buenos Aires, Argentina

University of Bahrain, Bahrain

City of Niteroi, Brazil

City of Dortmund, Germany

City of Gelsenkirchen, Germany

City of Lüdenscheid, Germany

TU Dortmund University, Germany

Kumasi Metropolitan Assembly, Ghana

Ejisu Municipal Assembly, Ghana

Nairobi City County, Kenya

City of Skopje, North Macedonia

Municipality of Ajja, Palestinian territories

City of uMhlatuze, South Africa

Vinnitsia Institute for Urban Development, Ukraine

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## Monday, 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2019

18:30	Meeting at the hotel lobby	Walk through the city centre to the restaurant
19:00	<b>Welcome Dinner</b> Get together and welcoming by the Connective Cities team (approx. 2 hours)	Location: Restaurant Linus, Propsteihof 9, 44137 Dortmund

## Day 1: Tuesday, 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2019

Time	Agenda	Contents
11:00	<b>Registration of participants</b>	
11:30	<b>Welcome &amp; Introduction</b>	<b>Presentation of Connective Cities</b> <i>Alice Balbo &amp; Alexander Wagner, Connective Cities</i> <b>Introduction of participants and programme overview</b> <i>Karin Küblböck, Moderator</i>
12:30	Lunch	
13:30	<b>Welcome address</b>	<b>Presentation of the host city of Dortmund</b> <i>Michael Leischner, City of Dortmund &amp; Martin van der Pütten, City of Dortmund</i>
13:45	<b>Keynote I</b>	<b>Climate proofing urban development: a global overview</b> <i>Prof. Stefan Greiving, TU Dortmund University, Germany</i>
14:05	<b>Keynote II</b>	<b>Climate proofing urban development: an African perspective</b> <i>Justice Paa Kwesi Simmons, Chief Planning Officer Ejsu Municipal Assembly, Ghana</i>
14:15	Discussion	
14:30	<b>Gallery Walk and working group set-up</b>	
15:10	Coffee break	
15:40	<b>Practitioners' exchange in working groups</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Introduction</li> <li>2. In-depth presentations of good practices</li> <li>3. Work in small groups with poster presentations</li> <li>4. Identification of the aspects that worked particularly well and the reasons why it did</li> </ol>

	<b><u>Working group I:</u></b> Cross-departmental coordination to climate proof strategies and masterplans	<b><u>Working group II:</u></b> Mapping climate risks and resources for an informed urban planning	<b><u>Working group III:</u></b> Integrating climate adaptation measures in the urban built environment
<b>Working group</b>	City of Dortmund, Germany Kumasi Metropolitan Assembly, Ghana City of Skopje, North Macedonia City of Niteroi, Brazil	City of Gelsenkirchen, Germany City of Buenos Aires, Argentina Nairobi City County, Kenya	Vinnytsia Institute for Urban Development, Ukraine University of Bahrain, Bahrain City of Dortmund, Germany City of uMhlatuze, South Africa
17:40	<b>Presentation of the working groups results</b>		
18:10	<b>Wrap up of day 1</b>		
19:00	Dinner reception by invitation of the City of Dortmund The City of Dortmund invites the participants to dinner at one of Europe's biggest football stadiums, home of Borussia Dortmund. A guided tour after dinner makes it possible to take a look behind the scenes of the most beautiful football stadium in the world.		

## Day 2: Wednesday, 4<sup>th</sup> September 2019

Time	Agenda	Contents
09:00	<b>Introduction to the second day</b>	Discussing open questions
09:30	<b>Introduction to the peer-to-peer session and set up of the working groups</b>	
10:00	<b>Peer-to-peer session (about four groups)</b> During the next session, practitioners identify individual issues from their practical work, e.g. challenges they are facing, projects they are planning, success factors or constraints they have encountered. In a peer-to-peer advisory session in small focus groups, participants will give their feedback, ideas and remarks on the presented issues. In this part, participants receive inputs to their practical challenges, formulate recommendations for further action and thus achieve a direct benefit for their daily work.	
10:45	Coffee break	
11:15	<b>Peer-to-peer consultation, round 2</b>	
12:00	Lunch	
12:50	Energising walk	
13:10	<b>Peer-to-peer consultation, round 3</b>	
13:50	<b>"Map of challenges"</b>	Results of peer-to-peer sessions: Presentation and interactive discussion in world café style
14:30	Coffee break	
15:00	<b>Identifying possible next steps and opportunities available</b>	<b>Connective Cities: follow up activities and examples of successful learning processes</b> <i>Alexander Wagner, Connective Cities</i>
15:30	<b>Brainstorming and gathering of project ideas</b>	Discussion on what makes a good adaptation project specifically with an integration approach and on the basis of these criteria and on the results of the peer-to-peer consultations selection of

		possible project ideas to further elaborate on day 3
16:00	<b>Greetings to the participants</b>	<i>Ullrich Sierau, Mayor of the City of Dortmund</i>
16:15	<b>Pro-Action Café</b>	Working groups to give feedback on the suggested project ideas to make them as focused as possible
17:15	<b>Set up of working groups for day 3</b>	Based on the project ideas identified in the pro-action café
17:45	<b>Wrap up and preview of day 3</b>	
19:00	Dinner	Location: Hövels Hausbrauerei, Hoher Wall 5-7, 44137 Dortmund

### Day 3: Thursday, 5<sup>th</sup> September 2019

Time	Agenda	Contents
09:00	<b>Introduction to the third day</b>	
09:15	<b>Introduction to action planning session</b>	<i>Alice Balbo, Connective Cities</i>
09:30	<b>Action planning I (in working groups)</b>	Development of the identified ideas in working groups
11:00	Coffee break	
Ca. 11:30	<b>Action planning II (in working groups)</b>	Short presentation of the follow up activities available to continue with the learning process and discussion in the groups about which activity to suggest to continue the exchange to support the developed project idea
12:15	<b>Report back to the plenary</b>	
13:00	<b>Feedback and evaluation of the workshop</b>	
13:20	<b>Closing remarks</b>	
13:30	Lunch	
14:30	<b>Field visit</b>	<p>The lake PHOENIX project is as a "best practice" example for successful structural change in Dortmund. The project has also provided many positive effects with regard to the municipal climate contributing to local climate adaptation. Mr. Georg Sümer, head of the lake PHOENIX project at the Dortmund water municipal company (Stadtentwässerung Dortmund), will explain the exciting project history to the participants of the field visit. He will also describe the flood protection measures implemented for the Emscher river area as well as the special standards in the nearby residential areas in terms of energy and rainwater drainage.</p> <p>Public transport connection from the event venue to the field visit at 14:30 Start of the field visit at 15:00 till ca 16:30. Return to the hotel at ca. 17:00.</p>

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