OPENING PLENARY

9:00 AM

Welcome to CityLab
Michael R. Bloomberg, Founder of Bloomberg L.P. and Bloomberg Philanthropies

Welcome to Amsterdam + Building Public Trust in the Digital Era
Femke Halsema, Mayor of Amsterdam, Netherlands
WITH Soraya Sarhaddi Nelson, Host, “Common Ground Berlin” Podcast

The Great Opportunity
Norman Foster, Founder and Executive Chairman, Foster + Partners
WITH Francine Lacqua, Anchor and Editor-At-Large, Bloomberg TV

A Message to Cities, From Kyiv
Vitali Klitschko, Mayor of Kyiv, Ukraine
WITH Yuliya Tychkivska, Executive Director, Aspen Institute Kyiv

Cities in the Age of Protest
Muriel Bowser, Mayor of Washington, District of Columbia, U.S.A.
Claudia López Hernández, Mayor of Bogotá, Colombia
WITH Marianna Evenstein, Television Anchor, Deutsche Welle News

Cities v. Heat
Eugenia Kargbo, Chief Heat Officer, City of Freetown, Sierra Leone
Eleni Myrivili, Chief Heat Officer, City of Athens, Greece
Marta Segura, Chief Heat Officer and Climate Emergency Mobilization Office Director, City of Los Angeles, California, U.S.A.
WITH Feargus O’Sullivan, Contributing Writer, Bloomberg CityLab

Asphalt Art Initiative Winners Announcement
Patricia E. Harris, CEO of Bloomberg Philanthropies

City Stories: CHICAGO
Dilla Thomas, TikTok Historian
WITH Baratunde Thurston, Creator & Host, “How to Citizen” Podcast
2:15 PM

**When the War is Next Door**
- Aleksandra Dulkiewicz, Mayor of Gdańsk, Poland
- Remigijus Šimasius, Mayor of Vilnius, Lithuania
- Mārtiņš Staķis, Mayor of Riga, Latvia
  WITH Amna Nawaz, Chief Correspondent, PBS NewsHour

**Rising Tide**
- Kadir van Lohuizen, Photojournalist

**Waterproofing Cities**
- Henk Ovink, Special Envoy for Water Affairs, Kingdom of the Netherlands
- Pierfrancesco Maran, Deputy Mayor of Milan, Italy
- Melissa Martin, Chef and Author, Mosquito Supper Club
- Randall Woodfin, Mayor of Birmingham, Alabama, U.S.A.
  WITH Adam Freed, Principal, Bloomberg Associates

**City Stories: CALI**
- Nathalia Gallego Sanchez (Gleo), Visual Artist
  WITH Baratunde Thurston, Creator & Host, “How to Citizen” Podcast

**Urban Cures for Mental Health**
- Christian Bason, Director, Danish Design Center
- Elizabeth Linos, Professor of Public Policy and Management, Harvard Kennedy School
- Andrea Mechelli, Professor of Early Intervention in Mental Health, King’s College, London
  WITH Nuala McGovern, Broadcaster, BBC News

**The Evolving Role of Local Leaders**
- Clarence Anthony, CEO and Executive Director, National League of Cities

**Walking with Amal**
- Amir Nizar Zuabi, Artistic Director, The Walk Productions
  WITH Kate Levin, Head of Arts, Bloomberg Philanthropies

**Special Closing Experience**
MORNING PLENARY

9:30 AM

Facing History to Forge a Brighter Future
London Breed, Mayor of San Francisco, California, U.S.A.
Piotr M.A. Cywiński, Director, Auschwitz-Birkenau State Museum
Nancy Jouwe, Cultural Historian
WITH Dan Porterfield, President and CEO, Aspen Institute

Crypto and Your City
Tonantzin Carmona, David M. Rubenstein Fellow, Brookings Institution
Mark Foster, Managing Director, Strategic Advisory Management
WITH Stacy-Marie Ishmael, Managing Editor for Crypto, Bloomberg News

The Mastaba: Christo and Jeanne-Claude’s Final Project
Vladimir Yavachev, Project Director, Christo and Jeanne-Claude Foundation

From Science Fiction to City Planning: Cities and “The Metaverse”
Sean Audain, Strategic Planning Manager, Wellington City Council, New Zealand
Salla Eckhardt, Director of Digital Building Lifecycle Innovation, Microsoft
WITH Linda Poon, Staff Writer, Bloomberg CityLab

City Stories: LAGOS
Peju Alatise, Artist
WITH Baratunde Thurston, Creator & Host, “How to Citizen” Podcast

What is a Mayor’s Wartime Duty?
Anatolii Fedoruk, Mayor of Bucha, Ukraine
Andriy Sadovyi, Mayor of Lviv, Ukraine
WITH Natalie Jaresko, Chairperson of Aspen Institute Kyiv
Prioritizing Public Health in a Post Pandemic World

Kostas Bakoyannis, Mayor of Athens, Greece
Chilando Chitangala, Mayor of Lusaka, Zambia
WITH Dan Kass, Senior Vice President for Environmental, Climate, and Urban Health, Vital Strategies

Immersive Nature in Cities

Amanda Burden, Principal of Urban Planning, Bloomberg Associates
Andreas Kipar, Founder, CEO, and Creative Director, LAND
WITH Nuala McGovern, Broadcaster, BBC News

Chief Data Officers Meet the Moment

Justin Elszasz, Chief Data Officer, City of Baltimore, Maryland, U.S.A.
Grace Simrall, Chief of Civic Innovation and Technology, City of Louisville, Kentucky, U.S.A.
Ming Tang, Chief Data and Analytics Officer, National Health Services, England
WITH Beth Blauer, Associate Vice Provost for Public Sector Innovation, Johns Hopkins University

Innovation Capital

Marta Cotrim, Head of Data and Smart City Unit for the City of Cascais, Portugal
Lamia Kamal-Chaoui, Director, OECD Centre for Entrepreneurship, SMEs, Regions and Cities
Darach O’Connor, Executive Manager, City of Dublin, Republic of Ireland
WITH Sarah Holder, Writer, Bloomberg CityLab

Tourism Reset: Building a Vibrant and Sustainable Visitor Economy for All

Enver Duminy, CEO, Cape Town Tourism
Norbert Kettner, Managing Director, Vienna Tourist Board
Geerte Udo, CEO, Amsterdam and Partners
WITH Lebawit Lily Girma, Travel News Reporter, Bloomberg Travel
Dynamic Capabilities in the Public Sector
Mariana Mazzucato, Professor, University College London (UCL);
Founding Director, UCL Institute for Innovation & Public Purpose

How Mexico City is Leading the World in Going Digital
Claudia Sheinbaum Pardo, Mayor of Mexico City, Mexico
WITH James Anderson, Head of Government Innovation, Bloomberg Philanthropies