



**An international workshop**

**“The Compact City:  
A Model for Sustainable Urban Development and Green Growth?  
Learning from Best Practices”**



**Time and date:** 9:30 – 13:00, 14 June 2012

**Place:** OECD Conference Room (CC5), Paris, France

**Organiser:** OECD

**Partners:** The World Bank, L'Institut d'Aménagement et d'Urbanisme de la Région d'Île-de-France (IAU-ÎDF), United Nations Economic Commission for Europe

**Objectives:** This international joint workshop, following the launch of the report "Compact City Policies: A Comparative Assessment", aims to share the key policy and governance practices for compact city, and to evaluate what can be learned from them. It consists of two sessions: policy instruments and metropolitan governance. In each session, the OECD secretariat will present the policy and governance practices identified in the case studies of the OECD report. Then policy makers and experts will present their own experiences, share knowledge and discuss the best practices for compact city in diverse urban contexts.

## Programme

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9:30 – 9:40

**Opening Remarks** Rolf ALTER (Director, OECD Public Governance and Territorial Development Directorate (GOV))  
François DUGENY (Director General, IAU-ÎDF)

9:40 – 11:10

**Workshop 1 – Compact city policy instruments in cities of diverse contexts**

Moderator: Vincent FOUCHIER (IAU-ÎDF)

Presentations: **“Key compact city policy practices in the OECD countries”**  
Tadashi MATSUMOTO (OECD)  
**“Compact city in the city of Amsterdam”**  
Carolien GEHRELS (City of Amsterdam)  
**“Compact city in the Paris/Île-de-France Region”**  
Alain Amédéo (Ile-de-France Regional Council)  
**“Architectural Heritage and sustainable development in Paris”**  
Hélène de LARGENTAYE (City of Paris)  
**“How to make cities less energy and carbon intensive and more resilient to climatic challenges”**  
Gulnara ROLL (United Nations Economic Commission for Europe)

Coffee break 11:10 – 11:30

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**Workshop 2 – Metropolitan governance: visions, multi-level coordination, finance and monitoring**

Moderator: Mike JENKS (Oxford Brooks University)

Presentations: **“Key compact city governance practices in the OECD countries”**  
Adam OSTRY (OECD)  
**“Transportation and land use integration in growing cities in developing countries”**  
Hiroaki SUZUKI (World Bank)  
**“Towards a green investment policy framework: the case of financing sustainable transport”**  
Virginie MARCHAL and Geraldine ANG (OECD)  
**“How urban modeling can assist compact city policymakers”**  
Daejong KIM (Korea Research Institute for Human Settlements)  
**“Testing the density trap hypothesis using urban microcirculation models: lessons from London and Beijing”**  
Ying JIN (University of Cambridge)

12:50 – 13:00

**Closing remarks / Conclusions** Vincent FOUCHIER (IAU-ÎDF)

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