Nordic Talk



How to Build Child-Friendly Community Inclusively

Creating a healthy and livable built environment is one of the main tasks in the urban planning profession. The basic assumption of the planning goal supposes to be if the built environment is healthy and livable for all, it also applies to children. However, on the long way to pursue for healthy and livable built environment for all, the right of the city for vulnerable groups like children are very often underestimated and under-prioritized, causing negative consequences of them. In this session, the experts will share both Nordic and Chinese experience in how to adapt child-oriented design concept into the current intergeneration situation on city, community and place level.

Time: 15:15 - 16:45 (GMT+8), May 13th, 2021

Venue: Danish Culture Centre, 798 International Arts District, 706 Beiyi Jie, Beijing

Time (CET)	Time (Chinese)	Topic
9:15	15:15	Opening and Introduction of CFC Heidi Su, innovation officer from Innovation Centre Denmark
		Shanghai; Initiator of Sino-Danish CFC project
9:20 - 9:40	15:20 -15:40	Activating Spaces with/for Children: What can we learn from co-creation and embodied cognitive science? Michael Martin, Professor of Aalborg University, Capital of Children
9:40 - 10:00	15:40 - 16:00	Growing up in Chinese cities: children's outdoor play experiences in Beijing and Shanghai Tang Pai, Tongji University
10:00 -10:20	16:00 - 16:20	Child- and age-friendly environments Marketta Kyttä, Professor of Aalto University
10:20 - 10:40	16:20 - 16:40	Building Child-friendly Cities in China: What Can Urban Planners Do LU Qiuyang, ITDP
10:40 - 11:00	16:40 - 17:00	R









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Speakers





Heidi Su

Innovation officer from Innovation Centre Denmark Shanghai Initiator of Sino-Danish Child-Friendly Community project



Michael Martin

Michael joined Aalborg University as Assistant Professor in Urban Design in 2017. He has previously worked at the University of Manchester, UK as well as urban design/planning consultancy firm Urban Imprint. Michael's research and teaching focus on the broad themes of urban design, urban regeneration and sustainable placemaking.



Tang Pai

Tang Pai graduated from University of Sheffield and works in Tongji University. She is the researcher for GUIC (Growing Up In City) project. Pai focuses on the evolution of children's outdoor play experience and play space under urbanization, and the method of child-friendly urban planning and design.



Marketta Kyttä

Marketta Kyttä works as a professor of Land Use Planning in the department of Built Environment in Aalto. She received her PhD in the Department of Architecture from Helsinki University of Technology in 2004.



LU Qiuyang

Qiuyang joined ITDP as a Transport Engineer at the beginning of 2021. She is specialized in transport demand modelling, public policy, logistics and supply chain management, and data analytics. Her current projects include electrification in the transportation sector and sustainable city development.



Ines Kaempfer

As the CEO of The Centre for Child Rights and Business, Ines leads and manages The Centre's business and services across the region, and works in close cooperation with partners and clients. Ines brings in a wealth of knowledge of supply chain management in the Chinese context from her previous work experience in China and abroad.



Echo Guo

Echo joined The Centre in June 2019. As a project assistant, Echo is responsible for supporting project implementation. She's currently supporting the implementation of multiple Child Friendly Space projects in China, as well as worker wellbeing programmes in China and Turkey.









