

8th UCLG ASPAC Congress hosted by Zhengzhou People's Municipal Government

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The 8th UCLG ASPAC Congress and International Conference on **“From Steady Recovery to Sustained Prosperity in Post COVID Asia Pacific”** will serve as a platform to discuss comprehensive policies and best practices on driving long-term prosperity in post COVID-19 including through city-to-city international cooperation, while ensuring sustainable development and addressing urbanisation impacts. At the same occasion, UCLG ASPAC will convene its Congress, held every two years.



The poster for the 8th UCLG ASPAC Congress Photo Competition is a colorful collage. At the top right is the UCLG ASPAC logo with the tagline 'United Cities and Local Governments Asia Pacific'. Below it is a grid of various images including a city skyline at night, a person in a field, a green field, a rocky coastline, and a portrait of a man. The central text reads: 'Photo Competition', '8th UCLG ASPAC CONGRESS', 'Hosted by Zhengzhou Municipal People's Government', and '7-9 September 2021'. To the right, it states: 'The photo competition has 4 (four) categories with 1 (one) winner each category and 1 favorite winner. They will get 500 USD each and certificate.' Below this are four numbered categories with icons: 1. Community Efforts on COVID-19 Recovery (hands holding a heart), 2. Economic and COVID-19 Recovery (dollar sign and gear), 3. Creativity in Crisis (lightbulb with gears), and 4. Blessing in Disguise (hands holding a heart). At the bottom left is another grid of images including a sunset, a person in a field, a city skyline, and a person in a field. At the bottom right is a QR code with the text 'Scan QR Code for Further Info!'. At the very bottom are social media links: 'www.uclg-aspac.org', 'UCLG ASPAC', '@uclgaspac', and '@uclgaspac'.

The 3-day event includes cultural programme and study visits to learn from Zhengzhou’s experiences and achievements in different development aspects. Participating cities, local governments and international organisations can also take part in the event’s exhibition where networks, cooperation and business opportunities can be fostered.