

ALT URBAN GLOBAL SUMMIT 2025

INNOVATION! COLLABORATION! IMPACT!

Date: 01 July 2025 | **Time:** 10:00 am | **Venue:** Silver Oak, India Habitat Centre, New Delhi

AGENDA

Registration: 9:30 am

10:00 – 10:05 am	Welcome Address: Dr Swayamprabha Das, Policy Lead, Development Alternatives
10:05 – 10:15 am	Opening Remarks: Mr Shrashtant Patara, CEO, Development Alternatives
10:15 – 11:45 pm	<p>Leaders' Forum for Urban Transformation Green, Affordable, and Grounded: Implementation Pathways for Climate-Responsive Housing</p> <p>Moderated by Mr Rajiv Tikoo, Senior Journalist and Editor, Sustainability Karma</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dr Shailesh Agarwal, Executive Director, BMTPC, Ministry of Housing & Urban Affairs, Government of India • Dr Bhaskar Natrajan, Senior Fellow, AEEE • Mr Sanjay Seth, Senior Director – Sustainable Infrastructure Programme, TERI & Vice President and Chief Executive Officer, GRIHA Council • Dr Priyanka Kochhar, CEO, The Habitat Emprise • Mr Balasubramanian Iyer, Regional Director, International Cooperatives Alliance (ICA), Asia-Pacific • Dr Soumen Maity, Chief Technology Officer, TARA <p>Open House</p>
11:45 – 12:00 pm	Networking Tea
12:00 – 12:05 pm	Introduction to Alt Urban Housing Challenge 2025
12:05 – 12:15 pm	The Dhun Life View on Sustainability: Ms Jatan Shekhawat, Co-Creator, Dhun
12:15 – 12:30 pm	<p>Alt Urban Housing Challenge Video</p> <p>Announcement of Winner</p> <p>Release of Publication: “Journey of the Alt Urban Housing Challenge”</p>
12:30 – 12:40 pm	Special Remarks: Dr Ashok Khosla, Chairman, Development Alternatives Group
12:40 – 12:45pm	Vote of Thanks: Shaila Sam, Head of Communications, Development Alternatives
12:45 – 2:00 pm	Networking Lunch

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SHAPING GREEN URBAN FUTURES

Date: 01 July 2025 | **Time:** 2 pm | **Venue:** Silver Oak, India Habitat Centre, New Delhi

Time	Item
2:00 – 2:05 pm	Welcome Remarks: Ms Shaila Sam, Head of Communications, Development Alternatives
2:05 – 2:15 pm	Opening Remarks: Dr Ashok Khosla, Chairman, Development Alternatives Group
2:15 – 2:25 pm	Introduction to the publication “Shaping Green Urban Futures” by Mr Devjit Mittra, Executive Director, Socratus Foundation
2:25 – 2:30 pm	Release of the publication “Shaping Green Urban Futures” Mr Shombi Sharp, Dr Ashok Khosla, Mr Devjit Mittra, Mr Shrashtant Patara
2:30 – 2:45 pm	Keynote Address: Mr Shombi Sharp, UN Resident Coordinator for India
2:45 – 3:45 pm	trialogue2047 - Shaping Green Urban Futures in India Moderator: Mr Shrashtant Patara, CEO, Development Alternatives Group Panelists <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mr Sarath Babu MG, Lead, Data Technology & Innovation, NIUA • Ms Shikha Shrivastava, Head, Urban Poverty Alleviation, TATA Trusts • Ms Umit Bhatia, Senior Director, Sustainability Strategy, Asia Pacific, JLL Open House
3:45 - 3:55 pm	Reflections: Ms Zeenat Niazi, Chief Advisor, Circular Economy and Climate Resilience Programs, Development Alternatives
3:55 – 4:00pm	Closing of the session: Dr Swayamprabha Das, Policy Lead, Development Alternatives
4:00 pm	Networking Tea

PARTNERS FOR CHANGE:

