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# PROGRAMME

# URBAN AGE

# BERLIN SUMMIT

10 to 11 November 2006



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## **URBAN AGE SUMMIT BERLIN – Friday 10 November 2006**

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*Location: Deutsche Bank, Unter den Linden 13/15, Entrance  
Charlottenstrasse, 10117 Berlin*

*Facilitator: Wolfgang Nowak, Spokesman of the Executive Board, Alfred  
Herrhausen Society, Deutsche Bank*

### **10.00 to 11.00 OPENING**

#### **Welcome**

Josef Ackermann, Chairman of the Management Board and the Group  
Executive Committee, Deutsche Bank AG

Howard Davies, Director, London School of Economics and Political  
Science

Klaus Wowereit, Mayor, Berlin

Angela Merkel, Chancellor, Federal Republic of Germany

### **11.00 to 12.00 INTRODUCTION**

#### **The Urban Age context**

##### PRESENTATIONS

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#### **The Urban Age Project | 20 min**

Ricky Burdett, Director, Urban Age, London School of Economics and  
Political Science and Advisor on Architecture to the Mayor of London

#### **Policy implications for the Urban Age | 40 min**

Bruce Katz, Vice President and Director, Metropolitan Policy Program,  
Brookings Institution, Washington D.C.

### **12.00 to 13.00 LUNCH**

### **13.00 to 14.30 LABOUR MARKET AND WORK PLACES**

#### **Urban economies: Challenges of inequality and the informal**

*Chair: Ed Soja, Professor, London School of Economics and Political  
Science and University of California Los Angeles*

##### PRESENTATION

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#### **Cities and their global economies | 20 min**

Saskia Sassen, Ralph Lewis Professor of Sociology, University of Chicago  
and Centennial Visiting Professor, London School of Economics and  
Political Science

##### RESPONDENTS (5 min each)

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Carl Weisbrod, former President, New York Downtown Alliance

Caroline Kihato, Policy Analyst, Development Bank of Southern Africa

José Castillo, Principal, Arquitectura 911sc and Professor, Universidad  
Iberoamericana School of Architecture, Mexico City

Dieter Läßle, Professor of Regional and Urban Economics, HafenCity  
University Hamburg

##### DEBATE

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*open discussion | 50 min*

### **14.30 to 16.00 MOBILITY AND TRANSPORT**

#### **Moving people, making city**

*Chair: Andy Altman, Planning Director Washington D.C. 2000-2005 and  
Partner, LeftBank Development Company, New York*

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PRESENTATION

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**Transport as politics** | 20 min

Enrique Peñalosa, Mayor of Bogotá, 1998-2001

RESPONDENTS (5 min each)

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Peter Hendy, Commissioner, Transport for London

Friedemann Kunst, Director, Transport Planning, Senate Administration for Urban Development, Berlin

Hermann Knoflacher, Professor of Transport Planning and Traffic Engineering, Vienna University of Technology

Alejandro Zaera Polo, Joint Director, Foreign Office Architects, London

DEBATE

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*open discussion* | 50 min

**16.00 to 16.30 COFFEE BREAK**

**16.30 to 18.00 PANEL DISCUSSION**

**Governance and the City**

*Chair: Gunnar Folke Schuppert, Professor for Governance, Social Science Research Centre Berlin*

**Opening Statement**

Gerald Frug, Louis D. Brandeis Professor of Law, Harvard University

PANEL

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Anthony Williams, Mayor, Washington D.C.

José Serra, Governor-elect, State of São Paulo and Mayor, City of São Paulo, 2004-2006

Andrew Borraine, Chairperson, South African Cities Network, Cape Town

Marcelo Ebrard, Mayor-elect, Mexico City

Amanda Burden, Chair, City Planning Commission, New York City

Axel Gedaschko, State Secretary, Department of Urban Development and the Environment, Hamburg

**19.30 to 23.00 DINNER**

*Location: Postbahnhof Berlin, Straße der Pariser Kommune 3, 10243 Berlin*

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**URBAN AGE SUMMIT BERLIN – Saturday 11 November 2006**

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*Facilitator: Wolfgang Nowak, Spokesman of the Executive Board, Alfred Herrhausen Society, Deutsche Bank*

**09.00 to 10.30 PUBLIC LIFE AND URBAN SPACE**

**Managing safety in the Urban Age**

*Chair: Tony Travers, Director, Greater London Group, London School of Economics and Political Science*

PRESENTATION

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**Securing London** | 20 min

Ian Blair, Commissioner, Metropolitan Police, London

RESPONDENTS (5 min each)

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Jörg Ziercke, President, Federal Criminal Police Office, Federal Republic of Germany

P.S. Pasricha, Director General, Maharashtra State Police, India

Jeff Fagan, Director of the Centre for Violence Research and Prevention, Columbia University, New York

Sophie Body-Gendrot, Professor of Political Science and American Studies and Director, Centre for Urban Studies, Sorbonne, Paris

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*open discussion | 50 min*

**10.30 to 10.50 REFLECTION**

*Open cities and brittle cities | 20 min*

Richard Sennett, Professor of Sociology, London School of Economics and Political Science, New York University and Massachusetts Institute of Technology

**10.50 to 11.15 COFFEE BREAK**

**11.15 to 12.45 HOUSING AND URBAN NEIGHBOURHOODS**

**Urban design and city form**

*Chair: Deyan Sudjic, Director, Design Museum, London*

PRESENTATION

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*Connecting space to society | 20 min*

Ricky Burdett, Director, Urban Age, London School of Economics and Political Science and Advisor on Architecture to the Mayor of London

RESPONDENTS (5 min each)

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Enrique Norten, Director, Ten-Arquitectos, Mexico City

Lindsay Bremner, Chair, School of Architecture, Temple University, Philadelphia and Honorary Professorial Research Fellow, University of the Witwatersrand, Johannesburg

Anne Power, Professor of Social Policy, London School of Economics and Political Science

Richard Baron, Chairman and CEO, McCormack Baron & Associates, St. Louis

Mphethi Morojele, Director, MMA Architects, Johannesburg

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*open discussion | 50 min*

**12.45 to 13.45 LUNCH**

**13.45 to 14.15 GERMAN CITIES**

*Germany's Global City-Network*

Dieter Läßle, Professor of Regional and Urban Economics, HafenCity University Hamburg

*A new spatial paradigm for Germany*

Wolfgang Tiefensee, Federal Minister of Transport, Building and Urban Affairs, Federal Republic of Germany

**14.15 to 16.00**    **PANEL DISCUSSION**

**Berlin's future: Different perspectives**

*Chair: Maybrit Illner, Journalist and Author, Berlin*

**Presentation**

Norman Foster, Chairman, Foster and Partners

**PANEL**

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Wolf Lepenies, Professor of Sociology, Wissenschaftskolleg, Institute for Advanced Study, Berlin

Mathias Döpfner, Chief Executive, Axel Springer Publishing

Deyan Sudjic, Director, Design Museum, London

Frank Schirrmacher, Publisher, Frankfurter Allgemeinen Zeitung, Berlin

Hans Stimmann, Secretary of State, Senate Administration for Urban Development, Berlin

**16.00 to 16.30**    **REFLECTION**

**Lessons learnt**

Bruce Katz, Vice President and Director, Metropolitan Policy Program, Brookings Institution, Washington D.C.

**Closing Remarks**

Josef Ackermann, Chairman of the Management Board and the Group Executive Committee, Deutsche Bank AG

**16.30**            **END**