

Exploring Possibilities of Investing Now for Prosperous, Sustainable Neighborhoods

October 10, 2024
3:00 to 4:00 PM ET



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Today's moderator



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INVESTING **NOW** FOR PROSPEROUS, SUSTAINABLE COMMUNITIES

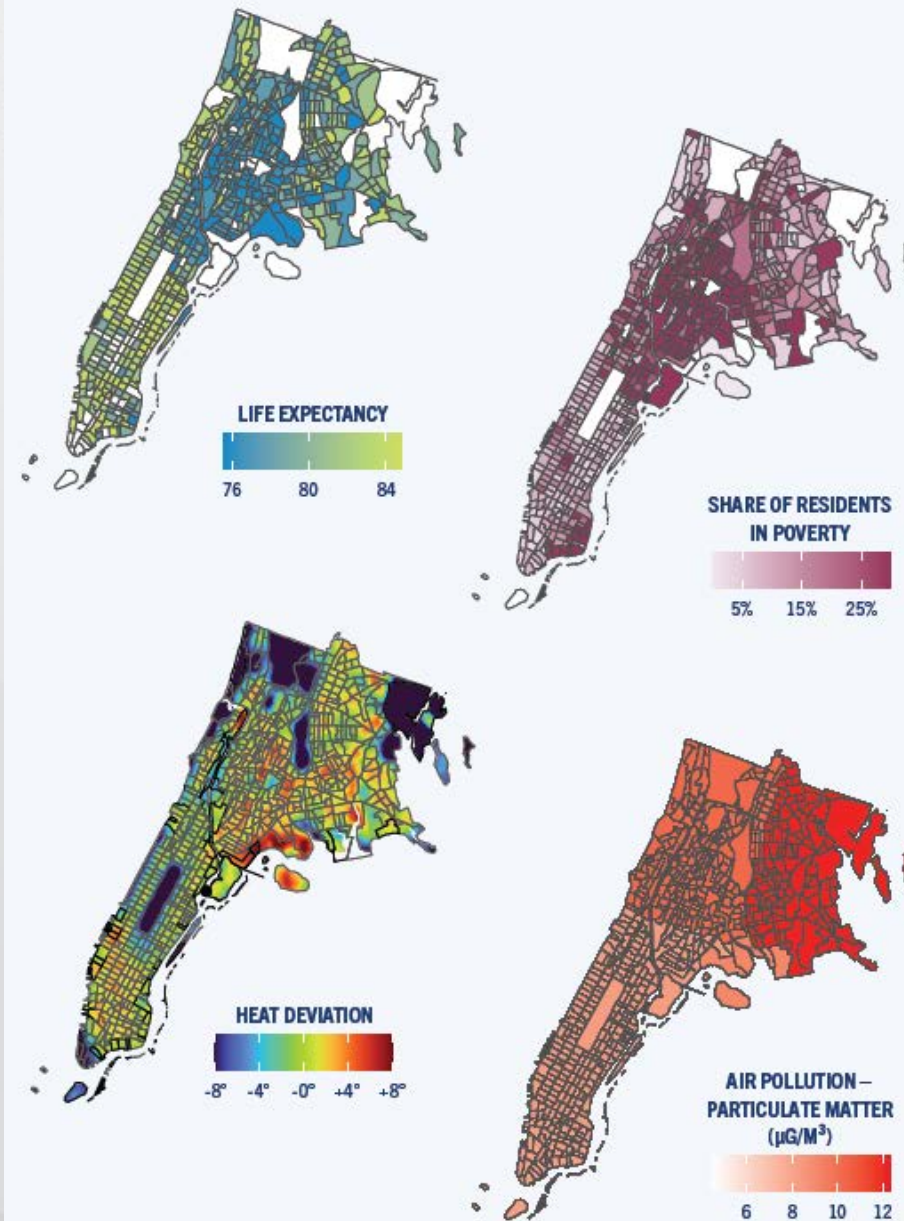
Connecting Communities Webinar

What's Possible: Collaboration

- Collaboration with **Local Initiatives Support Corporation** and **Enterprise Community Partners** with support from **RMI** (formerly Rocky Mountain Institute)
- ***What's Possible*** offers practical solutions for clean energy, resilience, and equity. It's intended as a playbook for taking collective action to build a stronger, more inclusive future.
- Book published on May 2, 2024



Figure 1. The Geography of Climate, Health, and Economic Vulnerability



City Health Dashboard, 2021 5-year American Community Survey, New York City.
Council Data Team. Analysis by Jacob Scott.

What's Possible: Rollout



JUST RELEASED!

Book Celebration: "What's Possible: Investing NOW for Prosperous, Sustainable Neighborhoods"

May 17 | 1:00 pm – 5:00 pm ET

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- **March 25** – Albany Pre-Launch (NY State CDFI Coalition)
- **May 6** – Virtual Panel Discussion (Canary Media)
- **May 7-9** – Inclusiv National Conference (Plenary Session + NY Fed reception)
- **May 17** – Book Celebration hosted by New York Fed
- **June 10** – Phoenix Extreme Heat (Raza Dev Fund + LISC+NY Fed)
- **June 24** – Philadelphia Workforce Development (Phil. + NY Fed Reserve Banks)
- **June 26** – Puerto Rico and USVI CDFI / Credit Union Convening (Inclusiv + NY Fed)
- **July 17** – Unidos National Conference (UNIDOS US + La Raza Dev. Fund)
- **September 17** – Basalt, Colorado Affordable Housing (RMI + NY Fed)
- **September 20** – Environmental Economics & Policy Conf. (Columbia U. + NY Fed)
- **October 10** – Connecting Communities Webinar (Federal Reserve System)
- **December 18** – Puerto Rico Hurricane Recovery (LISC + Enterprise + NY Fed)



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<https://www.newyorkfed.org/outreach-and-education/climate/whats-possible-investing-now-for-prosperous-sustainable-neighborhoods>

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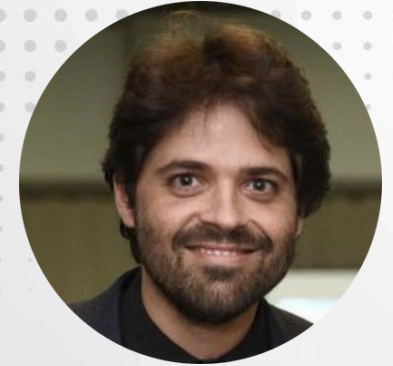
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