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Public transport has emerged as a major focus of urban transformation and metropolitan governance in recent years. Important drivers have been an impetus for urban public transport reform with a focus on establishing integrated public transport networks as the foundation for future urban development. Reform has generally been welcomed by the metropolitan municipalities and other stakeholders but it is acknowledged to have thrown up major challenges, including strategic, institutional and funding challenges.

The course is designed to highlight the potential of transport as a transformative tool in cities – transforming both the way cities think about land use and citizen mobility. It seeks to enable metropolitan political and administrative leaders to get to grips with current challenges, learn relevant techniques and tools, and be inspired to lead and implement change in urban mobility and land use management so as to connect, integrate and transform our cities into more inclusive, productive and sustainable cities.



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