



## **Sustainable Development Goal 11: Sustainable Cities and Communities**

### **Jean Monnet Sustainable Development Goals Network Seminar Series**

The [Jean Monnet Sustainable Development Goals Network](#) opens its 2020 program with an exploration of **Sustainable Development Goal 11: Sustainable Cities and Communities**. SDG 11 aims to 'make cities and human settlements inclusive, safe, resilient and sustainable'. What does this mean, and how will this be achieved? What projects are already underway to deliver on this goal?

This seminar builds on the 2018-2019 program, which covered the first ten Goals. In 2020, the Network will host seminars on each of the remaining seven Goals. Each seminar will be accompanied by a [Policy Brief](#), further exploring the ideas and issues raised during the discussion.

#### **Panellists**

##### **Professor Mike Osborne,**

Centre for Sustainable, Healthy and Learning Cities and Neighbourhoods,  
University of Glasgow

Michael Osborne is Professor of Adult and Lifelong Learning at the University of Glasgow and Director of Research within the School of Education. He is Director of the Centre for Research and Development in Adult and Lifelong Learning (CR&DALL) within the College of Social Sciences, and Co-director of the PASCAL Observatory on Place Management, Social Capital and Lifelong Learning within the School of Education. He is a Visiting Professor at RMIT Melbourne, a Docent of the University of Tampere and is an External Member of the Aristotle University of Thessaloniki in Greece.

**Professor Jago Dodson**  
**Centre for Urban Research, School of Global Urban and Social Studies,**  
**RMIT University**

Jago Dodson is Professor of Urban Policy and Director of the Centre for Urban Research at RMIT. He has an extensive record of research into housing, transport, urban planning, infrastructure, energy and urban governance problems and has contributed extensively to scholarly and public debates about Australian cities. Jago has also worked internationally on urban policy in partnership with the UN Habitat and OECD.

**Professor Usha Iyer-Raniga,**  
**School of Property and Construction Management, RMIT University**

Usha Iyer-Raniga is Professor in the School of Property, Construction and Project Management at RMIT University. She is also the Co-Lead of the United Nations One Planet Network's Sustainable Buildings and Construction Programme on Sustainable Consumption and Production, aligned with SDG12.

**Event details**

**Tuesday, 25 February 2020, 12:30pm – 2pm**  
**RMIT Council Chamber, Building 1, Level 2R,**  
**124 La Trobe St, Melbourne VIC**

**This is a free event, but [registration is essential](#)**

Light refreshments will be served

**More information**

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