

5<sup>th</sup> Annual Research on Cities Summit | 10<sup>th</sup> – 12<sup>th</sup> February 2021  
5<sup>th</sup> Annual Research on Cities Summit (ARCS 5.0)

School of Human Settlements  
Xavier University, Bhubaneswar

## Conference Schedule

DAY 1 - 10<sup>th</sup> February 2021

10:00-11:20	<b>Inauguration Session</b>	Venue: CH-01
		Zoom Link: <a href="https://zoom.us/j/99547335830?pwd=SDQ5cks5NGx0OXA0bzBwVy9jeFFZZz09">https://zoom.us/j/99547335830?pwd=SDQ5cks5NGx0OXA0bzBwVy9jeFFZZz09</a> Meeting ID: 995 4733 5830 Passcode: 168965
	Opening remarks - Prof. Kajri Misra, Dean XAHS	
	About XUB – Registrar Fr. E.A. Augustine, S.J.	
	Conference Keynote Address – Mr. Hitesh Vaidya, Director at National Institute of Urban Affairs (NIUA), Delhi, India	
	Conference briefing & Thanks - Prof. Tathagata Chatterji, ARCS Coordinator	
		Student in charge, emcee, & Rapporteur: <b>Rajesh, Alisha, Abhisek, Jayshree, Saroj</b>
11:20 – 11:45	Break	
11:45 – 13:15	<b>Session – 1.1 (A &amp; B; two parallel sessions)</b>	
	<b>1.1A: Processes of governance</b>	Zoom Link: <a href="https://zoom.us/j/99547335830?pwd=SDQ5cks5NGx0OXA0bzBwVy9jeFFZZz09">https://zoom.us/j/99547335830?pwd=SDQ5cks5NGx0OXA0bzBwVy9jeFFZZz09</a> Meeting ID: 995 4733 5830 Passcode: 168965
	<b>Session Chair: Prof. Tathagata Chatterji</b>	
	Negotiating Right to City in the Smart City - Case of Informal Vendors in Chennai ( <i>Mihir Sriram &amp; Purushottam Kesar</i> )	
	Planning for Urban-rural Interphases – Possibilities and Challenges in Governance in the State of Kerala, India ( <i>Rijesh NM, Mohammed Firoz C, Sruthi Krishnan V &amp; Susan Cyriac</i> )	
	Role of Urban Governance in Child-friendly Neighbourhood Planning in India. ( <i>Rituparna Das &amp; Dr. Ankhi Banerjee</i> )	
	Land Assembly Parallax: The ad-hocism conundrum. ( <i>Triveni Prasad Nanda &amp; Aparna Soni</i> )	
		Student in charge & Rapporteur: <b>Sukanya, Puja, Ria</b>
	<b>1.1B: Public spaces and place making.</b>	Zoom Link: <a href="https://zoom.us/j/98720952338?pwd=b1VaWWE3ZStwcZnNURURKZzMxS2t6Zz09">https://zoom.us/j/98720952338?pwd=b1VaWWE3ZStwcZnNURURKZzMxS2t6Zz09</a> Meeting ID: 987 2095 2338 Passcode: 663024
	<b>Session Chair: Shradha Kumar</b>	
	Change in The Meaning of Place from Messbari To Paying Guest Accommodation: A Study In Cinematography. ( <i>Debalay Ganguly</i> )	
	Interspersing high density residential and planned commercial development for safe and inclusive urban neighbourhoods: A case of Noida ( <i>Sunny Agarwal, &amp; Anurita Bhatnagar</i> )	
	Sanitation Status in Urban Village of Delhi: A Case Study of Khirki ( <i>Meghna Ray, &amp; Surjali Das</i> )	
	Open Public Spaces and Placemaking: Case study of Bangalore Metropolitan Region ( <i>Vinita Yadav, &amp; Sherin Jacob</i> )	
		Student in charge & Rapporteur: <b>Ankita, Aditya, Lagnaa</b>
13:15 – 14:30	Lunch break	
14:30 – 15:30	<b>1.2 - Theme Keynote Address</b>	Zoom Link: <a href="https://zoom.us/j/99547335830?pwd=SDQ5cks5NGx0OXA0bzBwVy9jeFFZZz09">https://zoom.us/j/99547335830?pwd=SDQ5cks5NGx0OXA0bzBwVy9jeFFZZz09</a> Meeting ID: 995 4733 5830 Passcode: 168965
	<b>Speaker:</b> Prof. Philip Harrison, University of Witwatersrand, South Africa	
	<b>Moderator:</b> Prof. Tathagata Chatterji	
		Student in charge & Rapporteur: <b>Ria, Kahini, Preetikrishna</b>
15:30 – 16:00	break	

