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SIDE EVENT REPORT

Submitted by Lead Organization	
Name of the lead organization	International Society of City and Regional Planners
City and country where the lead organization is based	The Hague, The Netherlands
Title of the event	Smart Cities in the New Urban Agenda
Date	10/19/2016
Room number	10
List of partner organizations	American Planning Association International Division, Washington DC USA; Global Cities Business Alliance, London UK; International Federation for Housing and Planning, Copenhagen DK; International New Town Institute, Almere The Netherlands; ICLEI Local Governments for Sustainability, Bonn Germany; Royal Town Planning Institute, London UK
Number of attendees	61-80
Percentage of women participating	41-50%
Background information on the event (themes, issues, context).	The panelists provided international professional planning perspectives on the subject of 'smart cities.'
Concise summary of the event proceedings, including key points discussed	Panelists shared multiple interpretations of the concept of a 'smart city' with special emphasis on the relationship between community and technology. The consensus is that smart cities must be based on a smart communities: an informed and intelligent society that guides evidence-based decision-making.
Recommendations that emerged from these discussions.	The panelists represent multiple urban planning organizations who are continuing to refine their interpretation, policies and practices for smart city development within the context of the New Urban Agenda.
Partnerships or collaborations that emerged from the event.	These and other international planning organizations will collectively publish a report on this topic coordinated by the International Society of City and Regional Planners.
Name, nationality, title and organization of the 1st speaker at your event.	Timothy Van Epp, USA, Chair, American Planning Association International Division



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<p>Name, nationality, title and organization of the 2nd speaker at your event.</p>	<p>Nicholas You, China, Co-Chairman, Global City Business Alliance</p>
<p>Name, nationality, title and organization of the 3rd speaker at your event.</p>	<p>Anette Galskjøt, Denmark, CEO, International Federation for Housing and Planning</p>
<p>Name, nationality, title and organization of the 4th speaker at your event.</p>	<p>Michelle Provoost, The Netherlands, Director, International New Town Institute</p>
<p>Name, nationality, title and organization of the 5th speaker at your event.</p>	<p>Monika Zimmermann, Germany, Deputy Secretary General, ICLEI Local Governments for Sustainability</p>
<p>Name, nationality, title and organization of the 6th speaker at your event.</p>	<p>Trudi Elliott, United Kingdom, Chief Executive, Royal Town Planning Institute</p>
<p>Name, nationality, title and organization of the 7th speaker at your event.</p>	<p>Shi Nan, China, Secretary General, Urban Planning Society of China</p>
<p>Dissemination of the outcomes of your event?</p>	<p>Newsletters, organizational websites, social media (Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn), publication</p>