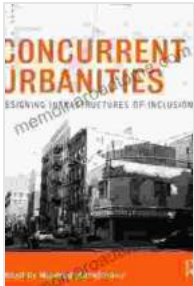


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Urban infrastructure is essential for the functioning of any city. It provides the basic services that we rely on every day, such as water, energy, transportation, and communication. But infrastructure can also be a powerful tool for promoting social inclusion.

When infrastructure is designed and used in a way that is inclusive, it can help to create more equitable and just cities. For example, accessible transportation can make it easier for people with disabilities to get around, and affordable housing can help to prevent homelessness. Public spaces that are designed for everyone to use can promote social interaction and build community.

Concurrent Urbanities: Designing Infrastructures of Inclusion is a groundbreaking new book that explores the potential of urban infrastructure to promote social inclusion. The book brings together leading scholars and

practitioners from around the world to examine how infrastructure can be designed and used to create more equitable and just cities.

The book is divided into three parts. The first part provides an overview of the concept of concurrent urbanities. The second part examines the different ways that infrastructure can be used to promote social inclusion. The third part explores the challenges and opportunities for designing and implementing inclusive infrastructure.

Concurrent Urbanities is an essential read for anyone who is interested in creating more equitable and just cities. The book provides a wealth of insights and practical examples that can help to inform the design and implementation of inclusive infrastructure.

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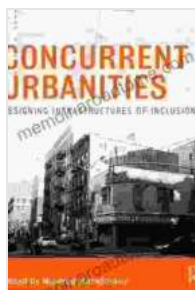
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