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The 4th Industrial Revolution and Impact on Urban Development: The Role of Real Estate



Structure of presentation

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- Future of cities



Context

- In 1950 the world population was 2.5 billion and only 746 million people lived in cities
- By 2014 the world population had reached 7.2 billion with 3.9 billion living in cities
- The world population is projected to reach 9.6 billion by 2050 and urban population 6.4 billion

Context

CONTINENT	TOTAL SURFACE AREA (million km)	% OF EARTH HABITABLE AREA	NO OF COUNTRIES	POPULATION	% OF TOTAL POPULATION
Africa	30.39 mkm ²	20%	59	1.23 billion	16.5%
America	42.5 mkm²	28%	57	998.28 million	13.4%
Asia	31.98 mKm²	21%	51	4.4 billion	59.6%
Australia	8.01 mkm²	5%	6	28.91 million	0.4%
Europe	23.13 mkm²	15%	52	745.06 million	10%
Oceania	552,467.00 km²	0%	22	11.33 million	0.2%

Urban Growth and Change

Global urban population growth is propelled by the growth of cities of all sizes



https://esa.un.org/unpd/wup/publications/files/wup2014-highlights.pdf

Industrial Revolutions

- The First Industrial Revolution used water and steam power to mechanise production (1786 to early 19th Century).
- The Second used electric power to create mass production and other sources of energy including oil and gas (1870 to early 20th Century).
- The Third used electronics and information technology to automate production – emergence of nuclear energy (1969 to early 21st Century).
- Now a Fourth Industrial Revolution is building on the Third, the digital revolution that has been occurring since the middle of the last century. It is characterized by a fusion of technologies that is blurring the lines between the physical, digital, and biological spheres.*

Klaus Schwab (2015) The Fourth Industrial Revolution. What it Means and How to Respond <u>* https://www.sentryo.net/the-4-industrial-revolutions/</u>

The 4th Industrial Revolution – 3rd millennium

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Klaus Schwab (2016) The Fourth Industrial Revolution

Impact on Urban Development

- Emergence of the Internet
- Digitisation, 3D printing
- Internet of Things
- Cloud, Big Data Analytics
- Digitalization enables us to build a new virtual world from which we can steer the physical world
- Smart cities, multifunctional spaces

The 4th Industrial Revolution – 3rd millennium

Typical characteristics of this industrial revolution:

- Velocity: This revolution is evolving at an exponential rather than a linear pace,
- Breath and depth: It leads to unprecedented paradigm shifts in economy, business, society and individually.
- It is changing the "what", the "how" of doing things but also "who" we are.
- System impact: It involves the transformation of entire systems across (and within) countries, companies and society as a whole

The 4th Industrial Revolution: Fiction



The 4th Industrial Revolution: Economic Impact

- The Top six largest global companies are platform based
- Apple, Google (Alphabet), Microsoft, Amazon, Facebook and Alibaba
- The top four have greater market value than the top 12 banks worldwide *



<u>* http://blogs.lse.ac.uk/businessreview/2018/01/17/confronting-the-macroeconomic-challenges-of-the-fourth-industrial-revolution/</u>

The 4th Industrial Revolution: Economic Impact





https://www.grab.com/sg/

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The 4th Industrial Revolution: Big Data



Source: RICS (2018) Big data, smart cities, intelligent buildings – surveying in a digital world.

- Big data is a term used to refer to large, complex data sets that cannot be analysed using traditional data analysis techniques.
- The use of big data is becoming a key basis of competition and growth for professional firms, and it is already affecting every area of business activity including real estate, construction and the built environment.
- The British Standards Institute (BSI) observes that more information was generated in the last two years than in the entire history of humankind

The 4th Industrial Revolution: Reality



The 4th Industrial Revolution: Big Data

- SenseTime is a company at the forefront of China's Artificial Intelligence (AI) boom,
- Supported by Chinese government planning to turn Al into a \$150 billion industry by 2030,
- Founded in Hong Kong, the company has attracted investors including US chip designer Qualcomm and Chinese real estate developer Dalian Wanda.
- In April Alibaba led a \$600 million investment round into SenseTime, valuing the AI firm about \$3 billion.







Level of development of Fourth Industrial Revolution technology applications that address challenges for sustainability in emerging cities.

Fourth Industrial Revolution technologies	Challenges for sustainability in emerging cities						
	Smart planning and construction	Sustainable transport and logistics	Clean energy and utilities	Urban health and resources	Resilient urban systems		
3D printing							
Advanced materials							
Advanced sensor platforms							
Artificial intelligence							
Biotechnologies							
Blockchain							
Drones and autonomous vehicles							
Energy capture, storage and transmission							
Geo-engineering							
Internet of things							
Robots							
New computing technologies							
Virtual, augmented and mixed realities							

Source: Word Economic Forum (2017) Harnessing the Fourth Industrial Revolution for Sustainable Emerging Cities

The Fourth Industrial Revolution's game-changers for emerging cities



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Singapore: Smart City - Long Term Vision



Singapore: Smart City - Long Term Vision

- Leadership and long term Vision
- Singapore's vision is based on "think ahead, think across and think again"*
- Strong and united government bureaucracy, and pro-business government policies
- Long-term Investment, Infrastructure and Development strategy
- Creation of world class infrastructure
- Maintaining competitive edge via education, adoption of new technologies and resource efficiency
- Utilising its locational advantage

<u>* http://blogs.lse.ac.uk/businessreview/2018/01/17/confronting-the-macroeconomic-challenges-of-the-fourth-industrial-revolution/</u>

Singapore: Smart City – Smart Planning

Smart planning to create a liveable city

- A liveable city to provide
 - a high quality of life for its inhabitants through
 - good jobs;
 - quality housing; and
 - an effective transport system.
- An effective land use policy through land intensification strategy
- A successful public housing programme
- Long term infrastructure investment strategy

Singapore: Smart City – Land Use Policy

Land Use Policy

- The Singapore Land Use Concept Plans take a long term 50-year view that integrates various needs for the country.
- Supplemented by the 10-year Master Plans which translate the concept into strategies.
- The Land Acquisition Act has been instrumental in this
- A deliberate and carefully guarded objective by the government to retain land in Singapore for public housing.
- This includes land in the central area as well as land in outer areas of the island.

