



TURbOCLiC Webinar Series and Events

Transformation – Urban Opportunities – Climate Change (TURbOCLiC)

We are part of GIZ's innovative knowledge management tools called sector networks. Two important networks are the TUEWAS (Transport, Environment, Energy and Water in Asia) and SNGA (Governance in Asia).

As a long-standing cross-sectoral community comprising of members from TUEWAS (Transport, Environment, Energy and Water in Asia) and SNGA (Governance in Asia) networks. Our work mainly focuses on the topics of urban climate change and urban governance, namely – smart cities, urban resilience, net-zero cities, innovative climate financing, urban labs, localizing the global goals, capacity development, among others.

Created in 2013, pioneers have been the TUEWAS Cities and Climate Change and the SNGA Urban Opportunities working groups, who have been fruitfully cooperating since 2009. Several bilateral and regional programs are represented in the working group.

Our main goals are onboarding and networking, knowledge management and strategic conversations. We foster joint learning among programs, regional and technical exchange with national and international partners, as well as strengthening the technical and advisory capacities of GIZ staff and partner experts, and work on developing innovative products.

We interact through different channels, such as virtual and face-to-face meetings, newsletters, online platforms, and innovative subject related webinars.

Webinar Series

Since 2015 we offered a series of webinars, aiming at exchanging experiences / good practices among our members as well as other interested colleagues, partners and collaborators.

An additional goal is also to systematically collect information about the relevant topics within our programs.

This factsheet aims to collect information and links about the webinars and other relevant topic-related events offered by TURbOCLiC, including the links to the recordings and other materials. Presentations were very informative and discussions interesting and fruitful.

In 2015, 4 Webinars were conducted:

- **Local Climate Action Planning – Experiences from India**
- **Chinese Experiences to Support Local Climate Action**
- **Urban Resilience: Flood Risk Management and Adaptation in Cities**
- **Linking Cities to Finance**

In 2016, 3 Webinars were conducted:

- **International Climate Policy and the role of Urban Sector – COP21 Outcomes**
- **Habitat III and the New Urban Agenda**
- **Innovations and Impacts of Inclusive and Equitable Cities**

In 2017, 3 Webinars were conducted:

- **Implementing International Agendas in and with cities**
- **Capacity Development for Urban Stakeholders**
- **Sustainable Urbanization and capacity development approaches – Indian and Chinese Experiences**

In 2018, 3 Webinars were conducted:

- **Integrating Climate Issues into Local Policies: Experiences from Thailand and Bangladesh**
- **Approaches to Multi-level Climate Governance / Vertically Integrated Climate Policies**
- **Preparing and Financing Bankable Infrastructure Projects**

In 2019, 3 Webinars were conducted:

- **Connecting Global Approaches to Regional Priorities – Connective Cities and Integrated Implementation of Agenda 2030 in Cities and City-Regions**
- **Sustainable Infrastructure and Multi-lateral Cooperation and Global Public Goods**
- **Digital/ICT Tools for the Local Implementation of Global Agendas**

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In 2020, 3 Webinars were conducted:

- **ICT-based Adaptation to Climate Change in Cities**
- **Insights on Cities and Covid-19**
- **Agenda 2030 meets Digital Principles – with Examples from Bangladesh and Indonesia**

In 2021, 3 Webinars were conducted:

- **New Leipzig Charta – The Transformative Power of Cities for the Common Good**
- **Doughnut and the City – From Degenerative and Divisive to Regenerative and Distributive Governance**
- **Lessons learnt from Covid 19 and Cities – From Waste Management to Digital Tools**

In 2022, 4 Webinars were conducted:

- **Urban Design Competitions – The Tale of Two Cities**
- **Learning Lab: Digital Tools for Urban Managers and Planners**
- **Urban October: Smart Cities and Twin Transition**
- **Digital Innovation for Cities**

A total of 26 events and more than 35 hours of recordings have benefited over 500 participants, not only from Asia, but also from Africa and Latin America, as well as Germany.

