

# Smart Cities: Building the Future of Urban Living

**Date:** July 15, 2025

**Time:** 11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Cairo Local Time (CLT) // 10:00 – 11:30 a.m. CET

**Location:** Online Webinar on Microsoft Teams

**Language:** English

## Agenda

### Moderation

Karin Elshafei, Operation Head, AHK Egypt

**10:00 – 10:05 a.m. CET // 11:00 – 11:05 a.m. CLT**

### **Welcome Note**

Karin Elshafei, Bavarian Representative in Egypt and AHK Operational Head, German-Arab Chamber of Industry and Commerce

Florian Obermayer, Bavarian Ministry of Economic Affairs, Regional Development and Energy

**10:05 – 10:20 a.m. CET // 11:05 – 11:20 a.m. CLT**

### ***Egypt's Smart Cities Vision 2030: Strategic Opportunities for Bavarian-Egyptian Cooperation***

Dr. Abdel Khalek Ibrahim, Egyptian Ministry of Planning and International Cooperation

**10:20 – 10:40 a.m. CET // 11:20 – 11:40 a.m. CLT**

### ***Integrated urban planning and development***

Ahmed Rizk, UN Habitat

**10:45 – 11:15 a.m. CET // 11:45 – 12:15 a.m. CLT**

### ***- Livable Cities: Modern Concepts for European and MENA Region Contexts***

Sabine Hansky, Munich Urban Colab



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- ***Siemensstadt Square – a Future Location for Berlin (tbc)***

Siemens AG (tbc)

- ***Worth living City of Munich – Challenges, achieved goals and new developments***

Klaus Illigmann, Landeshauptstadt München, Referat für Stadtplanung und  
Bauordnung

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***Digital Urban Solutions for Egypt's Next Generation Cities: Samples from the  
Mobility Sector and Smart Buildings Sector***

Dr. Mara Cole, Bayern Innovativ

***11:30 – 11:45 a.m. CET // 12:30 – 12:45 p.m. CLT***

***Interactive session with the audience***

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