



## **ESPON Seminar**

"Where are European Cities heading? Evidence for better policy-making."

> 7-8 December 2016 Bratislava, Slovak Republic



Inspire policy making by territorial evidence



### Welcome and Opening

#### **Chair of the Seminar**

 Tamara Matulíková, Ministry of Transport, Construction and Regional Development of the Slovak Republic

#### **Welcome statements**

- Peter Ďurček, State Secretary of the Ministry of Transport, Construction and Regional Development of the Slovak Republic
- Ilona Raugze, Director, ESPON EGTC, Luxembourg



# Plenary session

Where are European Cities heading?

10:00 - 12:00



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#### **Moderator**

 Cliff Hague, Emeritus Professor, Heriot-Watt University

#### **Keynote speakers**

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   The European Cities Report 2016
- Patrick Le Galès,
   Professor at Centre d'études européennes de Sciences Po
- Nicolaas Beets, Dutch Urban Envoy, Netherlands Ministry of the Interior and Kingdom Relations

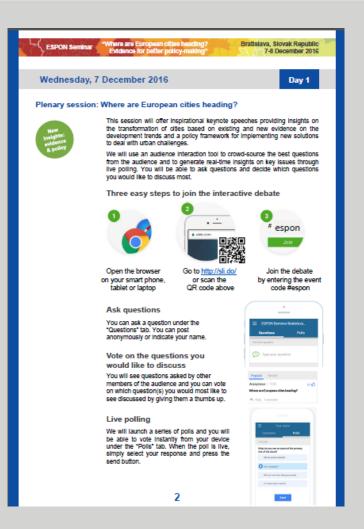


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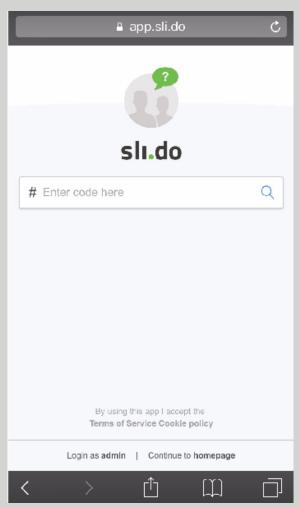
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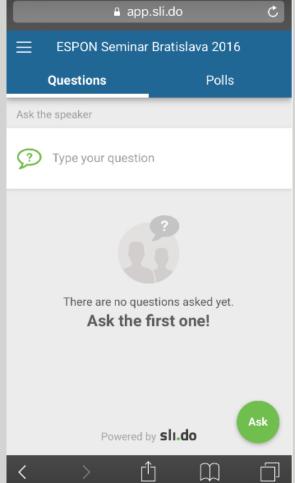
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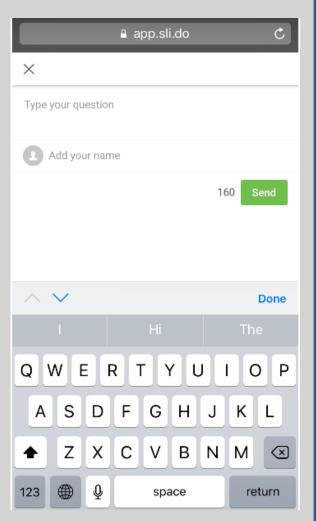




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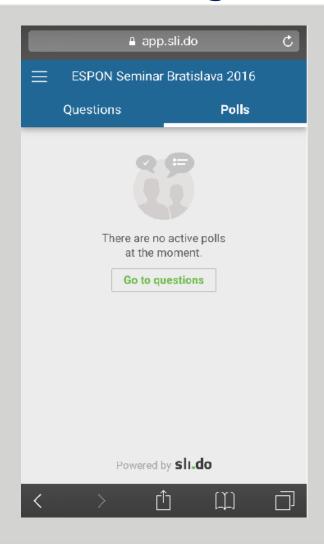


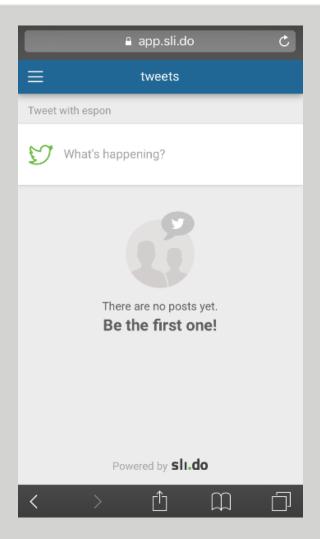






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## Lunch

13:00 - 14:00



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