



# Future Cities Principles

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**Transforming the Engineering  
of Cities to deliver Societal  
and Planetary Wellbeing**

*“...Principles connect your values to your actions...”*

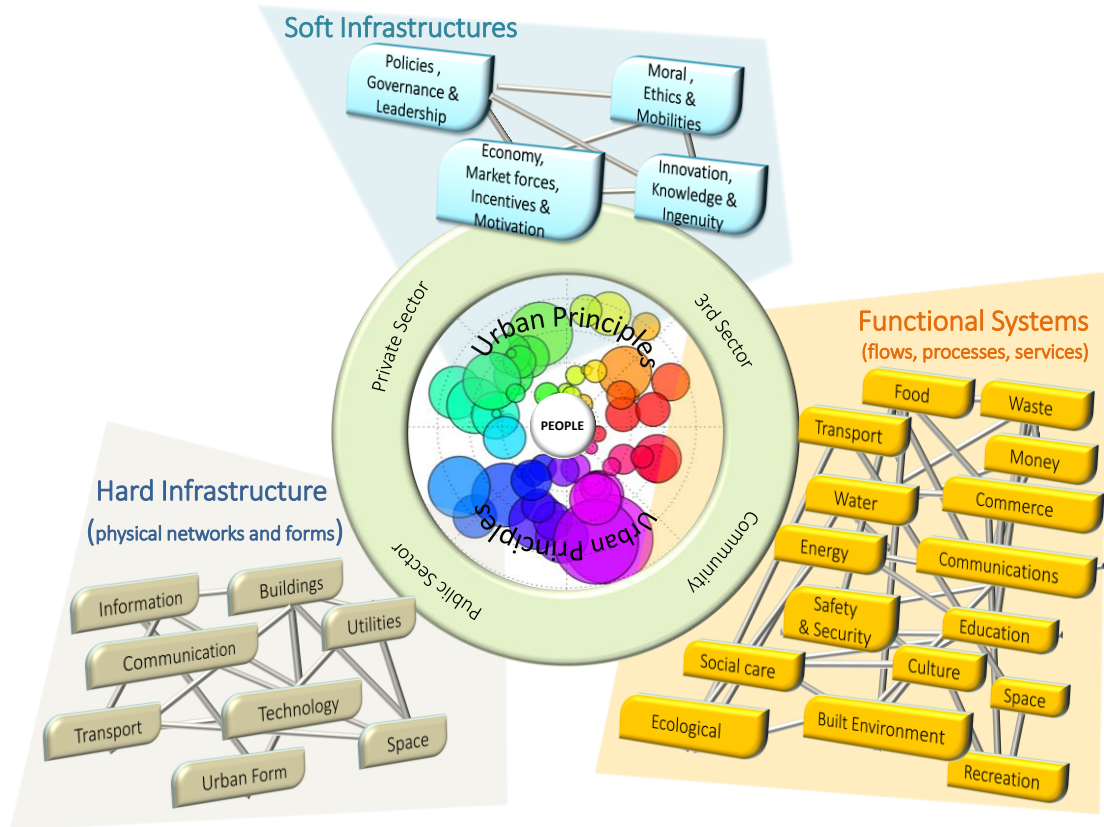
*...your values are what you consider important, literally what you ‘value’...*