Session – 1.3 (A & B; two parallel sessions)

**1.3A: Infrastructure networks and delivery processes** Zoom Link: <https://zoom.us/j/99547335830?pwd=SDQ5cks5NGx0OXA0bzBwVy9jeFFZz09>  
**Session Chair: Prof. Nalin Ranjan** Meeting ID: 995 4733 5830 Passcode: 168965

Infrastructure for the Evolving Mega Region of Kerala. (*Arumugam K, & Mohammed Firoz*)

Rethinking Urban Systems in Post-Pandemic World (*Dr. Bhawana Vasudeva*)

Implications of the social distancing norms on mobility patterns and choices. (*Himani Rangoonwala, & Prem Kumar. S*)

The Study of Urban Drinking Water Governance Networks and Infrastructures in Jammu and Kashmir. (*Priyank Goswami, & Dr. Gyana Ranjan Panda*)

Student in charge & Rapporteur: Jayshree, Debalay, Pragyandipta

**1.3B: Infrastructure & Public spaces and place making** Zoom Link: <https://zoom.us/j/98720952338?pwd=b1VaWWE3ZStwczNnRURKZzMxS2t6Zz09>  
**Session Chair: Prof. Jublee Mazumdar** Meeting ID: 987 2095 2338 Passcode: 663024

The rising need for knowledge based cities (*Swati Singh*)

Reinventing Streets as Places (*Abhipsa Mallick*)

Social Aesthetics Through the Eyes of Urban Walls (*Sonali Borate*)

Reducing disutility of travelers at transit hubs in Bhubaneswar (*Asish Kumar Patro, Prashant Prasad*)

Student in charge & Rapporteur: Bigyan, Marcelline, Manaswini

16:00 – 17:30

17:30 – 18:00

break

18:00 – 19:00

1.4 - Theme Keynote Address

Zoom Link: <https://zoom.us/j/99547335830?pwd=SDQ5cks5NGx0OXA0bzBwVy9jeFFZz09>  
 Meeting ID: 995 4733 5830 Passcode: 168965

**Speaker:** Neema Kudva, Associate Professor, City & Regional Planning, Cornell University

**Moderator:** Prof. Kajri Misra

Student in charge & Rapporteur: Sukanya, Aditya, Ankita

DAY 2 - 11<sup>th</sup> February 2021

10:00-11:30

Session – 2.1 (A & B; two parallel sessions)

**2.1A: Patterns of economy and employment generation** Zoom Link: <https://zoom.us/j/99547335830?pwd=SDQ5cks5NGx0OXA0bzBwVy9jeFFZz09>  
**Session Chair: Dr. Swati Watts** Meeting ID: 995 4733 5830 Passcode: 168965

Evaluating the Socio-Economic Condition of Garment's Workers in Rajshahi City. (*Shahed Mahmud Ayan, Tayaba Tabassum Orthy, Mashfiq Anzum Arnob, Labib Intisar, Md. Sakib Zubayer & Muhaiminul Islam*)

Bhubaneswar Capital Regional Planning (*Jayshree Pradhan, Preetikrishna Panda, Rajesh Pradhan, Alisha Khan, & Debalay Ganguly*)

Temple Waste Utilization an approach to provide livelihood to slum dwellers in the City; A case of Bhubaneswar. (*Shrestha Das, & Shreyash Subudhi*)

Employment generation, not an autonomous variable depends on the structural composition of the economy. (*Dr R K Arya, & Dr. Swati Watts*)

Student in charge & Rapporteur: Rajesh, Marcelline, Debashrita

**2.1B: Environmental Risks and Resilience** Zoom Link: <https://zoom.us/j/98720952338?pwd=b1VaWWE3ZStwczNnRURKZzMxS2t6Zz09>  
**Session Chair: Prof. Jublee Mazumdar** Meeting ID: 987 2095 2338 Passcode: 663024