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Overview of all webinars and events

Local Climate Action Planning – Experiences from India Date: 2015 June 29th		
Speakers: Soumya Chaturvedula, Manjeet Singh Saluja, Vaishali Nandan	The webinar presents and discusses findings from the preparation and implementation of a climate action plan in Indian cities, focusing on the processes and stakeholders on the challenges and success factors and overall recommendations.	Recording Presentations
Chinese Experiences to Support Local Climate Action Date: 2015 August 3rd		
Speakers: Ursula Becker, Dr. Stefan Werner, Paul Recknagel, Dr. Volkmar Hasse	The webinar present and discusses the overall approach from selected GIZ Programs and its relevance for supporting local climate action in China, focusing on the framework for local climate action and know-how dissemination, as well as on implementation and up-scaling experiences.	Recording Presentations
Urban Resilience: Flood Risk Management and Adaptation in Cities Date: 2015 September 16th		
Speakers: Daniel Nordmann, Eva Hübner, Dr. Omnia Aboukorah-Voigt	The webinar presents and discusses the approach of GIZ on Urban Resilience, and experiences and findings of two flagship programs, the Project Urban flood proofing and drainage in the context of climate change in Vietnam, and the Project Adaptation to Climate Change in Coastal Cities in Mauritania.	Recording Presentations
Linking Cities to Finance Date: 2015 November 12th		
Speakers: Meg Yandoc, Zhang Yu, Dr Tim McGrath, Alexandra Linden, Umair Ahmed	The webinar presents and discusses the overall work approach of CDIA/GIZ and their partners on Linking Cities to Finance, and showcases experiences and findings from China, Vietnam and Pakistan.	Recording Presentations
International Climate Policy and the role of Urban Sector – COP21 Outcomes Date: 2016 January 28th		
Speakers: Lisa Lebershausen, Katrin Eisenbeiss, Martin Dirr	The webinar presents and discusses main outcomes from the COP21 Paris in general, with a focus for GIZ services and also for the urban sector, also highlighting challenges and recommendations, and providing concrete examples of projects on the ground (e.g. C40 Cities Finance Facility;	Recording Presentations
Habitat III and the New Urban Agenda Date: 2016 July 07th		
Speakers: Max Lohmann, Barbara Scholz	The webinar presents and discusses the Habitat III process and the zero draft of the NUA with special focus on climate change and resilience, and also provide an overview of the role of GIZ and BMZ and of the central political key messages supported by the German government.	Recording Presentations
Innovations and Impacts of Inclusive and Equitable Cities Date: 2016 November 29th		
Speakers: Eva Ringhof, Esther Wegner, Arpan Mazumder	The webinar presents and discusses the experiences of GIZ with the topic Inclusive and Equitable Cities, presenting three case studies (CDIA, India, South Africa) as well as the innovation and impacts of current related programs.	Recording Presentations

