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CITY VIS 2018 EXHIBITION

Vernissage:
22.10.2018 7 PM

Exhibition:
22.10.2018–31.12.2018

CityVis 2018 – Exhibition

Learn from the past, understand the present, and plan for a better future.

Our urban systems are interwoven with digital infrastructures. Data has become an essential component for modern services, from managing urban mobility to guiding political decision making. This new layer in our cities is mostly invisible. In the exhibition **CityVis**, organized by the *Technologiestiftung Berlin* (Technology Foundation Berlin) and the *Urban Complexity Lab* at Potsdam University of Applied Sciences, researchers, urban planners, activists, and artists from around the world try to visualize this new perspective on our urban environment. The exhibition shows a selection of works from urban bike traffic and movements of refugees, to street musicians and urban crime statistics. In addition, the Technologiestiftung Berlin will premiere a new interactive augmented reality installation that visualizes Berlin's open data on a real physical city model.

The exhibition was born from the online platform *www.CityVis.io*, which was founded in 2016 for the third installment of the UN Habitat conference, held that year in Quito, Ecuador. For this year's CityVis, we received more than fifty submissions from around the globe. A jury of 22 international experts reviewed and judged all submissions. The best projects from the categories research, contract work, art, journalism, student projects, and Berlin will be presented to the public in this exhibition.

Through activities like the CityVis exhibition, the Technologiestiftung Berlin and the Potsdam University of Applied Sciences engage the public in discourse around smart cities. By rendering the ubiquitous yet invisible layers of data and information visible, we are trying to provide citizens with novel perspectives on their urban environment. Through the spheres of research, planning, and activism, the digitization of urban spaces becomes apparent. This lines up with the Technologiestiftung's mission to both inform citizens about crucial issues associated with life in the 21st century and to enable them to participate in shaping our joint urban future. To pursue this goal, the Technologiestiftung launched the Ideation & Prototyping lab in late 2017. The Potsdam University of Applied Sciences is equally involved in the topic of urban futures, through their research and teaching programs. In 2015, the exhibition "*Streams and Traces*" presented urban visualization works from the university, and in 2016, the new interdisciplinary master program *Urbane Zukunft* (urban future) was founded.

INFORMATION

Vernissage: Monday, 22nd October 2018, 7 pm

Exhibition: 22.10.2018 - 31.12.2018, Mo. - Sa. 10 - 18

Entry: free

Location: Senatsverwaltung für Stadtentwicklung und Wohnen
Am Köllnischen Park 3, 10179 Berlin

Notice: Changes regarding opening times can be found here:

www.stadtentwicklung.berlin.de/planen/stadtmodelle/de/ausstellung.shtml

URL

<http://www.cityvis.io/exhibition.html>

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GUIDED TOURS

For educational purposes (schools, universities, etc.), the Technologiestiftung offers thematic introductions and guided tours through the exhibition. For an appointment, please get in touch with us.



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