*it is to your principles that you turn when you face hard choices”.*

# Radically transform the engineering approaches for city development



# Cities are systems of systems





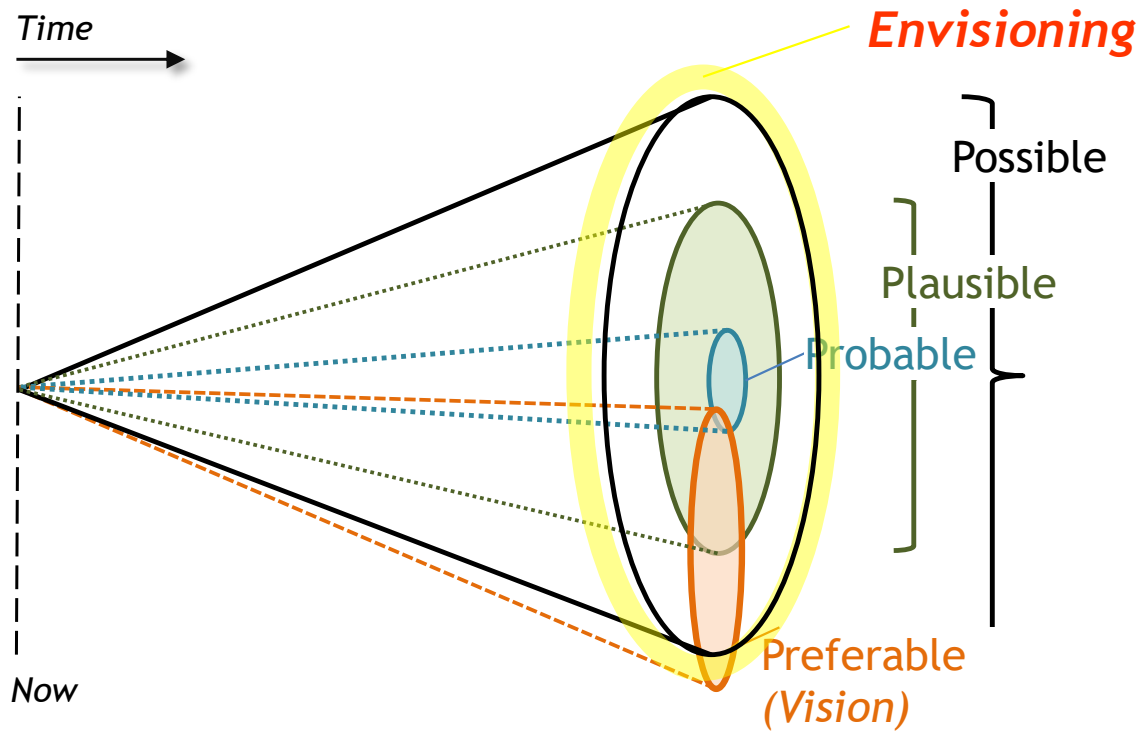
# Cities are people



# ... great challenges

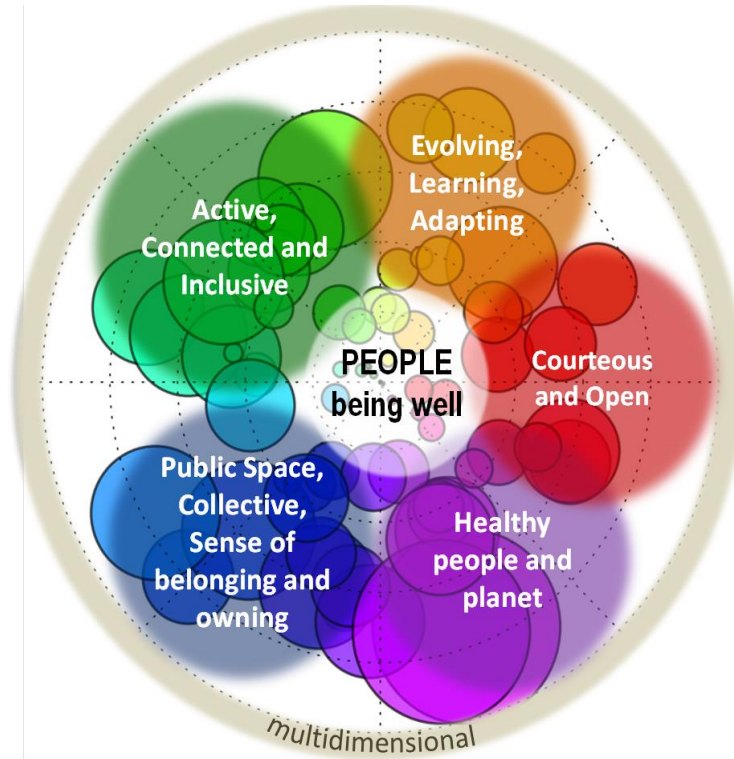


# Ingenuity for future cities visions





# The 5-cities Model Urban Principles— A General Model For A Preferable Future City



# Healthy City

Promotes and delivers health (and prevents illness) of people and the planet now and for future generations



