2016 APNHR Conference

Housing issues in a new epoch of urbanization: challenges and opportunities

17 - 18 December 2016
Sun Yat-sen University, Guangzhou, China*

Important dates:
- Abstract submission deadline (31 Aug. 2016)
- Acceptance of abstracts (30 Sept. 2016)
- Earlybird Registration (1 Oct.-15 Nov. 2016)

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In the Asian Pacific Region, most countries are experiencing unprecedentedly rapid urbanization which brings about quantitative and qualitative changes in the urban realm, while more developed Oceania countries also facing new challenges of urbanization such as the influx of overseas investment and migration. The advent of a new epoch of urbanization in the region projects profound influence on a number of housing issues, which brings both new challenges such as severe problems of housing affordability and housing security, and new opportunities such as green housing and healthy living. It is therefore a high time to revisit some classical housing issues such as affordable housing policies, residential mobility, social mix and residential differentiation under the new circumstances, while inquire into some emerging housing issues in the region, e.g. global investment and housing market stability, financialization of housing market, and post-financial crisis housing security. This APNHR conference will bring scholars from various contexts to discuss the common challenges and opportunities we are facing, and generate a synergy to devise better solutions and envisage a brighter future for housing development in the region.

Sub-themes:
- Housing policy and social development
- Global investment, financialization, and housing market stability
- Affordable housing and residential differentiation
- Housing policy and governance
- Residential mobility
- Housing and urban regeneration
- Big data in housing research
- Green housing and healthy living

Special workshops:
- High density living
- Elderly housing
- Private rental housing
- Urban housing policies and governance in Global South
Plenary speakers:
Professor Ed Goetz, Humphrey School of Public Affairs, University of Minnesota, U.S.
Professor Chaolin Gu, Faculty of Architecture, Tsinghua University, China

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