

Frameworks for Understanding the African City

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Context

Africa will experience a profound set of urban and resource-based transitions in the foreseeable future, and the current development path has to undergo a shift to avoid a major urban 'polycrisis'. Shifting these transitions onto a sustainable and equitable path requires that a wide variety of actors work collectively to promote a common strategic vision of urban futures on the continent.

Therefore AURI Seeks to :

- Promote the emergence of alternative paradigms for the future of African cities ;
- Help develop methodologies to balance 'pure' and 'applied' urban work
- Provide a platform for exchange of knowledge, engaging with external agencies, conducting collaborative /comparative research

Speakers

Panel

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