Impacts of urban morphology on urban heat islands (*Aditi Sandhu, & Mohak Verma*)

Environmental and financial sustainability for Urban developments (*Anwesa Padhi*)

Climate Change and City Resilience: The Study of Gender Mainstreaming to address the Climate Vulnerability in Bikaner city (Arid City) of Rajasthan (*Divya Sharma, & Dr. Gyana Ranjan Panda*)

Urban Crime Mitigation and Creation of Safer Space: The Community Policing Approach in Kolkata (*Dr. Anuradha Mukherjee*)

Student in charge & Rapporteur: Jayshree, Debalay, Lagna

11:30 – 12:00

break

12:00-13:00	<b>2.2 - Theme Keynote Address</b>	Zoom Link: <a href="https://zoom.us/j/99547335830?pwd=SDQ5cks5NGx0OXA0bzBwVy9jeFFZZz09">https://zoom.us/j/99547335830?pwd=SDQ5cks5NGx0OXA0bzBwVy9jeFFZZz09</a> Meeting ID: 995 4733 5830 Passcode: 168965
	<b>Speaker:</b> Fedor Kudryatsev, Professor at Moscow University and director of Arch NOVA Lab Moscow <b>Moderator:</b> Prof. Shraddha Kumar	Student in charge & Rapporteur: Saroj, Sukanya; Abhisek

13:00 – 14:30

Lunch break

14:30-16:00	<b>Session – 2.3 (A &amp; B; two parallel sessions)</b>	
	<b>2.3A: Public spaces and place making.</b>	Zoom Link: <a href="https://zoom.us/j/99547335830?pwd=SDQ5cks5NGx0OXA0bzBwVy9jeFFZZz09">https://zoom.us/j/99547335830?pwd=SDQ5cks5NGx0OXA0bzBwVy9jeFFZZz09</a> Meeting ID: 995 4733 5830 Passcode: 168965
	<b>Session Chair:</b> Prof. Jublee Mazumdar	
	An Assessment of The Socio-Economic and Health Scenario of The Slum Dwellers in Rajshahi City During COVID-19 Pandemic Period ( <i>Shahed Mahmud Ayan, Tayaba Tabassum Orthy, Mashfiq Anzum Arnob, Labib Intisar, &amp; Md. Sakib Zubayer</i> )	
	Conflicts & Interpretations in Defining the Power of Public Space ( <i>Shraddha Kumar</i> )	
	A Planning Proposal for Creating the 'Complete Urban Street' through the Concept of 'Link and Place': A Case Study of L. P. Savani Road, Surat City ( <i>Mevawala Jency Pankajbhai</i> )	
	Role of Public Spaces promoting health for the frail in the urban renewal projects: A semi-systematic literature review to develop a conceptual framework for Urban Public Spaces. ( <i>Mohana Das</i> )	
	Student in charge & Rapporteur: Sukanya, Alina, Ria	
	<b>2.3B: Public spaces and place making.</b>	Zoom Link: <a href="https://zoom.us/j/98720952338?pwd=b1VaWWE3ZStwczNnRURKZzIxS2t6Zz09">https://zoom.us/j/98720952338?pwd=b1VaWWE3ZStwczNnRURKZzIxS2t6Zz09</a> Meeting ID: 987 2095 2338 Passcode: 663024
	<b>Session Chair:</b> Prof. Atanu Chatterjee	
	Challenges of Slums for Smart City Branding: A Qualitative Study ( <i>Dr. Sandeep Kumar Mohanty</i> )	
	Imagining a Fit Urban Future: Role of Parks in Enhancing Physical Activity ( <i>Lakshyayog</i> )	
	Urban Renewal to Achieve Sustainability ( <i>Manasa.M, &amp; V.Harini</i> )	
	The Role of Informality in Shaping Public Space in India: A Case of Street Vendor Evictions in Bengaluru ( <i>Meghna Mohandas</i> )	
	Student in charge & Rapporteur: Ankita, Bigyan, Puja	

