



**cities for  
mobility**  
10<sup>th</sup> International Congress



**Solving the urban space puzzle**  
Stuttgart, June 20, 2023

**Mobility** experts from around the world gather in Stuttgart for the 10th time to exchange knowhow and discuss the topics critical to quality of life and the development of mobility in cities. This year's edition of the Cities for Mobility Congress focuses on the increasingly critical competition for urban space. In the field of mobility, cities around the world are experiencing a transformation that has been unthinkable for the past half-century. But with many different modes competing for space, together with dozens of other city functions, finding a way to prioritize one over the other might very well be one of the key questions for cities. This is what the 2023 edition of the Congress is all about.

### **Monday, June 19**

- Individual travel to Stuttgart
- Meeting peers at a casual self-pay networking dinner.

### **Tuesday, June 20**

- 10th international Cities for Mobility Congress
- VIP Reception at Stuttgart City Hall, hosted by the Mayor of Stuttgart

### **Wednesday – Friday, June 21-23**

Urban Future 2023 Conference (optional)

### **Saturday, June 24**

Climate Action Day Stuttgart for the general public (optional)





# CONGRESS PROGRAMME

Tuesday, June 20, 2023

**08:30**    **Registration & Morning Coffee**

09:30

**09:30**    **Opening Session**

10:00

Welcome mobility experts to the 10th edition of the International Cities for Mobility Congress in Stuttgart. Let's kick-off the day with looking at this success story of international cooperation.

*Moderator Nadja Glaeser | Director at Deloitte Sustainability & Climate | Hannover, Germany  
Prof. Dr. Wolfgang Schuster | Former Mayor of Stuttgart | Stuttgart, Germany  
Patrick Daude | Coordinator Cities for Mobility Congress | Stuttgart, Germany*

**10:00**    **Keynotes**

11:15

You know it: there is just too little space for what we want to do in cities. And yes, everyone wants some – so competition is fierce. Let's continue the day with two inspirational keynote speakers who will bring us closer to getting some ideas of how to solve the urban space puzzle.

*Gil Peñalosa | CEO of 880 Cities & mayoral candidate | Toronto, Canada  
Bronwen Thornton | CEO of Walk 21 Foundation | London, UK*

**11:15**    **Panel Discussion and Audience Q&A**

11:45

We reflect on the input, pair it with our own experiences, and take the opportunity to talk and discuss with the speakers.

**11:45**    **Lunchtime**

13:30

Join the Cities for Mobility community for a wonderful Italian lunch, paired with interesting people and good conversations.

13:30  
15:00

**Breakout Session #1**

**Transformation for Real – Managing Roads and Curbsides for a Better Distribution of Space**

For almost 100 years, the storyline of roads had been the same: more space for cars. But now, in the face of a new distribution of space, things are changing. Cities are taking a much more active role in managing roads and curbsides. This interactive session takes a close look at what and how they do it.

**Breakout Session #2**

**Working Together – New Forms of Collaboration Between Cities & Businesses**

Today, urban ecosystems are changing as they must deal with a long list of new challenges. To master the transformation ahead, we are especially witnessing cities and businesses increasingly joining forces and finding new models for collaboration. We take a close look at successful forms of collaboration, what works, and how to manage expectations.

**Breakout Session #3**

**Making the Change – Cities that Transformed Their Use of Space: Prioritizing Sustainable Modes of Transport**

There are the ones who talk, and there are the ones who do. This session takes a close look at the cities that created a new status quo and transformed their use of space by prioritizing sustainable modes of transport. Let's hear their stories and talk with them about their way of making change happen.

15:00  
15:30

**Coffee break & Networking**

15:30  
16:30

**Hands-on expertise from the Breakout Sessions**

Get your pens out: this session will summarize key learnings from the three breakout sessions that you can take home for the benefit of your city. But don't be shy of asking questions or sharing your own experiences along the way.

16:30  
17:00

**Experience Energizer – Learning from Success & Failure**

Let's hear how cities from three continents have approached their mobility (space) transformation and what we can all learn from their experiences of doing so. This wrap-up session will provide you with some critical learnings to take home, even though they might come from cities in different environments with different legal frameworks and governance models. You'll be surprised (and inspired).

Starting  
19:00

**#UF23 VIP Reception at Stuttgart City Hall**

In the evening before kicking off the Urban Future 2023 Conference, join the Mayor of Stuttgart, fellow City for Mobility peers, and hundreds of #UF23 VIP guests at this reception at Stuttgart City Hall.

## Preliminary List of SPEAKERS & FACILITATORS

<b>Philippe Crist</b>	Senior Advisor on Mobility Innovation and Foresight (Paris, France)
<b>Patrick Daude</b>	Coordinator Cities for Mobility Congress (Stuttgart, Germany)
<b>Markus Friedrich</b>	Professor for mobility planning at Stuttgart University (Stuttgart, Germany)
<b>Wolfgang Forderer</b>	Director Mobility Department at the City of Stuttgart (Stuttgart, Germany)
<b>Nadja Glaeser</b>	Director at Deloitte Sustainability & Climate (Hannover, Germany)
<b>Miguel Gaspar</b>	Mobility Innovation Expert at SIBS (Lisbon, Portugal)
<b>Emmanuel John</b>	Sustainable Urban Mobility Expert (Abuja, Nigeria)
<b>Clarisse Linke</b>	Country Director of ITDP (Rio de Janeiro, Brasil)
<b>Amanda Ngabirano</b>	Chairperson at The National Planning Board of Uganda (Kampala, Uganda)
<b>Carlos Pardo</b>	Mobility consultant (Bogota, Colombia)
<b>Gil Peñalosa</b>	CEO of 880 Cities & mayoral candidate (Toronto, Canada)
<b>Elke Piepenbring</b>	Senior Manager at Mercedes-Benz (Sindelfingen, Germany)
<b>Daniel Sauter</b>	Mobility expert (Zurich, Switzerland)
<b>Wolfgang Schuster</b>	Former Mayor of Stuttgart (Stuttgart, Germany)
<b>Bronwen Thornton</b>	CEO of Walk 21 Foundation (London, UK)
<b>Karen Vancluysen</b>	Secretary General at POLIS (Brussels, Belgium)



### Venue of the congress

Haus der Wirtschaft | Willi-Bleicher-Straße 19  
70173 Stuttgart, Germany

### Venue of the VIP Reception

Stuttgart City Hall (Rathaus)  
Marktplatz 1, 70173 Stuttgart, Germany

### Fees

Congress attendance is free of charge. Costs of travel and hotel accommodation must be covered by the participants themselves.

### Registration

There is just a limited number of seats available.  
To secure your conference pass, please [register online](#).

### Congress hotel

We have reserved a block of rooms for all Cities for Mobility Congress attendees at a special rate of only EUR 109 per night at Motel-One Stuttgart Mitte. To secure your room, fill out the booking form and email it to [stuttgart-mitte@motel-one.com](mailto:stuttgart-mitte@motel-one.com).

### Languages

The conference will be held in English.

### Stuttgart Tourist Information

[www.stuttgart-tourist.de](http://www.stuttgart-tourist.de)

### Emergency numbers

112 medical emergency  
110 police

