Exhibition « Places of Hope »
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The Urban Future Studio of the University of Utrecht organizes an exhibition entitled « Places of Hope » to present a selection of pioneering future neighbourhoods. At first step, a long list that contained more than a hundred examples of inspiring neighbourhoods has been developed. 21 of these have been selected for presentation at the Places of Hope exhibition based on data availability and social and ecological sustainability. These neighbourhoods are from Europe, North-America, and Japan. Together, they display a wide range of solutions for challenges which have been organized around five key themes, namely mobility, energy, water, inclusivity and circularity.

Aspern Seestadt (Wenen), Austria
Vauban (Freiburg), Germany
Hunziker Areal (Zürich), Switzerland
Villiers Island (Toronto), Canada
Harumidai (Sakai City), Japan
Lokstadt (Winterthur), Switzerland
Bahnstadt (Heidelberg), Germany
EcoBlock (Oakland), United States
West Don Lands (Toronto), Canada
Ile Seguin–Rives de Seine (Paris), France
Bo01 (Malmö), Sweden
Kalasatama (Helsinki), Finland
Ginko Ecodistrict (Bordeaux), France
Pearl District (Portland), United States
Kronsberg (Hannover), Germany
Regent Park (Toronto), Canada
Eco–Viikki (Helsinki), Finland
Hammarby Sjöstad (Stockholm), Sweden
Ecoparc (Neuchâtel), Switzerland
BedZED (London), United Kingdom
Nordhavn (Kopenhagen), Denmark