



WEBINAR

Gender-inclusive mobility in cities

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14.00-15.30 CET

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Guest Speakers: Oana Pavăl (she/her) is based in Bucharest and finds herself at the intersection of architecture, activism, action research and education; Irina Cosescu (she/her) is a legally blind woman from Romania, currently working as a product manager at Microsoft in Oslo. Irina uses the pronouns 'she/her' and is passionate about topics like diversity and inclusion; Toni (they/them) is a musician, trainer and facilitator, active in the realms of education, social justice, and ecopsychology. They grew up in Germany, but have lived in Sweden for 4 year and identify as non-binary.

Delivery language: English

14:00	Welcome and introduction
14:05	Empathy exercise
14:10	Gender biases in urban mobility and public facilities, viewed through an intersectional lens, and their connection to the social model of disability. Examining how the built environment influences social segregation and exclusion based on socio-cultural and demographic factors.
14:25	A real-life example of mobility experience on the streets of Bucharest.
14:30	Accessibility and urban mobility, the effects of biases in data collection and the use of AI. Best practices examples that enhance gender equity in planning.
15:00	Interview with two guest speakers that will emphasize the obstacles that they have faced regarding mobility challenges and exclusion in the built environment/public facilities/transportation based on gender and how they adapted to them or solutions that they have found helpful. Q&A
15:25	Wrap up by URBACT Secretariat

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