Implementing the International Agendas in and with Cities Date: 2017 March 24th		
Speakers: Dr. Anka Derichs, Katharina Lampe, Barbara Scholz	This webinar presents and discuss the current state of the art on the topic of implementation of international agenda in and with cities, presenting an overview, one regional study from Latin America, and also giving hints on how to integrate the Agenda 2030 in GIZ's advisory services.	Recording Presentations
Capacity Development for Urban Stakeholders Date: 2017 August 09th		
Speakers: Mahmudur Rahman, Thomas Hagedorn, Nazaruddin Nazaruddin	This webinar presents and discusses the current approaches on training / capacity development for urban stakeholders in Asian Programs (Bangladesh, Indonesia and CDIA as regional project), the challenges and the success stories.	Recording Presentations
Sustainable Urbanization and Capacity Development Approaches – Indian and Chinese Experiences Date: 2017 September 13th		
Speakers: Vaishali Nandan, Sarah Habersack, Dr. Marie Peters, Chenzi Yiyang	This webinar presents current approaches on training / capacity development for urban stakeholders in China and India, the challenges and the success stories, discussing what the countries can learn from each other on sustainable urbanization and capacity development issues.	Recording Presentations
Integrating Climate Issues into Local Policies: Experiences from Thailand and Bangladesh Date: 2018 January 30th		
Speakers: Chutima Jongpakdee, Mohammad Ishtiuq Hossain, Chowdhuy Hamidul Islam	This webinar presents the vertical integration of national climate change policy in Thailand (from subnational level aspects, training on climate change and challenges) as well as integration of the national plan and the local development plan with focus on climate change in Bangladesh, highlighting the conceptual framework, planning systems and local government structures, and challenges for integration.	Recording Presentations
Approaches to Multi-level Climate Governance / Vertically Integrated Climate Policies Date: 2018 April 12th		
Speakers: Lisa Lebershausen, Jakob Lindemann, Reo Audi	This webinar presents general aspects of multi-level climate governance, from theoretic framework to examples for instruments to support local action (concepts, actors, Indian example) as well as overview of VICLIM project (vertically integrated climate policies) with examples from Indonesia (online system for monitoring, evaluation and reporting of subnational mitigation action plans).	Recording Presentations
Preparing and Financing Bankable Infrastructure Projects Date: 2018 September 6th		
Speakers: Thomas Hagedorn, Mia Simpao, Pradana Murti	This webinar presents principles and best practices from the Cities Development Initiative (CDIA) and from Indonesia, advised by the state-owned infrastructure financing company (PT Sarana Multi Infrastruktur (PTSMI) Persero) in preparing and financing bankable infrastructure projects, and the related daily challenges and lessons learnt.	Recording Presentations
Connecting Global Approaches to regional priorities – “Connective Cities” and “Integrated Implementation of Agenda 2030 in Cities and City-Regions Date: 2019 January 29th		
Speakers: Manfred Poppe and Toni Kaatz-Dubberke	This webinar presents Connective Cities and its goals of sharing of experience among cities and practitioners worldwide, exploring prospects for collaboration in Asia. Moreover, it also the cities challenge, a call for ideas with which we would like to initiate the exemplary implementation of new, exciting ideas for the integrated implementation of 2030 Agenda in cities and city-regions with a focus on climate change.	Recording Presentation

Sustainable Infrastructure and Multilateral Cooperation and Global Public Goods Date: 2019 March 26th		
Speakers: Sebastian Wiegens	This webinar presents different offers related to Sustainable Infrastructure as well as the experiences from an experimental workshop with the goal at looking at the global system as a whole and to reinvent it in a playful way, towards a multilateral cooperation for Global Public Goods.	Presentation
Digital/ICT tools for the local implementation of global agendas Date: 2019 November 26th		
Speakers: Verena Goranko and Kim Sophie Schulte, Dr.François van Schalkwyk	This webinar presents an innovative approach related to accessing digital tools for implementing the sustainable development goals in Africa. This approach served as the background for a similar study on digital/ICT tools for climate-resilient and low-carbon urban development in Asia, launched by TurbOCliC.	Recording Presentations
ICT-based Adaptation to Climate Change in Cities Date: 2020 April 6th		
Speakers: Teresa Kerber, Shabaz Khan	This webinar presents the overall approach and learnings of the global project ICT-based adaptation to Climate Change in Cities (ICT-A). The program supported partners to develop, customize and test digital solutions that engage citizens in the co-creation of their cities to achieve urban resilience in Peru, Mexico and India. The webinar also spotlighted the tool “Mu City Savior” in India.	Recording Presentations
Insights on Cities and Covid-19 Date: 2020 June 04th		
Speakers: Katrin Eisenbeiss, Felix Döhler, Moritz Mang	This webinar presents, from the perspective of the headquarters, reflections on Covid-19 response and activities and inspiration for urban/digital COVID response, while also initiating an exchange to improve the understanding about the concrete needs and demands of urban projects and their local and national partners.	Recording Presentations
Agenda 2030 meets digital principles - With examples from Bangladesh and Indonesia Date: 2020 December 08th		
Speakers: Dr. François van Schalkwyk, Kaniz Fatema, Annisa Diva Putri Murbaran and Maria Febe Evnike	This webinar presents the assessment framework (Agenda 2030 meets digital principles) and some results with a focus on two of the assessed solutions, Planning information System for Climate-resilient Planning of Investment Projects, from Bangladesh and Low Carbon Development Planning and Monitoring Application, from Indonesia.	Recording Presentations
New Leipzig Charta – the transformative power of cities for the common good – 20th Webinar! Date: 2021 June 16th		
Speakers: Tilman Buchholz, Carl-Philipp Schuck	This webinar presents in detail the structure of the New Leipzig Charta, from basic elements, core objectives and spatial scales and principles. It also discusses the Urban Agenda for the EU as innovative multi-level approach and main vehicle to translate principles of New Leipzig Charter into practice on European scale. It also discusses the learnings about the process and what GIZ can learn about it.	Recording Presentations
Doughnut and the City (Future Forum 2021) Date: 2021 September 22th		
Speakers: Luciana Maia, Vaishali Nandan, Ishtiuq Hossain	This event offers an open space to introduce the doughnut model, discuss its application in urban settings, and reflect on the role of governance for the re-design of cities. It also offers indirectly provide the opportunity for the “urban crowd” to mingle.	Recording Presentations

