



Urban Research Program

2008 Seminar Series

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The Wrong Place at the Wrong Time

**Why current urban consolidation (and TOD) policies can't solve our looming urban challenges
and what we should do about it**

For the past two decades Australian metropolitan plans have focused on urban consolidation as means of reducing transport energy demand. The presentation contends this policy has limited potential to produce significant transport emissions reductions. The paper calls for a rethink of current metropolitan transport and urban planning and housing supply models to achieve reductions in transport energy dependence in the middle and outer suburban areas of Australian cities.

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12.15 p.m. - 1.30 p.m.

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