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Metropolis Training Center
Middle East Branch
Mashhad



Municipality of Mashhad
**International Scientific
Cooperation Office**

Management of Urban Sprawl and Unofficial Settlements

1: Introduction to Theme

International Workshop
Metropolis Training Center, Mashhad,
Islamic Republic of Iran
September 27-30, 2010

Introductions

Speakers/ resource people

- Everybody here!
- Dr Jila Sajadi
- Dr Tafahomi
- Mr Seyed Mehdi
Mirfendereski
- Dr Jalal Tabrizi
- Prof David Wilmoth

Other attendees

- Name
- Affiliation
- Aims while here
- Individual case study
chosen

Learning outcomes



1. Understand the dimensions and drivers of
 - Urban expansion
 - Informal urban settlementsInternationally and in Iran
2. Be familiar with
 - Approaches to urban growth management
 - Managing urban expansion
 - Unofficial settlements

Learning outcomes (2)



3. Knowledge of best practice and case studies in these fields

- Internationally and
- In Iran

Internationally and in Iran

4. Completion of individual work-integrated learning case studies (after workshops)

Outline of program (1)



Monday

- Introductions
- City briefing
- Field visit: New town of Golbaha

Outline of program (2)



Tuesday

- Urban expansion internationally
- Urban expansion in Iran
- Metropolitan expansion, planning and programming for land and housing
- Regulation of urban expansion in Iran
- New town planning and policy in Iran
- Urban growth management incl. local economic development
- Urban growth management cases
- Unofficial settlements international
- Unofficial settlements case study Iran

Outline of program (3)



Wednesday

- Unofficial settlements in Mashhad
- Field visit: Sisabad project
- Unofficial settlements case study international
- Women's participation in urban upgrading
- Unofficial settlement individual cases
- 'Hypothetical'
- Wrap up

Thursday

- Tour Holy Shrine
- Photo shoot

Later

- Individual case studies - revision and completion

Working methods



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- Chatham House rules
- Respect and courage
- Working group assignments and method

Questions?