

**Joint Conference of the Institute of Public Policy and URBAM (EAFIT University, Medellín) funded by Urban Studies Foundation, UK on**

The 'Southern Tilt' in the Urban: Embedded Wisdom and Cultural Specificity as Pathways to Planning

(13-15 February 2020)

13 <sup>th</sup> Feb	<b>Speakers</b>
9.00-10.30 (Inaugural)	Sony Pellissery/Anjali Karol Mohan / Introduction by participants Smita Srinivas (Technological Change Lab, MIT): "Global South Classification Challenges in Economic Development Plans"
	10.30-11.00 (Coffee)
11.00-13.00 <b>(Panel 1)</b> Chair: Sony Pellissery	Debarun Sarkar (University of Mumbai): <b>'Edges of time' and planning in post-colonial 'Calcutta-region'</b> Aashish Khakha (Tata Institute of Social Sciences, Mumbai): <b>'Urban Planning in a Tribal Region: Reflections from a Fifth Schedule Area of India'</b> Bianca Shah (Indian Institute of Management Ahmedabad): <b>Informalities: Planned in Planning</b>
	13.00-14.00 (Lunch)
14.00-16.00 <b>(Panel 2)</b> Chair: Anjali Karol Mohan	Oren Yiftachel (University of London): From displacement to displaceability: A Southeastern Perspective Cheshta Arora (National Institute of Advanced Studies, Bangalore): <b>"This area feels like a slum": informality and its distribution at the fringes of Bengaluru or at the heart of India's Silicon Valley</b> Santiago Mejia Dugand (URBAM, Medellin): <b>Adopting or adapting? Cities and their socio-technical configurations</b>
14 <sup>th</sup> Feb	
9.00-11.00 <b>(Panel 3)</b> Chair: Anjali Karol Mohan	Shantala V. (BMS College of Architecture, Bangalore): <b>Production of residential space in peri-Urban</b> Sarani Khatua (University of Calcutta): <b>Addressing Metropolitan Governance through Suburban Space in an Ordinary City Region</b>
11.30 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 <b>(Panel 4)</b> – Chair: Chiranjib Sen	Roshan Thomas (St. Joseph's College, Bangalore): <b>"Examining the differences in peri-urban area within Bangalore Urban district"</b> Marianne Millstein (Oslo Metropolitan University): <b>The making and re-making of citizenship in a divided city: Complexities of state housing projects in Cape Town, South Africa</b>

16.00 (Coffee)	
16.00 Keynote Address	Bijal Brahmabatt (Director, Mahila Housing SEWA Trust): “Informality and urban planning: issues and opportunities”
15 Feb	
9.00-10.00	Roundtable (Chaired by Anjali Mohan and Sony Pellissery)
10.30-12.00	Youngsters’ corner (Finalists of Urban Imagination Competition: Five college students’ teams get 20 minutes each to make a presentation)
13.00	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](mailto:shashikala@nls.ac.in).