Teo Eng Cheong (2018) Making Cities Liveable. Perspective No 12, Surbana Jurong





Singapore: Smart City – Land Transport Policy

Effective Land Transport Policy

- Invest in public transport based on the Mass Rapid Transit (MRT) and extensive Bus network
- Discourage private car ownership through
 - imposition of high import tax,
 - car ownership tax,
 - fuel and
 - road pricing
- Limiting the number of new registered cars annually

Singapore: Smart City – Public Housing

Public Housing Programme

- Adequate allocation of land for public housing;
- Financed via Central Provident Fund (CPF) the use of a mandatory savings scheme to finance public housing;
- Varied designs to cater to different affordability at different times;
- Regular maintenance and upgrading of public housing; and
- Thoughtful social policies to achieve greater social integration in a multi cultural society.

Singapore: Smart City and Global Hub

Long term infrastructure investment strategy creating a global hub

- Building world-class infrastructures
- A world class airport (Changi Airport)
- An efficient sea port the New Tuas Port when it's fully developed, is going to be the single largest fully-automated terminal in the world
- Well designed industrial areas
- Creation of Jurong Island a S\$7bn complex of seven islands into a 3,200 ha petrochemical complex and 100 companies employing 30,000 people

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Singapore: Smart City – Smart Nation Vision

Launched by Singapore PM in 2014

"Singapore strives to be a Smart Nation, in which our people are empowered by technology to lead meaningful and fulfilled lives. By harnessing the power of networks, data and info-comm technologies, we endeavour to improve living, create economic opportunity and build a closer community. We have the conducive environment to experiment, prototype and deploy innovative solutions that can be shared with other global cities".

> https://www.youtube.com/watch?list=PLmGkYf0auQJyhg7Dm HJZuXQrCWNw_qd9D&time_continue=5&v=4Fxo1WyXRQI

The 4th Industrial Revolution: Impact on Cities

Smart planning and construction with focus on;

- Sustainable transport and logistics
- Clean energy and utilities
- Urban health and resources
- Advancing circular resource management
- Planning new cities and retrofitting existing ones requires a paradigm shift given rapid urbanization and growing environmental pressures.
- "Living" building façades, green spaces and urban agriculture

The 4th Industrial Revolution: Impact on Cities

Resilient urban systems

- Real-time, integrated and adaptive urban management systems and change management to better adapt to, learn from and respond to shocks
- Disaster-ready urban infrastructure and buildings, and
- smart emergency response systems for natural and manmade disaster prevention, mitigation and recovery

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LAND USE IN 4 DIMENSIONS 3D+TIME

The Role of Real Estate

- The Industry 4 provides great opportunity for the real estate sector
- Innovative approach to real estate solutions
- Embrace the new technologies and add value
- Changing real estate space
- New retail models
- Multifunctional developments

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New Smart Cities: Songdo

Songdo, South Korea was described in 2014 by its US developers as the largest real estate investment (\$40 bn) in the world.

The Songdo International Business District, as it is now marketed, is constructed on the Incheon waterfront.

Occupying 1,500 acres of reclaimed land and intended to accommodate 22,000 dwellings, as well as extensive commercial space, it was built as part of the drive to promote low-carbon and sustainable growth as the principal avenue for development in South Korea.

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https://www.koreaexpose.com/songdo-no-mans-city/

New Smart Cities: Masdar (UAE)

- Masdar City, was conceived by the Abu Dhabi government in 2006 as part of a much greater project to transform the country from its oil based economy to one based on knowledge and innovation.
- Intending to be carbon neutral and emission free, the \$22 bn project was envisaged to be as being largely solar powered. Its original completion date was 2010

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http://www.masdar.ae/

New Smart Cities: A Global Trend

- China, smart cities are viewed as a significant way to accelerate the process of industrialisation, urbanisation and improving agriculture.
- Two hundred smart cities have been identified for inclusion under a national pilot scheme.
- The Indian government has a vision of a 'Digital India', and has put forward a plan to integrate smart city processes into 100 cities across the country
- The United States Department of Transport has awarded \$40 million to Columbus, Ohio. This was the result of a competitive bid to help it define what it means to be a smart city.

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Innovative Funding

To build the momentum and funding available for promising, sustainable city-focused innovations.

- Accelerators, venture capital and impact investors can build and support portfolios of Fourth Industrial Revolution technology companies for urban environmental solutions
- Urban and national governments need to provide innovative PPP solutions, blended and risk finance, e.g. challenge funds and viability gap funding, to enable financing for the public good and technology development*
- Sovereign Wealth Funds (SWFs)
- National Pension Funds
- Alternative and ethical investment (Shariah and Green Funds), impact investment

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