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SIDE EVENT REPORT

Submitted by Lead Organization	
Name of the lead organization	Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ)
City and country where the lead organization is based	Bonn, Germany
Title of the event	Cities of Tomorrow: Livable, Mobile and Connected
Date	10/17/2016
Room number	R13
List of partner organizations	1. BMZ: Bonn, Germany 2. ADB: Manila, Philippines 3. C40: London, UK 4. CAF: Caracas, Venezuela 5. ICLEI: Bonn, Germany 6. ITDP: New York, USA 7. UN-HABITAT: Nairobi, Kenya 8. WRI: Washington, USA 9. SLoCaT: Shanghai, China
Number of attendees	81-100
Percentage of women participating	31-40%
Background information on the event (themes, issues, context).	<p>Cities are now home to the majority of people living on earth. Correspondingly, urban agglomerations are hubs for economic activities, technological innovation and social change. Despite these enormous potentials, cities are confronted with immense challenges: cities account for approximately 70 % of energy-related GHG-emissions while a great portion of urban dwellers lacks access to basic urban services and experiences social and economic exclusion. Improving access to urban basic services and social participation through affordable, safe and clean mobility is a key enabler for equitable and low-carbon development of cities. This is especially relevant for the inclusion of low-income dwellers, often living in peri-urban and surrounding areas with poor infrastructure and service connection. In this process, integrated urban and transport planning is crucial: if mixed land uses and attractive access to public transport are already catered for during the conception of neighborhoods, people will readily resort to sustainable transport.</p>



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<p>Concise summary of the event proceedings, including key points discussed</p>	<p>During the official side event “Cities of Tomorrow: Liveable, Mobile and Connected”, the Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ) and its partners launched the Transformative Urban Mobility Initiative (TUMI). Since the vision of truly sustainable and accessible cities will only be achieved with a rapid paradigm shift and visible action, they coordinate their efforts within the umbrella of TUMI. Germany commits itself to scale up its financial and technical support for urban mobility significantly.</p>
<p>Recommendations that emerged from these discussions.</p>	<p>In order to achieve integrated planning, cities must be strengthened in their human, financial and legal capacity. Global partnerships are needed to reach the ambitious targets set in the New Urban Agenda.</p>
<p>Partnerships or collaborations that emerged from the event.</p>	<p>In order to contribute to the implementation of the New Urban Agenda, the German Federal Ministry for Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ) launched the Transformative Urban Mobility Initiative during the Habitat III-conference together with eight partners. As a contribution to the achievement of the 2030 Agenda, the Paris Agreement on Climate Change and the New Urban Agenda, the Transformative Urban Mobility Initiative will: ...MOBILISE significant investments in order to build, modernize and augment sustainable urban mobility infrastructure. BMZ will – as a first step - mobilize up to 1 billion EUR in 2017 for sustainable urban transport systems in developing countries and emerging economies. ...ENABLE 1,000 urban leaders and decision-makers to plan and implement sustainable mobility concepts in the first two years of the initiative. Instruments will include Urban Mobility Labs, expert trainings, “Drive-in” trainings as well as e-learning approaches and webinars. ...SUPPORT innovative projects with potential for replication and upscaling in small and medium-sized cities across the globe. The first round of transformative pilot activities to be supported will be selected through a competitive, transparent process in the first half of 2017. ...SHARE knowledge through high-level conferences, expert meetings as well as the establishment of a network in which to disseminate the knowledge gained from the initiative.</p>
<p>Name, nationality, title and organization of the 1st speaker at your event.</p>	<p>Dr. Tania Rödiger-Vorwerk, Germany, Deputy Director General, Federal Ministry of Economic Cooperation and Development (BMZ)</p>
<p>Name, nationality, title and organization of the 2nd speaker at your event.</p>	<p>Dr. Christoph Beier, Germany, Vice-Chair of the GIZ Management Board, Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit (GIZ)</p>



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<p>Name, nationality, title and organization of the 3rd speaker at your event.</p>	<p>Holger Dalkmann, USA, Director Strategy And Global Policy WRI Ross Center For Sustainable Cities, World Resource Institute (WRI)</p>
<p>Name, nationality, title and organization of the 4th speaker at your event.</p>	<p>Tyrrell Duncan, Malaysia, Technical Advisor (Transport), Sustainable Development and Climate Change Department, Asian Development Bank (ADB)</p>
<p>Name, nationality, title and organization of the 5th speaker at your event.</p>	<p>Cornie Huizenga, Netherlands, Secretary General, The Partnership on Sustainable, Low Carbon Transport (SLoCat)</p>
<p>Name, nationality, title and organization of the 6th speaker at your event.</p>	<p>Clayton Lane, USA, CEO, Institute for Transport and Development Policy (ITDP)</p>
<p>Name, nationality, title and organization of the 7th speaker at your event.</p>	<p>Eva Lohse, Germany, President, Association of German Cities</p>
<p>Name, nationality, title and organization of any additional speakers at your event.</p>	<p>Monika Zimmermann, Germany, Deputy Secretary General, International Council for Local Environmental Initiatives (ICLEI) Marc Engelhardt, Germany, Director of the Department for Development & Sector Policy, Kreditanstalt für Wiederaufbau (KfW) Andre Dzikus, Germany, Coordinator of the Urban Basic Services Branch, UN-HABITAT, Andrea Fernandez, USA, Director of Governance and Global Partnerships, C40 Cities Climate Leadership Group Jorge Kogan, Senior Advisor to the Vice President of Infrastructure and Head of the Transport Group, Development Bank of Latin America (CAF)</p>
<p>Dissemination of the outcomes of your event?</p>	<p>Through the activities of the launched initiative, including www.transformative-mobility.org</p>