

# URBAN

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## SYMPOSIUM URBAN STUDIES IN EDUCATION AND RESEARCH

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## Call for Abstracts

Interested **YOUNG SCIENTISTS / POSTGRADUATES / RESEARCHERS** can apply:

- to publish their work in the peer-reviewed and Scopus-indexed Research in Urbanism Series (RiUS), an academic publication series hosted by TU Delft. The editorial team (Humann, Mensing-de-Jong, Nijhuis and Wende) will invite authors to elaborate their contribution into an academic paper after the conference.
- to design, chair and document one of six workshops on the topic of „Urban Studies in Education and Research“.
- to contribute to the poster exhibition accompanying the symposium.

Contributions can address topics such as:

- new educational models to teach complexity
- problem solution strategies versus place making
- research by design versus design by research
- emerging research agendas
- etc.

Applications can be submitted from today. Simply insert an abstract of max. 350 words using the following website.

## Submission/Online Registration

Submissions by 20 July 2018 to:

<http://urban-studies.ioer.info/call-for-abstracts/>

The abstracts will be selected by an international conference board based on the criteria of suitability to the topic of „Urban Studies in Education and Research“ as well as innovation, internationality and academic relevance.

In particular, young researchers are expressly encouraged to present and discuss new approaches and formats in education and research and to establish contacts with international partners.

Online registration expected to be available on the conference website from mid-August 2018:

<http://urban-studies.ioer.info/>

Registration and participation in the event is free of charge. The number of participants is limited to 100. From 1 November 2018, an administrative charge of € 50 will be levied on cancellations, withdrawals or non-participation.



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## What is it all about?

The world is facing considerable global challenges related to urbanisation. More than half of the global population already lives in cities and the trend towards urban growth – whether planned or informal – seems to continue. Goal 11 of the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals is to "Make cities inclusive, safe, resilient and sustainable" while the New Urban Agenda/Habitat III provides a framework for such an urban development as well as urban landscapes of the future. But what does this mean for education and research? Do we need innovative formats for communication and instruction? Which emerging research topics can be identified?

An international symposium to be held on 15 and 16 of November 2018 at the TU Dresden together with IOER will address these challenges of global urbanisation and will translate new requirements, ideas and creative solutions to the level of university education and future research agendas. Architects, landscape architects, urban designers and city planners will provide impulses for a comprehensive discussion, which will be taken up and analysed more closely in workshops.

The English-language symposium will be a platform for a professional exchange on „Urban Studies in Education and Research“ and on the design and development of urban living space. In the framework of the symposium, it is planned to establish network structures for further cooperation. The aim is to identify common interests and key areas with strategic international partners – TU Delft, CTU Prague, Wrocław University and beyond – by means of diverse lecture, discussion and working formats and thus lay the foundation for future projects.

Through the consolidation of architectural education in Dresden, the Institute of Urban and Regional Planning (in future: Institute of Urbanism and Urban Studies) will expand from 1 September 2018 to include four professorships. The associated adjustment gives us the opportunity to discuss and redefine positions and goals of the institute's academic work and profile.

## Contact

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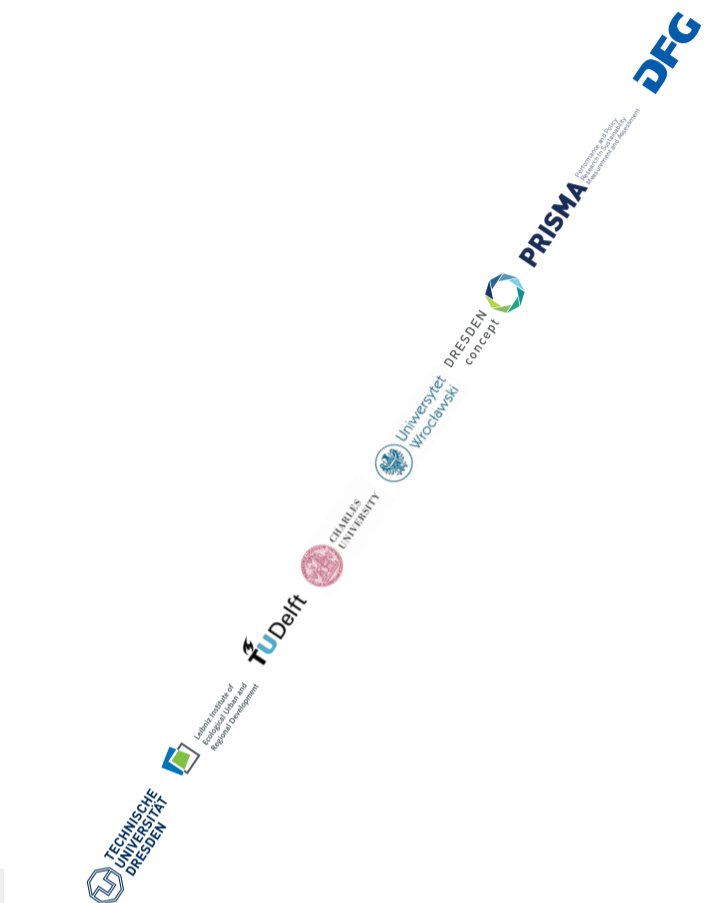
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The symposium language is English. The participation in the event is free of charge.

## The Venue

**TU Dresden, Dülfersaal**  
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