

## Smart Cities and the Need for Proactive Transparency

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Smart cities are an example of the profound impact of technology for local governments. With recent innovations in sensors and artificial intelligence, cities are able to measure and do more in service of their residents. At the same time, these advances present unique challenges to privacy, fairness and progress, especially where they are found perpetuate harm to vulnerable populations.

In absence of a general policy approach, what can cities do to get the most out of tech, while respecting the rights of their residents? Inclusive and participatory governance presents a path. This talk will detail strategies from the world of open data to show what can cities can achieve with smart cities, while creating process allow residents to shape their outcome.

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