

WORKSHOP 1

Implementing low carbon urban environment





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5 QUOTES

- Car is like a diamond ring (Ronita, Calcutta)
- Decisionmakers in Beijing, Delhi, Jakarta determine the future of the world (IHT/Jeremy)
- Planners are not decisionmakers (an.)
- NL is not full, it looks full (Maren)
- There are no answers, just choices (Steven Soderbergh/ Mira)

STORY LINES

LOCAL 1.

-Low carbon – *Liveability*

-1st world - 2 emerging world - 3 developing world

-1st world: low carbon high tech (techniques, methods GIS etc.)

-3d world: liveability first place: access to resources, food, shelter, income → priorities

-developping world: low carbon luxury?
Sustainable ↔ affordable ??

-Low Carbon → Low Cost, Low Tech, Local oriented:
NO Copy Paste → Example Amani Village Kenya (Peter Njue)

STORY LINES

LOCAL 2

- National guidelines \leftrightarrow local solutions low carbon
- China national guidelines: Superblocks, superlanes
- What happened to the 'kingdom of bicycles' ?
- Urban form \rightarrow Slow traffic \rightarrow Low carbon
- ‘ONE SIZE FITS ALL’ \leftrightarrow LOCAL

STORY LINES

3 MEGACITIES

(Calcutta, Nairobi, Ho Chi Minh city)

- Decisionmakers megacities determine world's future**
- Unknown scale, unknown forms (mosaics, fishnets), unknown planning** (Jeremy)
- new planning paradigm : it is urban, not a city**
- implementing low carbon?**
first steps to be made on all the scales:
sites, cities, megacities/ regions

STORY LINES

4 THE OLD WORLD

-shrinking (Oporto)

-Low carbon → existing urban area, existing housing stock

-opportunities: high tech solutions, high tech methods (Trento)

-Randstad- Hong Kong: green space + high density

RS: Sophisticated/ governance/ many municipalities/ dispersed ownership

HK:1 Authority/ 1 owner

-Reuse Brownfield, lessons learned old → new world (implementation, methods/ gis etc.)

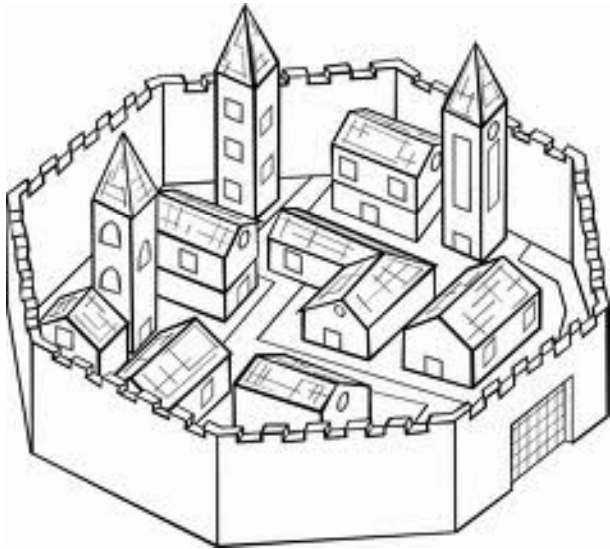
STORY LINES

6 PPP

Politicians, Public, Planners

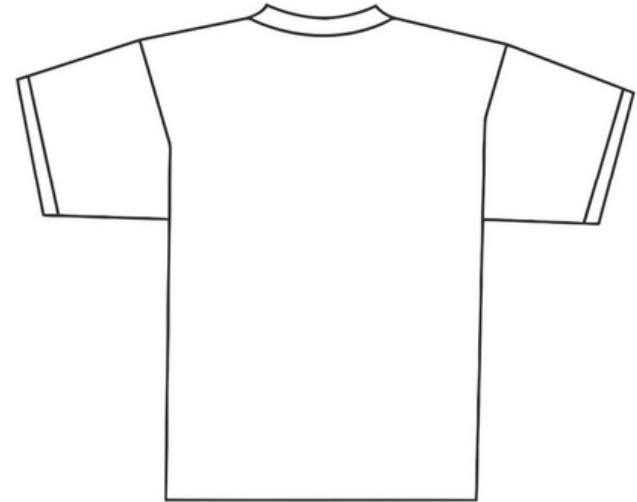
- Politicians decide
- Planners advise
- Public participates ? →opinion→pressure→ influence
- Germany ≠ Kenya

City



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T-shirt



‘One size fits all’

