CALL FOR SUBMISSIONS!
Deadline: August 26, 2016

Age-Friendly Cities

Urban Infill is the journal of Kent State University’s Cleveland Urban Design Collaborative. The upcoming issue (Urban Infill #9) will be a series of pamphlets, bound together, that explore five broad topic areas in urban design and city-making, including:

1. Big Data in Urban Design
2. Variability in Urban Places
3. New Development Models & Implementation
4. Age-Friendly Cities
5. Great Lakes Urban Issues

Each pamphlet will correspond to conversations and public events held at the CUDC in 2015/16 under the banner of The Future City Sessions, sponsored by the George Gund Foundation.

In this call for submissions, we are seeking short works (text, images, or both) that illustrate complex and innovative urban development projects, large and small, and the specific strategies that were used for implementation. Submissions can take the form of brief case studies, process diagrams, and design drawings that reveal the ways good ideas take shape and become real in cities.

We’re particularly interested in the older industrial cities of the Great Lakes region, but welcome contributions about other cities if they are broadly applicable to the topic or offer a useful comparison or contrast to Great Lakes conditions.

SUBMISSION GUIDELINES

1. Submissions may include images, graphics, diagrams, and/or text. Text should not exceed 1,000 words; image-oriented pieces are limited to what can be legible on up to four pages of the journal. Page format is 8.5” square.
2. We’ll consider only finished work. Please do not submit an abstract, proposal, or outline. If your piece is accepted for publication, you will have an opportunity to make revisions as needed.
3. We do not accept articles previously published in English (in print or online).
4. The author(s) name(s), mailing address, and e-mail address, as well as a short biography must appear on the first page of the submission. Byline should contain the full name of each author and his or her affiliation(s).
5. The title should be concise yet descriptive of the content of the article; titles of 100 characters or fewer are preferred.
6. Text should be written in an accessible, jargon-free style for a sophisticated general audience.
7. Avoid footnotes or endnotes; incorporate them into the text.
8. For issues of style, we use The Chicago Manual of Style (University of Chicago Press).
9. Images in any format (.jpg, .tif, .pdf, etc.) are welcome. Please include low-resolution versions of your images with your initial submission (email not to exceed 10MB).
10. Please send your work to cudc@kent.edu and include “Urban Infill” in the subject line of your email.

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