

Teresa Córdova

## Participativni proračun v Chicagu

Knjižnica Urbanističnega inštituta RS, torek, 18. september 2018 ob 17.00 uri,  
brezplačno predavanje v angleškem jeziku

Teresa Córdova bo razpravljala o participativnem proračunu (PB) v Chicagu in opisala vlogo *Great Cities Institute* (GCI) pri vodenju tega demokratičnega procesa določanja javne porabe. Predstavila bo zgodovino participativnega proračunskega načrtovanja in opisala proces in partnerstva potrebna za oblikovanje uspešnega procesa. Razpravljala bo tudi o izzivih PB in strategijah za njihovo premagovanje.

Sodelovanje pri PB je demokratičen proces, v katerem se člani skupnosti neposredno odločijo, kako porabiti del javnega proračuna. Ljudem ponuja temeljito drugačen način sodelovanja z vlado. Združeni narodi PB promovirajo kot najboljšo prakso demokratičnega upravljanja. Februarja 2012 je GCI sodeloval s Projektom PB in široko koalicijo mestnih svetnikov, mestnih institucij in organizacij, ki se ukvarjajo s skupnostjo, za zagon PB Chicago. PB Chicago želi izvajati in razširiti procese PB in neposredno demokracijo v Chicagu. GCI je vodilni univerzitetni partner PB Chicago, ki je odgovoren za zagotavljanje splošnega vodenja projektov, angažiranja skupnosti in vrednotenja. Od leta 2012 je PB Chicago vključil več kot 13.000 prebivalcev v dvanajstih različnih skupnostih, ki se neposredno odločajo, kako porabiti več kot 18 milijonov javnih sredstev.

Teresa Córdova je direktorica *Great Cities Institute* (GCI) na univerzi v Illinoisu v Chicagu. Je tudi profesorica za urbanistično načrtovanje in politiko na Visoki šoli za urbanistično načrtovanje in javne zadeve (CUPPA) in oddelkov za sociologijo, spol in ženske študije UIC ter latinskoameriške študije. Prof. Córdova je doktorirala iz sociologije na Univerzi v Kaliforniji, Berkeley. Prejela je več priznanj za akademske dosežke in vodenje, vključno s priznavanjem njene vloge pri načrtovanju infrastrukture ter razvojem malega podjetniškega inkubatorja in komercialne kuhinje.

**Vljudno vabljeni na predavanje in pogovor, ki bo sledil. Več informacij na [info@uirs.si](mailto:info@uirs.si).**

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## Participatory Budgeting in Chicago

**Library of Urban Planning Institute of the Republic of Slovenia,  
Tuesday, September 18th 2018 at 5pm, lecture in English, free of charge**

Teresa Córdova will discuss Participatory Budgeting (PB) in the city of Chicago and describe the role of the Great Cities Institute (GCI) in facilitating this democratic process of determining public spending. The presentation will include a history of participatory budgeting and describe the process and partnerships for making this process a success. In addition, the lecturer will also discuss the challenges of PB and strategies for overcoming them.

PB is a democratic process in which community members directly decide how to spend part of a public budget. It offers people a fundamentally different way to engage with government. The United Nations has promoted PB as a best practice of democratic governance. In February 2012 GCI partnered with The PB Project and a broad coalition of aldermen, city-wide institutions, and community-based organizations to launch PB Chicago. PB Chicago aims to implement and expand PB processes and direct democracy throughout Chicago. GCI is the lead university partner on PB Chicago, responsible for providing overall project management, community engagement, and evaluation. Since 2012, PB Chicago has engaged over 13,000 residents in twelve different communities in directly deciding how to spend over \$18 million in public dollars.

Teresa Córdova is the Director of the Great Cities Institute (GCI) at the University of Illinois in Chicago. She is also Professor of Urban Planning and Policy in the College of Urban Planning and Public Affairs (CUPPA) and an affiliate faculty of UIC's Departments of Sociology, Gender and Women Studies, and Latino and Latin American Studies. Prof. Córdova received her Ph.D. in Sociology from the University of California, Berkeley. She has received multiple recognitions for academic achievement and leadership including recognition of her role in infrastructure planning and in developing a small business incubator and commercial kitchen.

**You are kindly invited to the lecture and the discussion that will follow. More info at [info@uirs.si](mailto:info@uirs.si).**



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