CONTRIBUTION OF NIUA PROJECTS TOWARDS SDGs

NIUA’s Projects Covering Goal 4

1. Federal Institute for Research on Building, Urban Affairs and Spatial Development
   Research and policy advice for national agencies commensurate with SDGs

2. Ahmedabad World Heritage City
   Formulating local area plan for heritage conservation.

3. City Investments To Innovate, Integrate and Sustain
   Fostering sustainable innovation and participatory approaches in Indian smart cities.

4. Indian Smart Cities Fellowship Program
   Mentoring young professionals to lead urban transformation in India

5. Transit Oriented Development in Indian Smart Cities
   Enabling institutional framework for transit oriented development in Indian cities.

6. Master Plan Delhi - 2041
   Developing a guiding framework for sustainable and inclusive urban development of Delhi.

7. Sustainable, Healthy, Learning Cities & Neighbourhoods
   Strengthening urban research capacity in developing countries

8. Scale and Nature of Deprivation among Children in Urban India
   Promoting equitable opportunities for children and adolescents due to urban-rural divide

9. Integrated Capacity Building Platform
   Capacity building of local body officials for better urban management

10. Smart Data and Inclusive Cities
    Capacity building of local body officials in the use of data for city planning

11. Child Friendly Smart Cities
    Mainstreaming the needs of children in Indian cities

(For Goals 1 to 4 please see previous issues and Goal 5 to follow in next issue)

CITIIS Runs a Workshop on Bus Rapid Transit Systems

City Investments To Innovate, Integrate and Sustain (CITIIS) at NIUA jointly organised a knowledge sharing workshop with Amritsar Smart City Limited (ASCL) on Bus Rapid Transit Systems (BRTS) projects in Indian cities on 9 February.

The purpose of the workshop was to discuss the innovative mechanisms in overcoming the challenges faced by BRTS projects and ways to improve ridership.

The workshop was attended by urban local body officials from Amritsar, Pune, Surat, Hubali-Dharwad, Ahmedabad, and Bhopal. For further information, click here.

NULP Scale-Up and Sustainability Planning Workshop held at NIUA

The Center for Digital Governance at NIUA conducted a workshop on 8 February to develop a vision, devise a short-term scalability plan and develop a long-term sustainability plan for the National Urban Learning Platform (NULP). The workshop was attended by 63 participants from academic institutions, capacity building and implementation partners. For further information, click here.

Reducing CO2 Emissions Critical to Raise the Resilience of Cities: Says NIUA Professor

Dr. Debjani Ghosh, Associate Professor and Local Coordinator for Morgenstadt Global Smart Cities Initiative (MGSCI), NIUA in an interview on Smart City Innovation Lab Kochi to MGSCI highlighted the importance of reducing CO2 in increasing the resilience of cities. To read the full interview, click here.

Rethinking Cities 44 Discusses Urban Poverty in Contemporary Cities

In a webinar on Urban Poverty in Contemporary Cities organised by Habitat Forum-INHAF on 10 February, Mr. Ajay Suri, Senior Advisor, NIUA spoke on resolving land access issues to facilitate scaling up of slum upgrading in Indian cities. For further information, click here.

Job Openings

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