

Urban Thinkers Campus (UTC)

Organised by the Centre for International Trade and Business in Asia
(CITBA)- James Cook University- Cairns



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The program

The event is organized around three main issues:

1. **Urban planning and economic growth in the local tropical context** – What are the visible consequences of urban planning influencing economic growth?
2. **Growing urban areas and employment opportunities** – Are the growing businesses and industries in urban areas creating diverse job opportunities for skilled people?
3. **Urban access, transport networks, and local economies** – How will public access, transport infrastructures, and networks influence business activities in a tropical context?

The three-day UTC will be broadly structured as follows:

<h2>UTC Day 1- 25 November 2019</h2> <p>Master of Ceremony: Mr Andrew Dineen Event Photography: Mr Emmanuel McCarthy and Ms Trang Nguyen Room Coordinators: Ms Jane Njaramba, Ms Dwi Sugiharti</p>
<p>Introduction - Room : CCC-103 Dr Taha Chaiechi, Australian Director, Centre for International Trade and Business in Asia (CITBA)- JCU and Activity: Understanding Our City through Images (1:30 pm- 3:00 pm)</p>
<p>Afternoon Tea and Networking (3:00 pm-3:30 pm) (Level 1 foyer)</p>

UTC Day 2- 26 November 2019

Master of Ceremony: Mr Andrew Dineen

Event Photography: Mr Emmanuel McCarthy and Ms Trang Nguyen

Room Coordinators: Ms Jane Njaramba, Ms Dwi Sugiharti

Opening - Professor Liz Spencer , Head, Law, JCU (9:05- am- 9:15 am) - Room : CCC-103
"Urban Futures' Interdisciplinary Imperative"

Urban Lab 1 (9:15 am- 9:45 am) – Room : CCC-103
Topic: CBD Activation

Participating Partner: Mr Angelo Finocchiaro- Cairns Regional Council

Urban Lab 2 (9:45 am- 10:15 am) - Room : CCC-103
Transport and Economic Development

Participating Partner: TBA

Morning Tea (10:15 am- 10:45 am) (Level 1 foyer)

Urban Lab 3 (10:45 am- 11:15 am) - Room : CCC-103
Topic: Cairns 300/500,

Participating Partner : Mr Pat Flanagan, Market Lead-Environment & Planning, Northern Australia

Breakout rooms -Partner Groups discussions (11:25- 11:55 am)

Partner Group 1- Room : CCC-101 Economic Opportunities for the Region Facilitator: Mr Pat Flanagan	Partner Group 2- Room : CCC- 109 Growing urban areas and employment opportunities Facilitator: A/Prof Jo Pryce	Partner Group 3- Room : CCC-110 Urban access, transport networks, and local city economies Facilitator: TBA	Partner group 4- Room: CCC-103 TBA
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Urban Lab 4 (12:00 pm- 12:30 pm)- Room : CCC-103
Topic: Shape of the city

Participating Partner : Ms Nikki Huddy - PLANZ Town Planning and PIA

Lunch (12:30 pm-1:15 pm) (Level 1 foyer)

Urban Lab 5 - (1:15 pm- 1:45 pm)- Room : CCC-103
Topic: TBC

Participating Partner : Ms Lucy Friend, Environment Manager- Cairns Airport

Urban Lab 6 (1:45 pm-2:15 pm)- Room : CCC-103
Topic: Flood Resilience and Urban Planning

Participating Partner : A/Prof Lawal Billa , University of Nottingham

Breakout rooms- Partner Group Discussions (2:20- 2:50 pm)

Partner Group 5- Room : CCC-101 Urban planning and economic growth in the local context Facilitator: Andrew Dineen	Partner Group 6- Room : CCC- 109 If a good city knows what it is – and what it isn't Facilitator: Ms Nikki Huddy- PLANZ Town Planning	Partner Group 7- Room : CCC-110 Cities Are As Vulnerable As They Are Powerful Facilitator: A/Prof Lawal Billa University of Nottingham	Partner Group 8- Room: CCC-103 TBA
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Conclusion of Day 2 (3:00 pm-3:10pm)
Main Priorities And Actions

Afternoon tea, networking and goodbyes (3:10 pm- 3:30) (Level 1 foyer)

UTC Day 3- 27 November 2019

Master of Ceremony: Mr Andrew Dineen

Event Photography: Mr Emmanuel McCarthy and Ms Trang Nguyen

Room Coordinators: Ms Jane Njaramba, Ms Dwi Sugiharti

Plenary: Summary of Day 1 & Day 2 (9:00 am-9:15am)- Room: CCC- 103

Urban Lab 7 (9:15 am- 9:45 am) - Room : CCC-103
 Topic: Empowering the Gulf through Business and Liveability
 Participating Partner: Mr Brian Arnold- Aboriginal Development Benefits Trust (ADBT)

Urban Lab 8 (9:45 am- 10:15 am) - Room : CCC-103
 Topic: Addressing homelessness through social enterprise
 Participating Partner : Dr Narayan Gopalkrishnan – Social Enterprise Network for the Tropics (SENT), JCU

Morning Tea (10:15-10:45 am) (Level 1 foyer)

Urban Lab 9 (10:45-11:15 am) - Room : CCC-103
 Topic: Innovative Urban Solutions and Sustainable Communities
 Participating Partner: Dr Silvia Tavares, JCU

Partner Groups run simultaneously in different rooms (11:20 am-11:50 am)

Partner Group 9- Room: CCC- 101 Smart City Innovation Facilitator: Dr Silvia Tavares- JCU	Partner Group 10- Room: CCC- 109 Growing Industries and Liveability Facilitator: Mr Brian Arnold - ADBT	Partner Group 11- Room: CCC-110 Community Empowerment, And City Economy Facilitator: Ms Amanda Sophios- MyPathway	Partner Group 12- Room: CCC-103 TBA
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Urban Lab 10 (12:00- 12:30 pm) - Room : CCC-103
 Topic: The City We need
 Participating Partner : Danny Bhaskaran and Austin Meikel- Smithfield State High School

Lunch (12:30 pm- 1:15 pm) (Level 1 foyer)

Video Presentation (1:15 pm- 1:30 pm) - Room : CCC-103
 Topic: Right to the City
 Participating Partner : Dr Greg Mews, Urban Synergy Group (USG)

Workshop- Room : CCC-103
 UTC value statement :
 Urban Innovation, Growing Industries, and Communities
 Final Conclusion and Road Map (1:30 pm-2:00pm)

Afternoon tea and goodbyes (2:00 pm- 2:30 pm) (Level 1 foyer)