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### SIDE EVENT REPORT

Submitted by Lead Organization	
Name of the lead organization	Center for Sustainable Urban Development, Columbia University
City and country where the lead organization is based	New York, USA
Title of the event	Pedagogy and Practice: Innovating for the NEW URBAN AGENDA
Date	10/19/2016
Room number	Urban Future
List of partner organizations	Urban Design Program, Columbia University NY, USA; Sticky Situations, Johannesburg, South Africa
Number of attendees	More than 101
Percentage of women participating	41-50%
Background information on the event (themes, issues, context).	This event brought together experts from academia and research, professional practice, NGOs and the grass roots to focus on participatory and collaborative approaches to design and planning education, research and professional practices that can support the implementation of the NUA and the SDGs.
Concise summary of the event proceedings, including key points discussed	<p>Part 1 Introduction to session aim : the formation of a network for new approaches to design and planning education. Presentations: through concise presentations four speakers offered diverse examples of teaching and learning , methods , approaches and principles that we had used or experienced that could be useful in thinking about educating for the NUA and the SDGs. Part 2 Canvas audience opinion: did the audience think the NUA and SDGs were significant enough to be included in design and planning curricula? &gt; Unanimous agreement. Part 3 Small groups discussed and fed back ideas for "What skills do urban professionals working in disadvantaged communities need if they are to foster inclusion and help build capacity, gender equity, etc? In other words, help implement the NUA and the SDGs" Part 4 Canvas audience opinion: did the audience want to be part of the Urban Change Makers Resource Network &gt; Unanimous agreement. Agreement by organizers to follow up. Post session : Rubbo, van den Bussche and Vercher interviewed for UNESCO film.</p>



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<b>Recommendations that emerged from these discussions.</b>	To form the Urban Change Makers Resource Network.
<b>Partnerships or collaborations that emerged from the event.</b>	The decision to start a Facebook page to share knowledge and exchange information on the session topic, with a view to establishing a formal organization - with representatives from academia , practices. local government and the grass roots.
<b>Name, nationality, title and organization of the 1st speaker at your event.</b>	Anna Rubbo, Australian, Dr. , CSUD, Columbia University
<b>Name, nationality, title and organization of the 2nd speaker at your event.</b>	Jennifer van den Bussche , Australian, Ms., CSUD and Sticky Situations
<b>Name, nationality, title and organization of the 3rd speaker at your event.</b>	Silvia Vercher, Spanish, Ms., SCAPE Architecture
<b>Name, nationality, title and organization of the 4th speaker at your event.</b>	Justin Garrett-Moore,, USA, Mr. Public Design Commission New York and Urban Design Program Columbia University
<b>Dissemination of the outcomes of your event?</b>	We have prepared a letter for circulation to the 100 + individuals who provided their contact details, and are in the process of setting up a new Facebook page to enable sharing of information over the next 2 months, with a view to developing a strategy to build the Urban Change Maker Resource Network during 2017.