



This symposium explores the critical drivers and consequences of sustainable urbanisation in Asia, focusing on key challenges and opportunities shaping the region's cities. Discussions will address diverse topics, including the environmental and urban impacts of global trade, strategies for green and transit-oriented developments, the role of digital innovation in urban mobility, and the application of data-driven approaches for inclusive and sustainable urban futures. By bringing together thought leaders from academia and industry, the symposium aims to provide actionable insights for building resilient and sustainable urban landscapes in Asia.

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Urban and Environmental Impacts of the US-China Trade War on Southeast Asia's Cities
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Data-Driven Strategies for Sustainable and Inclusive Future Cities in Asia
Shyn Yee HO-STRANGAS
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Mobile QR Code Ticketing as A Digital Leap Towards Seamless Subway Travel
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Green Transit-Oriented Developments in Asia
Sock Yong PHANG
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The Exquisite City: Towards a New Theory of Sustainable Urban Development
Shenjing HE
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Programme	
08:30	Registration and Breakfast
09:00	Welcome and Opening Remarks
09:10	Presentations
10:15	Break
10:25	Presentation
10:45	Panel Discussion and Q&A
11:30	Closing Remarks and Next Steps

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