Transit-Oriented Development CoP covers project highlights and relevant events in this regular newsletter

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TOD Projects Map is available now!

Dear TOD CoP members,

We are happy to introduce you our new TOD Projects Map.

This map shows the projects with Transit-Oriented Development (TOD) components at the World Bank and is created according to the TOD CoP data base.

Let's discover the map together! Click on the region and then on the country. Then zoom in until you see the cities and follow the colorful dots to find out more about each project, where you can access to the project page on the operations portal as well as related TORs in the TOD CoP OneDrive repository. The darker color represents regions with more engagements.

Kindly note that some selected materials (TORs) are available only to the registered TOD CoP members.

Please also let us know if you notice that some projects are missing by sending an email to Yuna Chun (ychun1@worldbank.org), and we will update the map accordingly.

GO TO THE MAP
Overview of the Ongoing TOD Projects

For an Excel workbook of project statuses with further details, email Gunes Basat (gbasat@worldbank.org)

### Project Updates

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Recent Events & Activities

Key Take Aways From Recent TOD Projects - TOD CoP FY20 Gathering

The CoP organized a session to bring together its members and share recent updates. It was a great opportunity to learn from other colleagues experiences in different cities from all around world including: Dakar, Dhaka, and Quito. Special thanks to our presenters Aiga Stokenberga, Nupur Gupta, and Lorena Sierra Valdivieso and the participants. Did you miss it?

Presentations and recording are available here.

Mobilizing Private Finance for TOD and LVC: The Experience of DC, NYC and San Francisco Transit Agencies
TOD CoP along with the Urban Mobility GSG and Urban Regeneration and LVC KSB, organized a session as part of the Transport Global Practice Springboard Series. Washington DC, New York City and San Francisco have successfully mobilized private capital to deliver Transit-Oriented Development with elements of Land Value Capture. The session featured experts working on these cities. Nina Albert, Vice President of the Real Estate and Parking Washington Metropolitan Area Transit Authority, and Shuprotim Bhaumik, Partner at HR&A Advisors presented case studies. Special thanks to Arturo Ardila Gomez and Yondela Silimela for their contributions.

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Technical Deep Dive in Innovating Urban Neighborhoods and Space through Transit Oriented Development is postponed. Due to the recent global developments of Coronavirus (COVID-19) and travel restrictions, the TDD - which was supposed to take place last week of February is cancelled. Stay tuned for the updates. TDLC & TOD CoP & Urbanscapes KSB teams hope to meet with the participants soon!

A Discussion with Peter Calthorpe

Ending Global Sprawl: Urban Standards for Sustainable Development - Organized by the GPSC

Global Platform for Sustainable Cities (GPSC) organized a discussion for a forthcoming publication entitled "Ending Global Sprawl: Urban Standards for Sustainable Development." In the book, Peter Calthorpe, founding father of Transit-Oriented Development, outlines principles on sustainable urban planning that promotes urbanism, low carbon and compact development, which include: 1. Plan for Growth (Preserve); 2. Enhance Transit (Ride); 3. Transit Oriented Development (Focus); 4. Public Space (Gather); 5. Small Blocks (Connect); 6. Mixed-Use (Mix); and 7. Walk/Bike (Activate). Each principle is supported by specific goals, metrics, and standards and illustrated by good practice across the world. Please join us for a discussion on the principles for global urbanism and their implications on World Bank operations. Presentation and recording are available here.

Blogs

Planning a More Livable Dhaka - by David Mason

Urban services and quality of life measurements show that Dhaka has a lot to do to become more livable – and many competing priorities to achieve that. and there is tremendous opportunity to integrate transit-oriented development across Dhaka’s urban fabric. Read more

Recent Resources
Assessing Physical Environment of TOD Communities around Metro Stations: Using Big Data and Machine Learning

A report prepared by Wanli Fang, Liu Liu, and Jianhao Zhou, focuses on utilizing street view photos and machine learning models in evaluating the quality of physical environment around metro stations.

The Urban Rail Development Handbook

The handbook provides experiential advice to tackle the technical, institutional, and financial challenges faced by decision makers considering urban rail projects. Chapter 16 "Improving Accessibility and Shaping Urban Form" - authored by Felipe Targa and Jean Paul Velez, focuses on TOD.

E-learning Course: Urban Rail Development

Prepared by a team lead by Daniel Pulido, Georges Darido, Ramon Munoz-Raskin, and Joanna Moody, the self-paced course consists of 7 modules. The modules walk audience through critical considerations at each stage of project development, empowering them to ask the right questions and be introduced to the key tools available to answer them.

In Case You Missed

Transforming Transportation 2020

Co-hosted by the World Bank's Transport GP and WRI Ross Center for Sustainable Cities the annual conference was held in January, 2020. Over 1,200 people participated in-person and 31,000 unique visitors connected to the livestream page. Watch the recap | Access the event page

External Events

Please check the event page for most recent updates. The conference brings together leaders in Transit Oriented Development to showcase the latest in best practices for the design and development of TODs. Network with the leading developers, architects, planners, designers, place managers, transit agencies, rail experts, elected officials, and more.
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