

PROFILE BRIEF

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Urban Renewal in Central Area of Bhopal.

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He has published articles in various international journals. His recent book on 'Planning Smart Neighborhoods in Indian Cities', has been one of the few works in India in studying an evolving relationship of a neighborhood in context of the smart cities in India.