16:00 – 16:30

break

16:30-18:00	<b>Session – 2.4 (A &amp; B; two parallel sessions)</b>	
	<b>2.4A: Public spaces and place making.</b>	Zoom Link: <a href="https://zoom.us/j/99547335830?pwd=SDQ5cks5NGx0OXA0bzBwVy9jeFFZZz09">https://zoom.us/j/99547335830?pwd=SDQ5cks5NGx0OXA0bzBwVy9jeFFZZz09</a> Meeting ID: 995 4733 5830 Passcode: 168965
	<b>Session Chair:</b> Prof. Nalin Ranjan	
	Creating urban-rural continuum through place based interventions ( <i>Vivek Walia, &amp; Anurita Bhatanagar</i> )	
	Systemic perspective on urban public spaces: a case of Indian cities. ( <i>Moiz Uddin</i> )	
	WHO'S CITY: The disparity between the core and the new infringing urban landscape in the post industrial city of Kolkata ( <i>Susmita Paul, &amp; Shubhajit Bagchi</i> )	
	Spatial assessment framework for Quality of Life in urban areas- a case of Kozhikode, Kerala, India ( <i>Fathima Zehba M. P., &amp; Dr. Mohammed Firoz C.</i> )	
	Student in charge & Rapporteur: Preetikrishna, Lagna, Pragyandipta	
	<b>2.4B: Housing &amp; Shelter</b>	Zoom Link: <a href="https://zoom.us/j/98720952338?pwd=b1VaWWE3ZStwczNnRURKZzIxS2t6Zz09">https://zoom.us/j/98720952338?pwd=b1VaWWE3ZStwczNnRURKZzIxS2t6Zz09</a> Meeting ID: 987 2095 2338 Passcode: 663024
	<b>Session Chair:</b> Prof. Atanu Chatterjee	
	Understanding the Cause of Informal Settlements: A Case Study of New Delhi Capital Region ( <i>Aiswarya Mishra</i> )	
	Accelerators for Affordable Housing: What does it mean for Housing Ecosystem in India? ( <i>Anurita Bhatnagar</i> )	
	Housing for All in Urban India- Myths and Realities ( <i>Jit Kumar Gupta, &amp; Chitrandha</i> )	
	New Determinants of Housing in Urban Sprawl ( <i>Dr. Bhawana Vasudeva</i> )	
	Student in charge & Rapporteur: Alisha, Manaswini, Debashrita	

