

International Conference on Contemporary Issues and Trends in “Urban Transformation 2014” Call for Papers

Urban Transformation has been a Global issue as the cities are changing rapidly in response to the processes of migration and economic globalization. The world is a platform with no boundaries. Urban settlements, nuclear family, community living and neighbourhood public spaces are an essential ingredient of the urban image and experience, are increasingly playing an important part in this transition. The area of concern is the role they have played in political, economic, social and cultural transformation of cities, and the impact on these transformations.

Trends in Urban Transformation in India, may be defined with the new concept of community living, peoples participation and voice in their neighbourhood development, healthy living, work and entertainment. People do not only depend on the Government for their neighbourhood but work as a like-minded community.

Rising income, sophistication in tastes, preferences, ever changing trends and business practices would bring more opportunities as well as challenges in the Urban Transformation. Hence, UT 2014 conceptualises the 1st International Conference around the theme Contemporary Issues and Trends in Urban Transformation.

The conference aims at bridging the gap between academics and practitioners and between different disciplines that are interested in the subjects of public space and urban transformation.

Both practical and theoretical explorations are welcome: innovative papers, practices and projects presentations.

Tracks for the submission may include:

- Urban transformation in land use pattern
- Urban transformation in transport network system
- Urban demographic concerns
- Urban socio-cultural issues
- Changing dynamics of the suburbs
- Urban socio-psychological issues

Note:

- These are only suggestive tracks
- The selected papers will be published in ISBN numbered Conference Proceedings

IMPORTANT DATES

Abstract length: Max. 200 words

Conference Fee: 5000 (Indian), \$350 (International)

Deadline for Abstract Submission: 30 May 2014 to urbantransformation2014@gmail.com

Notice on Abstract Acceptance: 15 June 2014

Deadline for Paper Submission: 15 July 2014

Notice on Paper Acceptance: 15 August 2014

Final paper Submission: 15 September 2014

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Deadline for Presentation Submission: 15 October 2014

Dates for Conference: 1 & 2 November 2014

Call for Poster Presentation - “Urban Transformation 2014”

Guidelines for Poster Session at 2014 Urban Transformation Conference are given below:

- The theme of the poster is “**Contemporary Urban Transformation of Bengaluru City**”. The size of the poster must be A3 = 297mm x 420mm or 420mm x 297mm
- The poster can be drawn / painted by hand or with computer or could be an original photograph. It may be enlarged or reduced to A3 size
- Three-dimensional works are not accepted. Three-dimensional works which are presented two-dimensionally are also acceptable
- The number of poster per person can submit is limited to one or two
- Please write down the following information on the back of the poster or attach a sheet of paper on the back with the same information:
Contact person - Name, Telephone Number and Email Id
- Please send the poster or posters to:
Dr. Choodamani Nandagopal
Dean, School of Humanities and Social Sciences
Jain Knowledge Campus, Jayanagar 9th block
Bangalore – 560 069
- The deadline is 15 August 2014. All posters which are sent to us will not be returned

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