

From local to global: cooperation in urban development in an international context

International Side Event at the 17th Federal Congress on National Urban Development Policy

Background:

In this side event, we will present how cooperation in the field of urban development works in an international context. Under the umbrella of the international city networks of the BMWSB, we will start with thematic keynote speeches from South Africa, Ukraine and the USA. In an interactive fishbowl discussion, we will delve deeper into the topics and offer other participants the opportunity to contribute to the discussion. Take the opportunity to network with international colleagues from cities, city associations and ministries.

Facilitation:

Dr. Tina Silbernagl, GIZ/D4UC

13:00 – 14:00	Lunch Reception for all international delegates
14:00 – 14.15	Welcome and framing of session BMWSB & GIZ/D4UC Prof. Dr. Oliver Weigel (BMWSB) Ms. Charlotte Junghans (GIZ/D4UC)
14:15 – 14.20	Screening of D4UC Film
14:20 – 14.50	Pecha Kucha presentations on the topic of cooperation in urban development in an international context with examples from the three D4UC networks: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• South Africa - Germany• Ukraine – Germany• USA - Germany
14:50	Discussion (part 1) with additional inputs by international guests such as G7 and delegates from Serbia and Namibia
15:30	Discussion (part 2) with audience
15:55	Wrap-up and goodbye

Before the side event, BMWSB invites all international guests to a **lunch reception** from 13.00 - 14.00!

Organizers:

Bundesministerium für Wohnen, Stadtentwicklung und Bauwesen (BMWSB), Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ) GmbH

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