

**Joint Conference of the Institute of Public Policy and URBAM (EAFIT University, Medellín)
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**The ‘Southern Tilt’ in the Urban: Embedded Wisdom and Cultural Specificity as Pathways to Planning
(13-15 February 2020)**

13 th Feb	Speakers
09.00-10.30 am (Inaugural)	Sony Pellissery /Anjali Karol Mohan / Introduction by participants Smita Srinivas (Technological Change Lab, MIT): “Global South Classification Challenges in Economic Development Plans”
<i>10.30-11.00 (Coffee)</i>	
11.00-13.00 pm (Panel 1)	Debarun Sarkar (University of Mumbai): ‘Edges of Time’ and Planning in Post-colonial ‘Calcutta-Region’
Chair: Sony Pellissery	Aashish Khakha (Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai): ‘Urban Planning in a Tribal Region: Reflections from a Fifth Schedule Area of India’
	Bianca Shah (Indian Institute of Management Ahmedabad): Informalities: Planned in Planning
<i>13.00-14.00 (Lunch)</i>	
14.00-16.00 pm (Panel 2)	Oren Yiftachel (University of London): From displacement to displaceability: A South-Eastern Perspective

Chair: Anjali Karol Mohan	Cheshta Arora (National Institute of Advanced Studies, Bangalore): “This area feels like a slum”: informality and its distribution at the fringes of Bengaluru or at the heart of India’s Silicon Valley
	Santiago Mejia Dugand (URBAM, Medellin): Adopting or adapting? Cities and their socio-technical configurations
14th Feb	
09.00-11.00 am (Panel 3)	Shantala V. (BMS College of Architecture, Bangalore): Production of residential space in peri-Urban
Chair: Anjali Karol Mohan	Sarani Khatua (University of Calcutta): Addressing Metropolitan Governance through Suburban Space in an Ordinary City Region
11.30–13:00 pm Keynote address:	Gautam Patel (Judge, High Court of Bombay): Keynote address “Aliens and Predators: Injustice and Inequity in Contemporary Urban Planning”
13.00 (lunch)	
14.00-15.30 pm (Panel 4) –	Roshan Thomas (St. Joseph’s College, Bangalore): "Examining the differences in peri-urban area within Bangalore Urban district"
Chair: Chiranjib Sen	Marianne Millstein (Oslo Metropolitan University): The Making and Re-making of Citizenship in a Divided City: Complexities of State Housing projects in Cape Town, South Africa
16.00 (Coffee)	

16.00 Keynote Address	Bijal Brahmabatt (Director, Mahila Housing SEWA Trust): “Informality and Urban Planning: Issues and Opportunities”
15 Feb	
09.00-10.00 am	Roundtable (Chaired by Anjali Mohan and Sony Pellissery)
10.30-12.00 pm	Youngsters’ corner (Finalists of Urban Imagination Competition: Five college students’ teams get 20 minutes each to make a presentation)
13.00 pm	Valediction

Notes:

- Each **speaker** will get **20 minutes** to make an exposition of the paper.
- Immediately after the speaker makes presentation, **discussant** will get **five minutes** to critically engage with the paper to raise 1-2 questions connecting the paper to the theme of the conference (<http://mpp.nls.ac.in/wp-content/uploads/2019/09/CallforPaperSept2019.pdf>). There is no chance for the speaker to respond to the questions at that stage. Chance for speaker to respond is after all papers are completed and **Chair** makes some comments connecting papers.

Registration:

Registration for the conference is free. However, you need to register by sending an email to Ms. Shashikala at shashikala@nls.ac.in.