



GENEVA URBAN DEBATE

ONLINE EVENT

**Post-covid  
Economic &  
Financial  
Recovery: What  
about the City?**

**28 June 2021  
13:30 - 15:30 CEST**

Cities are at the core of the recovery process in response to the Covid crisis. Learning from their experience is an opportunity to work towards a resilient and sustainable urban future.

The "[Global Compendium of Practices on Local Economic and Financial Recovery](#)" has been produced by UN-HABITAT and its partners to document an overview of the measures cities in all regions undertook to face the economic downfall caused by the public health crisis:

- What are the key characteristics that enable cities to be resilient?
- What lessons can be drawn from the experiences of local leaders who are on the front-line during the pandemic?
- How can the international community help cities to recover better?

Local governments will share their experiences and initiatives to respond to this multifaceted crisis.

English/Russian interpretation will be available.

## **Presentation of the Global Compendium**

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- Mr Esteban Leon, UN-Habitat, Chief, City Resilience Global Program

## **Interactive Panel**

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- Mr Juan Valle Robles, UNECE, introducing Mr Maksatbek Sazykulov, Vice Mayor of Bishkek City, Kyrgyzstan
- Ms Tamara Nikolic, World Bank, Europe and Central Asia, Urban Resilience and Land, and Mr Marjan Nikolov, Center for Economic Analysis (CEA), introducing Ms Marina Jandrevska, Representative from Municipality of Kisela Voda, City of Skopje, North Macedonia
- Ms Rosa Surinach, introducing Ms Gabriela Uchoa, Director of Urban Resilience Programme in the Municipality of Teresina, Brazil
- Ms Helena Monteiro, Making Cities Resilient 2030, UNDRR introducing Dr. José Reis, Principal Policy Officer, Economic Strategy, Greater London Authority, UK
- Mr Dmitry Pozhidaev, UN Capital Development Fund, UNCDF, introducing Mr Wadri Sam Nyakua, Mayor of the City of Arua, Uganda

## **Model of Recovery Scheme**

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For this 3rd Geneva Urban Debate, the organizers offer to develop case studies to the Compendium for additional cities based on the information provided by those cities. The additional studies after review by UN-HABITAT could be published as part of the Compendium.

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## **Registration**

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