The Deventer workshop was developed to foster a better understanding of spatial planning legal frameworks and their **SUBSEQUENT ISSUES**.

The workshop consisted of presentations from local municipalities and international urban planning professionals, a site visit, and an **IMPLEMENTATION LAB**.

The diverse presentations ranged from how local governments will integrate the proposed Dutch **ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING ACT** to collaborative planning processes of redeveloped informal settlements in South Africa.

Workshop participants toured Deventer’s **HARBOR QUARTER** where old industrial buildings are being transformed into mixed-use community-oriented spaces.
POWER BALANCE
FOSTER MORE INDIVIDUAL PARTICIPATION RATHER THAN REPRESENTATIVE PARTICIPATION.
FLEXIBILITY THROUGH NEGOTIATION.

DEREGULATED SPACE
VALUES ARE DETERMINED AT DIFFERENT LEVELS INDICATING WHAT IS NON-NEGOTIABLE AND NEGOTIABLE WHEN CREATING A RELIABLE PLANNING FRAMEWORK.

INNOVATIVE INSTRUMENTS

EXCHANGEABILITY OF VALUES
PROACTIVE COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION MUST BE IMPLEMENTED TO DEFINE ENVIRONMENTAL AND SOCIAL VALUES AS WELL AS COMPENSATION MECHANISMS ON A SITE LEVEL.

STRENGTHEN COOPERATION

ALLOW FLEXIBILITY