Special Session on Fit-For-Purpose Land Administration

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In 1913 Charles Fortescue-Brickdale advocated that any land registration system should be suited to circumstances.

FFP is nothing new as a land administration concept. So why do we still – or again – talk about it?

Since the Second World War, there have been a number of land titling projects in developing countries:

- that failed because they were not suited well to the local community and broader society needs and
- where organisational structures, processes and legislation were not in place
- where little consideration for cultural values, social norms and local-level political structures were given
- where there was no focus on critical success factors (CSFs)
Program

Six Presentations (60min.)

Guiding Principles for Country Level Implementation  
John Gitau (UN-Habitat)

Role of FFP in Project in Ethiopia  
Bernd Eversmann (NIRAS, Stuttgart)

Development of Fit-For-Purpose Land Administration Country Strategy: Experience from Nepal  
John Gitau (UN-Habitat)

Bridging the Security of Tenure Gap – Fit-for-Purpose Initiatives  
Christiaan Lemmen (Netherlands)

A Critical Acclaim of the Fit for Purpose Publication  
Jürg Lüthy (Switzerland)

A Legacy of Fit-for-Purpose (FFP) Land Administration, Ghana’s Example  
Kwame Tenadu (Ghana)

Panel Discussion (30min.)
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• what is in your opinion the main message of FFP?
• to whom?
• what is or should be the role of FIG and professional surveyors?