# Courteous City

Promotes positive and polite social interactions, trust, mutual respect and incentivises behaviours that support the vision





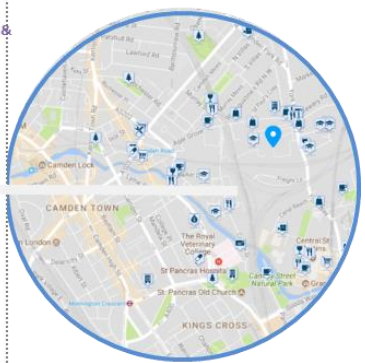
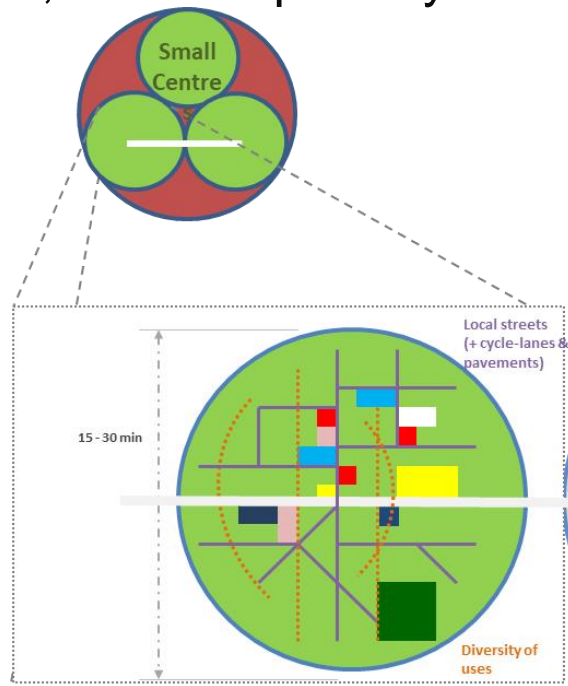
# City As Public Space

Promotes sense of ownership and belonging. Spaces are open, safe, secure with aesthetical qualities and stages of cultural, personal and political expression



# Active, Connected and Inclusive

Ensures fair access to diverse and viable activities. Addresses diverse needs, reduces poverty and prevents fragmentation and isolation

