



UrbanA Arena #3, online March 18th-19th 2021 application information sheet

UrbanA Arena participants

We invite people from all backgrounds to apply as participants: activists, policy-makers, academics, entrepreneurs, researchers, intellectuals, members of local or translocal activists platforms etc.

As the events and communications within UrbanA are held primarily in English, **good skills in English are required.**

Since the third UrbanA Arena will be held entirely online again, **a good internet connection during those 2 days of online conversations is key.**

Other participants in the Arena #3 will consist of members of the UrbanA project team; up to 25 UrbanA fellows who are committed to attending all 4 Arena events (for more information, see <https://urban-arena.eu/people/>); and up to 25 additional invitees.

Application process

Applications are invited until **January 14th, 2021**. Your application will be reviewed based on our selection criteria and you will be notified/contacted via email regarding your acceptance in February. If you are accepted, you will need to respond with a **confirmation**.

Selection criteria

We strive to create a highly diverse group of UrbanA Arena participants. **We aim to maximise the diversity of participants and put extra effort into engaging views that are usually under-represented in processes of urban planning and urban governance** in order to avoid reproducing existing patterns of exclusion and marginalization. Therefore, the UrbanA Consortium will select applicants considering the following **diversity criteria**:

- Gender balance
- Geographical spread (by country)
- Occupational background
- Type of affiliation
- Knowledge and experiences.

*You can find more in-depth information in the [UrbanA Arena design guidelines](#) (chapter 3).
If you have any additional questions about the registration process or about UrbanA in general, you can reach us through the [contact form](#) on our website.*

