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***Theme: European policies for sustainable development: significant experiences of urban regeneration***

The urban dimension has been very relevant in the frame of the 2014-2020 Cohesion Policy: cities are the place of opportunities but also the ones where different critical issues arise, as often highlighted in many studies. Climate change and energy sustainability, demographic trends, poverty and social exclusion, affordable housing, transport, health services, education and employment are the major challenges to face in contemporary urban areas.

The Call aims at investigating the impact and the main achievements of recent urban policies in specific urban contexts. In the frame of the *2030 Agenda for Sustainable development*, authors are invited to share their works on some relevant domains of urban development, or to present good practices implemented by using the European Structural Funds in 2014-2020.

We open to several and different points of view:

- Urban policies for urban transformations and new ideas for the city of tomorrow;
- Territorial policies for the internal areas, in order to contrast the demographic fall and relaunch local development;
- Case studies of urban regeneration co-financed by the 2014-2020 Structural Funds;
- Evaluative dimensions of urban interventions, in order to consider the most relevant needs and local specificities for innovation and growth and to define the most suitable scenarios of urban development and sustainable use of land;
- Strategies for sustainable architecture: technological aspects to face environmental issues;
- Social aspects, relating to the change in social demand in urban areas;
- Urban governance, to define innovative processes to manage partnership and promote an active citizenship, involving stakeholders and civil society in public decision making;
- Sustainable mobility, transport infrastructure and intermodal transport systems;
- National policies for urban areas, considered in the regional contexts of Italy.

We look forward to your participation!