DAY 3 - 12<sup>th</sup> February 2021

10:00-11:30	Session – 3.1 (A & B; two parallel sessions)	
	<b>3.1A: Housing &amp; Shelter; Management and leadership</b>	Zoom Link: <a href="https://zoom.us/j/99547335830?pwd=SDQ5cks5NGx0OXA0bzBwVy9jeFFZZz09">https://zoom.us/j/99547335830?pwd=SDQ5cks5NGx0OXA0bzBwVy9jeFFZZz09</a>
	Session Chair: Prof. Atanu Chatterjee	Meeting ID: 995 4733 5830 Passcode: 168965
	Need for stakeholder mapping in in-situ resettlement projects for urban slums. ( <i>Jain .K. George, &amp; Dr. Binumol Tom</i> )	
	Unheard Voices: COVID Responsive Planning for the Homeless ( <i>Satorupa Karmakar</i> )	
	Urban Liveability for Sustainable Development: A Perspective ( <i>Kapil Kumar Gavsker</i> )	
	Student in charge & Rapporteur: Rajesh, Marcelline, Manaswini	
	<b>3.1B: Public spaces and place making</b>	Zoom Link: <a href="https://zoom.us/j/98720952338?pwd=b1VaWWE3ZStwcZnRURKZzMxS2t6Zz09">https://zoom.us/j/98720952338?pwd=b1VaWWE3ZStwcZnRURKZzMxS2t6Zz09</a>
	Session Chair: Prof. Shraddha Kumar	Meeting ID: 987 2095 2338 Passcode: 663024
	Reclaiming Streets as Public Spaces: A Case in Bengaluru. ( <i>Namrata Pulsay</i> )	
	Redevelopment of Thyagaraya Nagar as a Commercial Hub using NMT strategies ( <i>Nivethitha RL.</i> )	
	Placemaking of 'Ghats' and Everyday Hydrosocial Relations ( <i>Raina Ghosh</i> )	
	Envisioning Eco-scapes for Healthy Urban Environments: A future to indemnify the past through passive measures ( <i>Saisha Mattoo</i> )	
	Student in charge & Rapporteur: Preetikrishna, Ria, Aditya	
11:30 – 12:00	break	
12:00-13:30	3.2 - Theme Keynote Address	
	Zoom Link: <a href="https://zoom.us/j/99547335830?pwd=SDQ5cks5NGx0OXA0bzBwVy9jeFFZZz09">https://zoom.us/j/99547335830?pwd=SDQ5cks5NGx0OXA0bzBwVy9jeFFZZz09</a>	
	Meeting ID: 995 4733 5830 Passcode: 168965	
	<b>Speakers:</b> Kenia Marco Kamiya, Senior Economist, Knowledge & Innovation Branch, UN-HABITAT Global Headquarters in Kenya Anumita Roychowdhury, Executive Director, Research and Advocacy, Centre for Science and Environment	
	<b>Moderator:</b> Prof. Prashant Prasad, School of Human Settlements, Xavier University Bhubaneswar	
	Student in charge & Rapporteur: Alisha, Aditya, Abhisek	
13:30 – 14:30	Lunch break	
14:30-16:00	Session – 3.3 (A & B; two parallel sessions)	
	<b>3.3A: Environmental Risks and Resilience</b>	Zoom Link: <a href="https://zoom.us/j/99547335830?pwd=SDQ5cks5NGx0OXA0bzBwVy9jeFFZZz09">https://zoom.us/j/99547335830?pwd=SDQ5cks5NGx0OXA0bzBwVy9jeFFZZz09</a>
	Session Chair: Prof. Jublee Mazumdar	Meeting ID: 995 4733 5830 Passcode: 168965
	Heritage led urban regeneration for a sustainable future for Kolkata ( <i>Dr. Nilina Deb Lal</i> )	
	Urban Design Strategies for Water Resource Management ( <i>Gayathri Ranagith, &amp; Prof. Aparna S</i> )	
	Assessing the existing urban flooding risk in the smart city of Bhubaneswar ( <i>Kahini Ojha, &amp; Prof. Jublee Mazumdar</i> )	
	Natural hazard vulnerability of Kerala for disaster risk reduction ( <i>Meghna Anilkumar, Mohammed Firoz C, Sruthi Krishnan V, &amp; Susan Cyriac</i> )	
	Student in charge & Rapporteur: Jayshree, Sukanya, Debalay	
	<b>3.3B: Environmental Risks and Resilience</b>	Zoom Link: <a href="https://zoom.us/j/98720952338?pwd=b1VaWWE3ZStwcZnRURKZzMxS2t6Zz09">https://zoom.us/j/98720952338?pwd=b1VaWWE3ZStwcZnRURKZzMxS2t6Zz09</a>
	Session Chair: Prof. Nalin Ranjan	Meeting ID: 987 2095 2338 Passcode: 663024
	Future of waste to energy in India ( <i>Nalin Ranjan</i> )	
	Analysis of Urban Sprawl and Environment in Corridor of Delhi-Bahadurgarh, Central NCR Region ( <i>Pooja Roy</i> )	
	Impact of Development on Natural Drainage- A Case of Chennai ( <i>Prakhar Rathi, &amp; Gautamee Baviskar</i> )	
	Solar city planning from a bird's eye view ( <i>Radhika Bhanja, &amp; Koel Roychowdhury</i> )	
	Analysis of Land Use Land Cover Change (LULCC) and its impact on Kerala's environmental resilience ( <i>Qurratul Ain Maryam, &amp; Mohammed Firoz</i> )	
	Student in charge & Rapporteur: Preetikrishna, Bigyan, Saroj	
16:00 – 16:30	break	
16:30-17:30	Valedictory Session	
	Venue: CH-01 Zoom Link: <a href="https://zoom.us/j/99547335830?pwd=SDQ5cks5NGx0OXA0bzBwVy9jeFFZZz09">https://zoom.us/j/99547335830?pwd=SDQ5cks5NGx0OXA0bzBwVy9jeFFZZz09</a>	
	Meeting ID: 995 4733 5830 Passcode: 168965	
	Conference Roundup – Prof. Tathagata Chatterji	
	Awards – Fr. Augustine, S.J, Registrar, XUB	
	Vote of Thanks – Prof. Prashant Prasad	
	Student in charge & emcee & Rapporteur: Rajesh, Abhisek, Alisha, Debalay, Marcelline	