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International Seminar on Urban Regeneration at JMI

Faculty of Architecture & Ekistics, JMI is organising an International Seminar on Urban Regeneration on 07 December. The seminar is organised focussing on the theme of Contemporary Paradigms, Practice and Possibilities. A number of renowned speakers from Netherlands, Dubai, Zurich and India will be delivering talks on their experience and projects in multiple aspects of Urban Regeneration.

The convener of the seminar Prof. Hina Zia, Dean of the Faculty emphasised on the need for sharing learning and experiences between east and west. The presentations will be on the recent projects from Europe, Middle East and India bringing a multi-faceted discourse in the seminar. She expressed contentment that this seminar specially comprises of practitioners as the speakers so as to bring the practical exposure to the students and others delegates.

Prof. S.M. Akhtar, Head of the Department of Architecture stated that the regeneration of existing urban stock is not just the necessity of the time but also an environmental and ecological compulsion. The future of cities lies in management of utilisation of existing urban stock to its optimal capacity. He expressed happiness that Jamia is a pioneer in starting and running the Master program in Urban Regeneration and fulfilling the academic and professional obligations of organising Seminars to bridge the gap between practice and pedagogy.

The Seminar is open for all and organised in the Mir Anis Hall in the V.C. Office compound.

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