



Quito, GIZ SUTP - October 2016

# Expert dialogue:

Towards Livable Cities - The Role of Urban Mobility

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## Your Experts



**Carlos Felipe Pardo** is a Colombian psychologist with an MSc in Contemporary Urbanism from the London School of Economics. He has worked on

transportation issues from the organizational, advocacy and policy perspectives, with several projects in his country and abroad. During 2005-2009, he coordinated the GTZ Sustainable Urban Transport Project in Asia and Latin America ([www.sutp.org](http://www.sutp.org)) and was later ITDP Country Director for Colombia until 2010. Since 2011 he is the Executive Director of Despacio.

### **Santhosh Kodukula**

completed his masters in Environmental management from Mahidol University, Thailand. His specialisation in masters was Urban and Regional Planning with focus on



Transport planning. His thesis was aimed towards finding the benefits for pedestrianisation to a city. Since 2006 and until 2012, Mr. Kodukula worked with the GTZ-Sustainable Urban Transport project by providing assistance to all project activities, especially in the development and delivery of training courses. He is currently Ecomobility Officer at ICLEI.



**Dr. Dario Hidalgo** holds Ph.D. and M.Sc. degrees in Transportation Planning from Ohio State University, and a Civil Engineering degree from Universidad de

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los Andes, Colombia. He leads the EMBARQ Network's international team of transport engineers, urban planning specialists and environmental scientists. This team is involved in sustainable transport and urban development projects in India, Mexico, Brazil, Turkey, the Andean Region and China. He also coordinates the Observatory of the BRT-ALC Center of Excellence. For more than 20 years he was engaged in urban transport projects and taught training courses in 10+ countries of Latin America, Asia and Africa. He has also been a lecturer in urban planning and is the author of 55 publications and conference presentations, including an extensive review of bus systems in developing countries.

**Nicolás Estupiñán** is an international transport policy advisor. He works with CAF- Development Bank of Latin America as an Urban Transport Specialist responsible for developing,



enhancing and coordinating the urban transport agenda for the Southern Region (Argentina, Bolivia, Brazil, Chile, Paraguay and Uruguay), as well as the World Bank as an Urban Transport Adviser. He was recently the Deputy Minister of Transport for Colombia.

### **Complementary material:**

Participants will receive a CD with the following:

1. All presentations given during the course
2. A compilation of GIZ documents on sustainable transport.



# Detailed program



<b>Time</b>	<b>Towards livable Cities- The Role of Urban Mobility</b>
9:00 - 9:15	Introduction and welcome: Inauguration by Franz Marré, Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development, Germany and Ma de los Ángeles Duarte, Ministra, Miduvi
9:15 - 10:15	The role of urban transport and land- use planning towards creating equitable and livable cities within the New Urban Agenda
<b>10:15 - 10:30</b>	<b>Break</b>
10:30 - 11:30	Urban Livability and the New Urban Agenda: key issues, participant brainstorming on problems and known solutions
11:15 - 12:30	Sustainable Mobility in Latin America: how to make it happen (and lessons learned) – including discussion (Dario Hidalgo)
<b>12:30 - 13:30</b>	<b>Lunch</b>
13:30 - 15:30	Public Transport Reform, Non-motorized transport, Travel Demand Management and Integration: implementing and integrating (principles and experiences)
<b>15:30 - 15:45</b>	<b>Break</b>
15:45 - 17:00	Exercise: Budgeting for sustainable mobility and livability (with introduction on financing sustainable transport by Nicolás Estupiñán, CAF)
17:00 - 17.15	Closing, evaluation and certificates

## Objective



This full day expert dialogue will describe the challenges of creating livable cities and the role that urban mobility can have to increase livability while reducing carbon emissions and improving travel conditions for citizens. To provide greater insights on such issues, the course will describe key elements of livability and how it is measured, and will then focus on sustainable mobility and its components. The dialogue is aimed at city officials and urban planners interested in the issue and with direct implementation capacity in developing cities.

## We expect

Engineers, planners, policy makers, public officials at the technical level or transport agency staff as participants of this expert dialogue.

Languages: **Spanish and English**

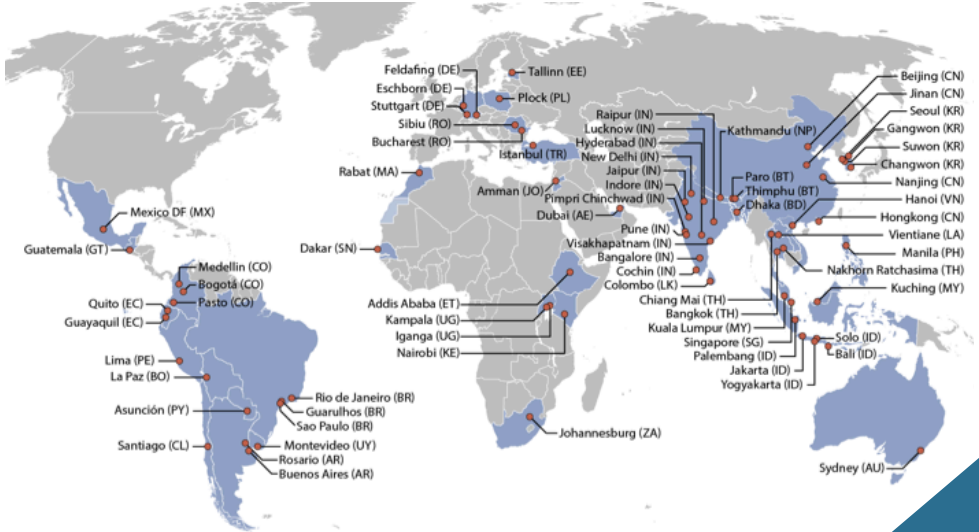
Maximum participants: 30

**Location: Quito, Ecuador** (Facultad de Arquitectura, Universidad Católica, room to be confirmed)

**Date/Time: Thursday, October 20, 2016, 9:00 am to 5:00 pm (lunch provided)**

## Expert dialogue: Towards Livable Cities

This dialogue is part of a series of training courses of the German Cooperation (GIZ) and its SUTP project ([www.sutp.org](http://www.sutp.org)), which has implemented more than 150 courses in Asia, Africa and Latin America, developing capacities of more than 5,000 people since 2003 (see map).



## About Us:

**The Sustainable Urban Transport Project (SUTP)** is hosted by Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit GmbH (GIZ) on behalf of the Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ). SUTP's main objective is to assist developing world cities achieve their sustainable transport goals, through the dissemination of information about international experience, policy advice, training and capacity building and targeted work on sustainable transport projects within cities.

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