

## SUMMARY C.V.

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<b>NAME/COUNTRY</b>	Jonas Rabinovitch, Brazil	tel (212) 9065750, fax (212) 9066471
<b>PROFESSION</b>	Architect, Urban Development Planner	
<b>CURRENT POSITION</b>	Senior Urban Policy Adviser, United Nations	
<b>LANGUAGES</b>	English, Portuguese, Spanish, French	

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### KEY DATA

The United Nations Development Programme (UNDP) is the central coordinating body of the UN System, operating in 166 countries and territories worldwide. Mr. Rabinovitch is the senior policy adviser for urban development and rural-urban relations, based at the UNDP headquarters in New York. He coordinates the preparation of corporate policy instruments, provides substantive inputs into UNDP urban programmes and technical/policy backstopping to urban-related initiatives for the network of UNDP Country Offices, being focal point for Mayors, Cities' Associations and urban issues in UNDP, with emphasis on urban governance issues.

His professional experience involves public transport, land use legislation, low-income housing, industrial impact, social development and the overall integration between socio-economic variables, the built environment and sustainable development needs in over 40 countries. The participation of the private sector and civil society organizations is an important component of these projects.

Apart from academic and extensive professional international experience, Mr. Rabinovitch has been advisor to former mayor Jaime Lerner (three mandates), in the award-winning City of Curitiba, Brazil, having worked for many years as city planner for the Curitiba Research and Urban Planning Institute (IPPUC) and as Director of International Relations.

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### PROFESSIONAL QUALIFICATIONS

- . BSc in Architecture and Urban Planning - The Federal University of Rio de Janeiro.
  - . Diploma in Urban Traffic and Transport Planning / Information Systems for Developing Countries - Development Planning Unit, University College, London.
  - . Master's Course (Msc) in the Economics of Urban Development Planning - Development Planning Unit, University College, London.
  - . Institute of Brazilian Architects - Member
  - . Regional Council of Engineers and Architects - Member
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**CURRENT ACTIVITIES WITHIN UNDP:** Main focal point for urban development/human settlements issues; Senior Advisor to UNDP's urban programmes; Senior Advisor and focal point to the follow-up of the HABITAT II Conference (UN Conference on Human Settlements); Advisor on public transport to UNDP and to the Energy and Atmosphere Programme; Coordinator of the International Colloquium of Mayors; Coordination of the Urban Management Programme (UMP) activities on behalf of UNDP and Advisor to the Local Initiative Facility for the Urban Environment (LIFE); Advisory role to UNDP Country Offices in urban planning/urban development, including aspects of the following: public transport, solid waste management, low-income housing, industrial location/industrial development, land use legislation, rural-urban linkages, private sector activities (formal and informal), others.