



**Expert Group meeting for
the Global Sustainable Development Report
Dubrovnik, 21-22 October 2013**



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**Tourism and Culture
In a Sustainable Development
Perspective**

Global Sustainable Development Report: Inter- linkages and Clusters of Issues

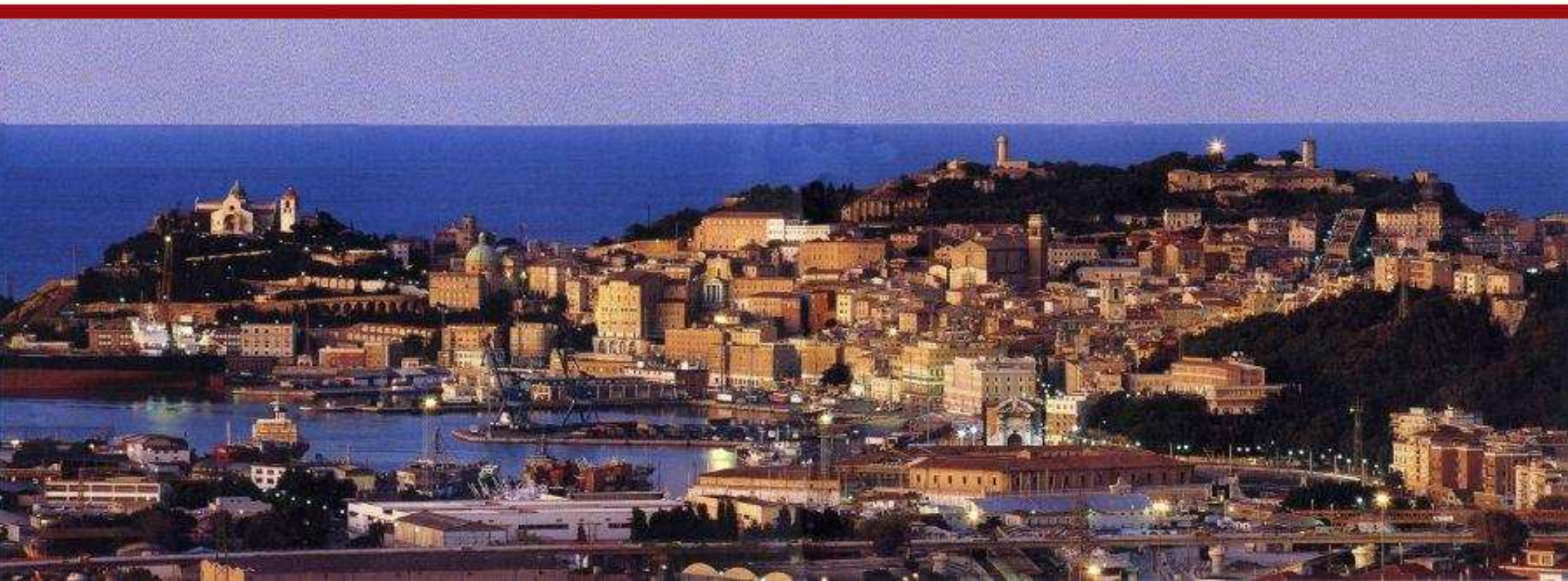




INTERNATIONAL HISTORIC TOWNS CONFERENCE

Delivering Smart, Sustainable and Inclusive Growth in Historic Towns

Dubrovnik, Croatia - October 4-5, 2012



The Historical Mediterranean Compact City Model: Smart, Sustainable and Contemporary

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Cities are not museums

Andro Vlahušić, Mayor of Dubrovnik

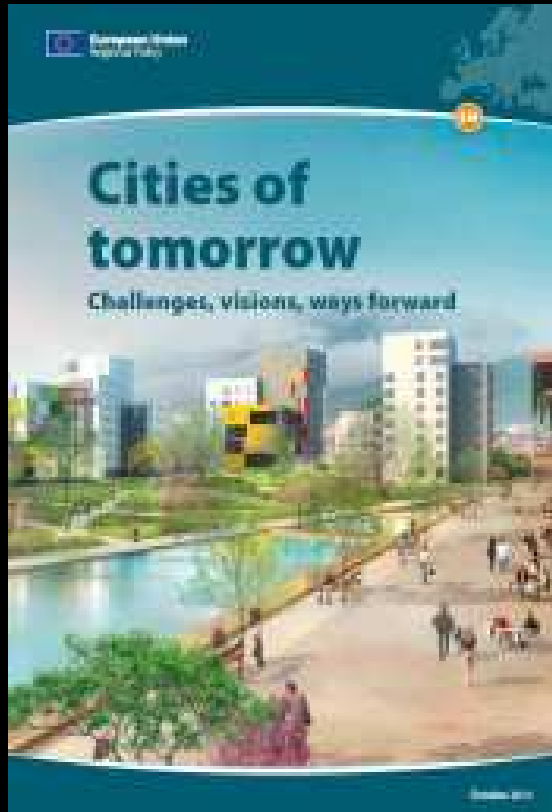
The Challenge of Historical and Cultural Cities:

**Update their urban image
Maintaining their peculiar characteristics**



**In 1930 in Paris
only 1 apt out of 9
had private sanitaty accomodation**

URBAN REGENERATION



Cities have to build on their own past to prepare the future.

