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World Bank sessions @WUF to help cities manage rapid urbanization

MEDELLIN,, April 8, 2014 - The World Bank will convene discussions which focus on helping cities better manage rapid urbanization at the World Urban Forum, which are open to members of the media. We hope you can join us.

Planning, Connecting, and Financing Cities – Now!

A panel discussion organized jointly with SECO around a framework for urbanization developed by the World Bank to help city leaders make informed decisions to positively influence the pace, magnitude, and impact of urbanization and city development. This work is informed by a series of Urbanization Reviews conducted in cities around the world, that will be discussed by the panel including leaders from Tunisia, Colombia, Ghana, Brazil, Senegal and South Africa.

Wednesday, April 9, 14.00-16.00
Red Pavilion, 22
Networking Event

Low-Carbon Livable Cities (LC2) Initiative: Getting Cities Ready & Finance Flowing for Climate Action

The World Bank will present its new initiatives to support cities as they plan their low-carbon, livable future – the Low-Carbon, Livable Cities Initiative, followed by a panel discussion with representatives of cities and institutions that are collaborating on the initiative.

Thursday, April 10, 12.15-13.45
One UN Room

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