

DEMOCRATIC LANDSCAPE

An adaptive collaborative approach to regional urban planning

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“How can we *implement an adaptive governance strategy*, based on the notion of *collaborative planning*, that draws upon the *influence of actors* from science, policy, and *civil society*?”



A flexible and adaptive planning system is created by introducing a **multi-level governance approach**. Within this approach communication is aimed at generating common interest. This is done through the **pattern language** method. The resulting patterns contain the region's ambitions and allow for creating a **regional vision** document. The **urban regime** is responsible for this. The vision is developed project-by-project through the use of small and **temporary governance networks**.

