



United Nations

— HABITAT III —
URBAN LIBRARY REPORT

Submitted by Lead Organization	
Name of lead organization	Habitat '76
City and country where organization is based	Vancouver, BC
Title of Urban Library event	Habitat '76: A Look Back
Date of Urban Library event	10/20/2016
Number of participants	100
Percentage of women participants at the event	60%
Background information on Urban Library event (themes, issues, context).	This was a book pre-launch for my book "Habitat '76" which will be out soon. It tells the story of Habitat I and looks at the issues dealt with at that event, particularly rights to housing, land rights, and inequality. The final chapter will contain a comparison to Habitat III.
Concise summary of the event proceedings, including key points discussed.	I gave a short description of Habitat I while also running a slide show of 240 images of the event. I talked about why I think Habitat '76 (Habitat I) is still relevant today (ie. why I wrote the book). 4 panelists who attended Habitat I joined me, and each described their involvement and talked about the event's significance both generally and for themselves.
Concise summary of the publication launched or promoted at the event.	Habitat '76 is an illustrated history of the 1976 UN Habitat Conference on Human Settlements. It covers both the official conference and the public/civil society event called Habitat Forum. It contains hundreds of photos and incorporates scores of interviews with Habitat I alumni and organizers. It will be out late 2016.
Name, title, and organization of the 1st speaker	Enrique Ortiz, Habitat International Coalition, past ED
Name, title, and organization of the 2nd speaker	Barry Pinsky, ED, Rooftops Canada
Name, title, and organization of the 3rd speaker	Ana Sugranyes, Habitat International Coalition, past Secretary-General
Name, title, and organization of the 4th speaker	David Satterthwaite, Senior Fellow, IIED