Lessons learnt from Covid 19 and Cities – from waste management to digital tools Date: 2021 December 14th		
Speakers: Liju Mathew, Luciana Maia	This webinar presents the experiences from India regarding impact of Covid-19 on Waste Management system. It also presents the results from the study on Covid-19 and cities, and how to use the data base of digital solutions collected along several categories, as well as some good practices from other cities.	Recording Presentations
Urban Design Competitions – The tale of two cities Date: 2022 April 26th		
Speakers: Charlotte Pusch, Fathim Rashna Kallingal, Krishna Kumar	This webinar presents the goals and approach of the so-called urban design competitions, detailing the process steps in before, during and after the competition. In the second part, the focus is on the experience in Kochi and Coimbatore and the concrete focus areas, institutional mechanism and challenges.	Recording Presentations
Learning Lab: Digital tools for urban managers and planners Date: 2022 June 20th		
Speakers: Sumana Chatterjee, Nina Graefenhahn, Lisa Hiemer-Maqoma, Gunnar Hesch	Together with SNGA Working Group eGovernance and Digitalisation and Competence Centers Democracy, Digital Governance, Urban Development and Digital Societies of the FMB, this event spotlights a) Lessons from TOSCA: Toolkit for Sustainable City Planning & Analysis, b) Meaningful and inclusive (digital) participation in urban planning and management: Not without PartiCipate and c) Remote Sensing and Geographical Information, and also crowd mapped and categorized digital tools.	Recording Presentations
Smart Cities and Twin Transition – Examples from Asia and Beyond (Urban October 2022) Date: 2022 October 26th		
Speakers: Phillip Reviere, Liju Mathew, Peter Sailer, Kariem El-Ali, Ibrahim Anastas	This event brought together several experts on smart cities within GIZ. Starting with the Smart Cities Papier, its background, learnings and next steps and making cities climate smart - digital solutions in India, to digitalization of local markets through citizen-centered innovation and smart cities through municipal partnerships with examples from Indonesia and Palestine.	Recording Presentations
Digital Innovation for Cities Date: 2022 December 12th		
Speakers: Stella Deppe, Evandro Holz	This webinar discusses local innovations, starting with an imagination journey and also insights about the BMZ Digilab, its goals, approach and topics of work. In the second part, one of the projects being supported by the Digilab, Action by Clurb, was presented, a tool accelerating local disaster risk action.	Recording Presentations

All materials are compiled here:

<https://tuewas-asia.org/projectsprogrammes/transformation-urban-opportunities-climate-change/>