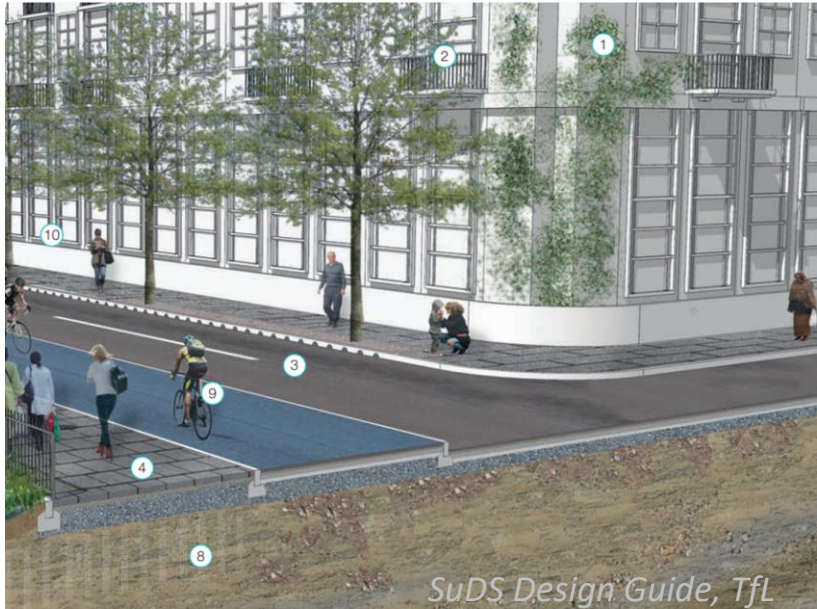






# Evolving City

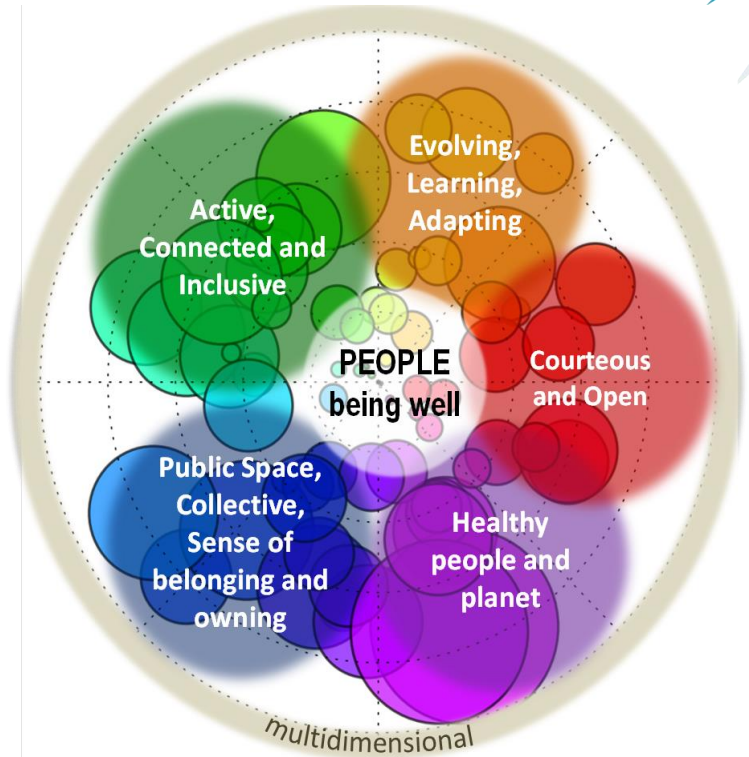
Multi-purpose and flexible. Innovative and responsive. Able to sense, monitor, learn and adapt dynamically. Continue to support future generations



# Urban Principles – A General Model For A Preferable Future City

Not intended to be dictatorial statements of a vision or an end state

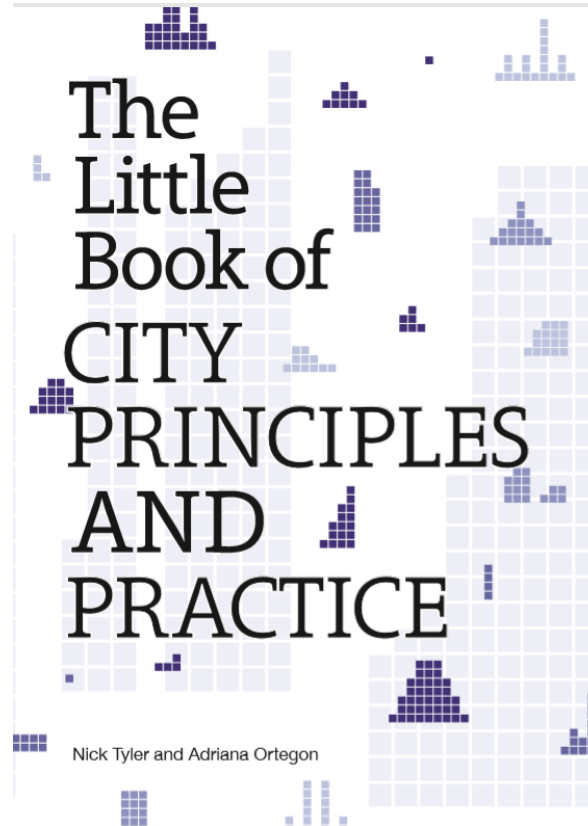
The principles are a starting point for discussion



# Principles into practice

The *city that plans* creates the continuous interaction processes around the vision

These interactions are what allow the principles from the vision to go into plans and projects at different scales



*“The future is already here, but it’s just not evenly distributed.”*

William Gibson



**Thank you**

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