



10 Female Urban Planners that deserve limelight

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Urban Planning is a gender dominant profession. The presence of male gender prevails in the statistics that clearly show it as a line and in comparison to that of women or women's preferred presence appears like a dot. There are a number of women urbanists, urban policymakers, urban planners, urban designers, activists, economists, politicians, and social workers that have contributed to the profession of urban planning that hardly gets the appreciation and the limelight that they deserve. The era seems to not have changed much in this regard from Jane Jacobs' time.

So here is an attempt to get vocal about the urban planners that deserved limelight for their work who are women.

A bio-sketch provided by Ms. Pancholi describes the career of each of the ten women, see the full article with the bio-sketched at the link below,:

1. Esther Hill
2. Erica Mann
3. Blanche Lemco Van Ginkel
4. Odilia Suarez
5. Amanda Burden
6. Margaret Helfand
7. Elizabeth Plater
8. Ellen Dunham
9. Janette Sadik Khan
10. Toni L. Griffin

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Read the full articles, including bio-sketches of each woman, at: <https://www.re-thinkingthefuture.com/know-your-architects/a2899-10-female-urban-planners-that-deserve-limelight/>