



# ArchKU seminar series

“DYNAMIC NEIGHBORHOODS AT THE LIMIT OF CONVENTIONAL PLANNING”

Speaker:

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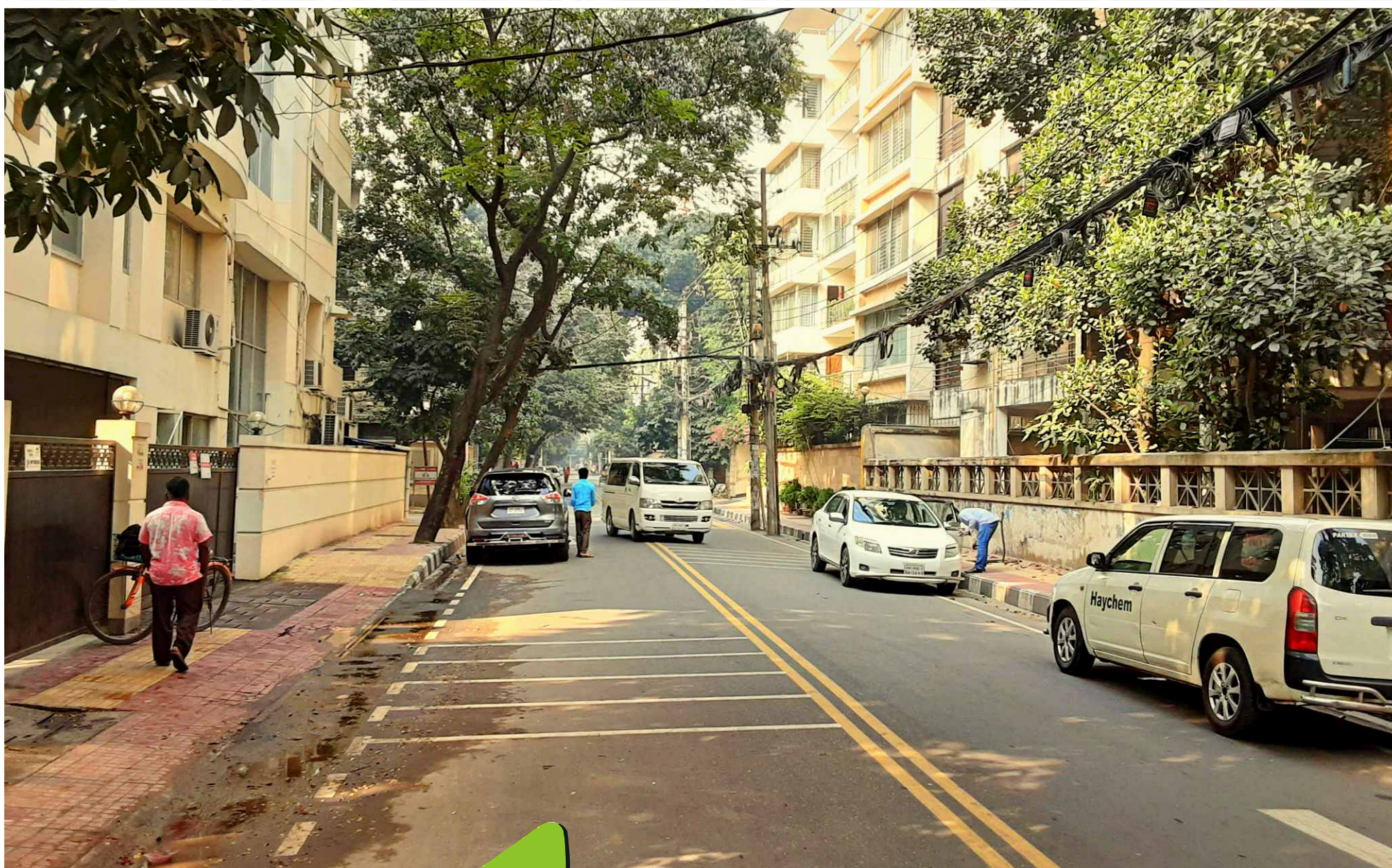
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Tanjil Sowgat is a professor at Urban and Rural Planning Discipline, Khulna University. His research interests include poverty, urbanization, equity planning, creative impact tools, and neighborhood planning. He has received two research awards for his outstanding contribution to the culture and society. He is currently conducting two UKRI funded projects focusing on sustainable cities and inequalities.

## Synopsis

Planned residential areas are often zoned out as exclusive site that rejects change and spontaneous growth. However, in Bangladesh context, the neighborhoods are always exposed to dynamic changes. Both planned and unplanned neighbourhoods of Bangladeshi cities are subjected to changes driven by multiple social, economic and spatial factors. In the backset, in my presentation, I want to unsettle the rationalist thinking of space making. My presentation advocates that neighbourhoods are 'place' not geographically bounded space and they are always exposed to 'otherness'. I call for a fresh approach to place making that would consider neighbourhoods as multiple, heterogeneous and interactive.



**Venue:** “UTHAN”(ArchKU Lecture Theatre), 2nd Floor  
Dr. Satyendra Nath Bose Academic Building

**Time:** 3:00PM-4:00 PM  
**Date:** MAR 12, 2020

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