



# CALL FOR PAPERS

**ICIPSSL 2020**  
**Sep 23-24, 2020**  
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The International Research Conference is a federated organization dedicated to bringing together a significant number of diverse scholarly events for presentation within the conference program. Events will run over a span of time during the conference depending on the number and length of the presentations.

ICIPSSL 2020 : International Conference on Informalizing Public Space and Street Life is the premier interdisciplinary forum for the presentation of new advances and research results in the fields of Informalizing Public Space and Street Life. The conference will bring together leading academic scientists, researchers and scholars in the domain of interest from around the world. Topics of interest for submission include, but are not limited to:

The role of informality in public space  
Forms of informality take place in public space  
Different forms of informality work in public space  
The role of the built environment  
Urban design that most effectively address informality in the process of shaping and managing public spaces  
The synergies and contradictions between formal and informal in public space  
The in-between conditions  
Forms of informality that compete for space and visibility

Methods that can be used to unravel the ways in which forms of informality work in public space  
The adaptations and codes of informality in public space  
The relations between urban informality and street-life intensity  
The rhythms of informality in public space  
The relations between spatial, social, and temporal aspects of informality in public space  
Ways that can urban mapping be used to unravel the dynamics of informality in public space  
Urban design interventions that enable or constrain the emergence and consolidation of informality in public space  
Ways that can urban informality be sustained in public space