The Habitat Business Forum on Innovative Cities will provide a platform to present best practices and innovation for sustainable and harmonious cities, from housing to basic services needs, real estate, finance and infrastructure to energy and transport.

The meeting will start with the Habitat Business Awarding Ceremony, where best practices will be presented in five categories: housing, basic services and infrastructure, urban energy, IT and communication as well as post-disaster reconstruction for better cities.

Presentations and debates on business solutions and technologies to achieve sustainable cities will be organized in five fora focusing on the following challenges:

- **Challenge 1:** Affordable housing solutions
- **Challenge 2:** Sustainable water, sanitation, waste management and infrastructure
- **Challenge 3:** Clean urban energy, mitigation and adaptation to climate change
- **Challenge 4:** Innovative Information and Communications Technology solutions
- **Challenge 5:** Disaster mitigation and post-disaster reconstruction

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