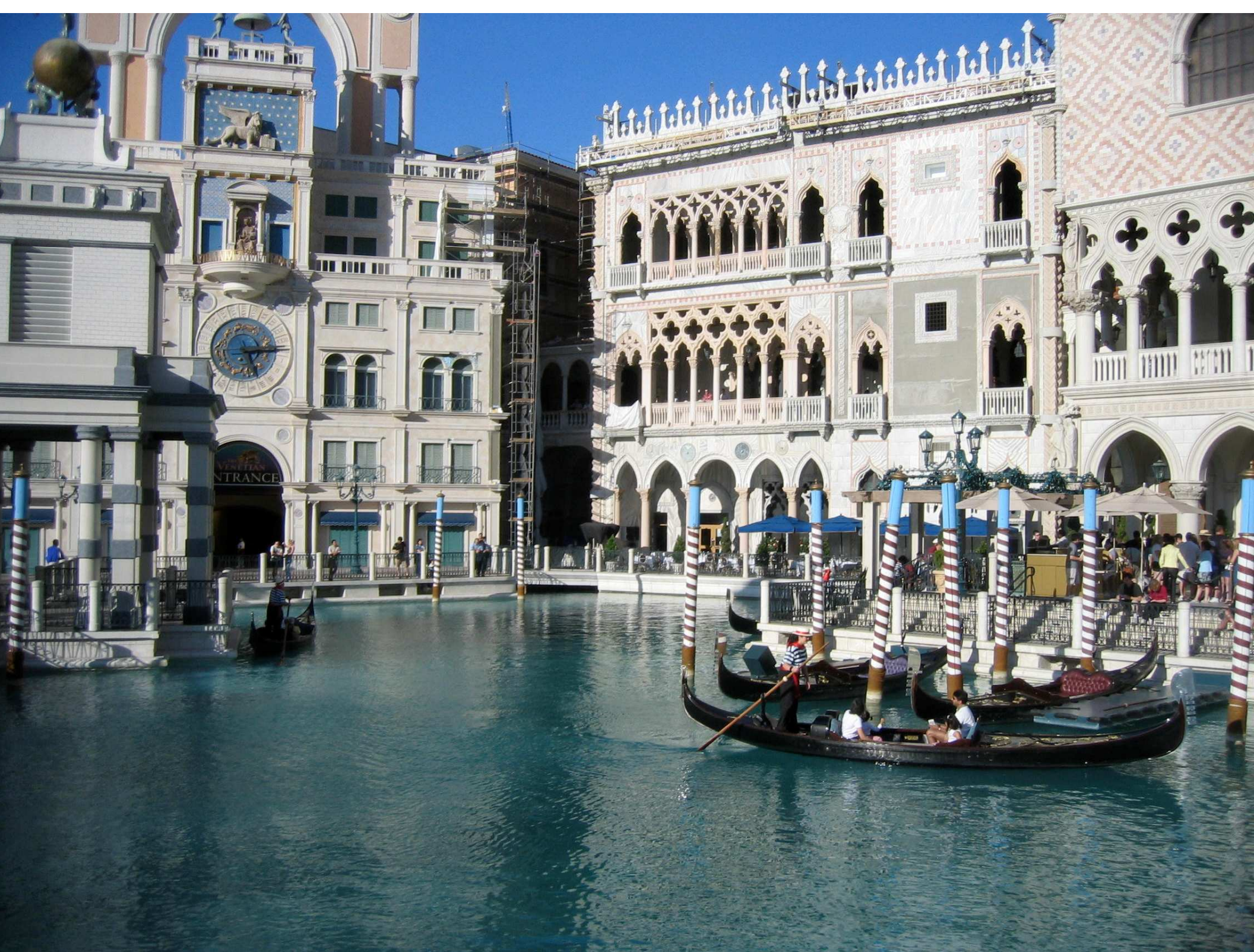
The specific attractiveness of a given city has to be seen in the context of a forward-looking scenario as an element of broader urban transition.

URBAN TRANSITION

URBAN AGENDA

**REALITY
CAPACITIES
OBJECTIVES**





“We are not going to build a “faux” Venice.
We're going to build
what is essentially the real Venice”

Sheldon Adelson, 1997











**From now to 2030
every year 150 million people
will enter the “Middle Class”**



FRANCE

SPAIN

MOROCCO

ALGERIA

TUNISIA

LIBYA

ITALY

CROATIA

**BOSNIA &
HERZEGOVINA**

MONTENEGRO

ALBANIA

GREECE

MALTA

TURKEY

SYRIA

CYPRUS

LEBANON

ISRAEL

EGYPT



Governing Development

Aknowledge the new costraints

**Find wise solutions
that carry short term advantages**



**RESILIENT PEOPLE
RESILIENT PLANET
A FUTURE WORTH CHOOSING**



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