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Scripting Futures for Urban Sustainability

Join us for a transformative two-day symposium exploring urban sustainability and the kickoff for the exciting Aurora 2030 Healthy Cities Initiative. This final gathering of the University Alliance Ruhr City Scripts Graduate Research Group, funded by the Volkswagen Foundation, and the first meeting of Aurora urban researchers & students, promises a rich program of insights into storytelling's power to shape urban futures.

Highlights Include:

- Keynote by Prof. Dr. Marcus Zepf, Professor of Urbanism, Co-Director E-City, University Paris-Est Créteil (UPEC).
- Critical questions around the concept of "Adaptable Cities."
- Engaging in discussions on the roles of narratives in urban planning and sustainability.
- Student contributions, poster presentations, and hybrid talks.
- A reception and book launch for the latest scholarly works on postindustrial urban narratives.

For: Students, Researchers, Administrators and Practitioners

Focus: Intersection of Urban Research, Sustainability, and Storytelling



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