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## Programme of the ForUm conference at the 2021 German Geographical Congress (“GeoWoche“) (6-9 October, 2021)

[Please note: All clock times are in CEST, Germany time]

### Session 1: 6th Oct 2021 (Wednesday 0755 am – 0930 am)

- 0755 am : Welcome address by Prof. Dr. Frauke Kraas  
0800 – 0820 : Dr. Rini Rachmawati (Indonesia), “Smart city implementation in Indonesia“  
0820 – 0830 : Q & A  
0830 – 0850 : Dr. Nguyen Ngoc Hieu (Vietnam), “From urbanization to regionalization: old lessons and new challenges in the Hochiminh city region“  
0850 – 0900 : Q & A  
0900 – 0920 : Dr. Dexter S. Lo, Gina S. Itchon, & Jefferson R. Vallente Jr. (Philippines), “XU GRiD Project: the role of academe in building resilience“  
0920 – 0930 : Q & A

(End of session for the day)

### Session 2: 7th Oct 2021 (Thursday 0800 am – 0930 am)

- 0800 – 0820 : Daw Hlaing Maw Oo (Myanmar), “Inclusive, smart and sustainable urban future for Myanmar?“  
0820 – 0830 : Q & A  
0830 – 0850 : Dr. Khoo Suet Leng (Malaysia), “Creative city as an urban development strategy: case of George Town, Penang“  
0850 – 0900 : Q & A  
0900 - 0920 : Dr. Ta Quynh Hoa (Vietnam), “Social housing for workers in the industrial zones in Vietnam - models and feasible solutions towards sustainable development: case studies in Hanoi city“  
0920 – 0930 : Q & A

(End of session for the day)

### **Session 3: 8th Oct 2021 (Friday 0800 am – 1030 am)**

- 0800 – 0820 : Ms. Le Thi Thuy Ha (Vietnam), “Developing the urban network in the Mekong Delta - Vietnam responding to the climate change”
- 0820 – 0830 : Q & A
- 0830 – 0850 : Dr. Lim Yoke Mui (Malaysia), “Sustainable management of built heritage: two pronged strategies for George Town World Heritage Site”
- 0850 – 0900 : Q & A
- 0900 – 0920 : Prof. Dr. Khin Khin Soe (Myanmar), “Coping with the urban impacts of Covid-19: People’s perceptions and experiences”
- 0920 – 0930 : Q & A
- 0930 – 0950 : Dr. Monsicha Bejrananda (Thailand), "Spatial assessment for Khon Kaen Transit-Oriented Development (TOD)"
- 0950 – 1000 : Q & A
- 1000 - 1020 : Dr. Djaka Marwasta (Indonesia), “The nexus of periurbanization and urban spatial planning dynamics in Yogyakarta, Indonesia”
- 1020 – 1030 : Q & A

(End of session for the day)

### **9th Oct 2021 (Saturday 0800 am – 1140 am)**

#### **Session 4 (0800 – 0930)**

- 0800 – 0820 : Dr. Le Thu Hoa (Vietnam), “Climate change mitigation opportunities in Hanoi City: 2030 projection”
- 0820 – 0830 : Q & A
- 0830 – 0850 : Dr. Zin Mar Than (Myanmar), "Governance aspects in disaster risk reduction in townships of Yangon City"
- 0850 – 0900 : Q & A
- 0900 – 0920 : Dr. Noel Alegre (Philippines), “Urban development in Daet, Camarines Norte, Philippines: the Filipino expatriates’ experience”
- 0920 – 0930 : Q & A

#### **Session 5 (0930 – 1140)**

- 0930 – 0950 : Dr. Goh Hong Ching (Malaysia), “A post COVID-19 prospect of urban future in Malaysia”
- 0950 – 1000 : Q & A
- 1000 – 1020 : Prof. Dr. Seng Aung (Myanmar), “Observation on urban-related risks in Kachin State, Myanmar”
- 1020 – 1030 : Q & A
- 1030 – 1050 : Dr. Sukamdi (Indonesia), “Making places: the case of urban slums in Yogyakarta”
- 1050 – 1100 : Q & A
- 1100 – 1120 : Dr. Kitapatr Dhabhalabutr (Thailand), “Future housing development for Smart City: case study of Khon Kaen City, Thailand”
- 1120 – 1130 : Q & A
- 1130 – 1140 : Closing remarks by Prof. Dr. Frauke Kraas