

# Review of: "Understanding How the Design of Urban Areas Can Negate Anti-Social Behaviour and Criminal Activity: Taking the Example of Hyderabad Urban Areas as Case Studies"

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The manuscript presents an interesting study and topic, but the author didn't conduct a great structure. It seems more like a survey paper while missing a comparison of recent works. The reference papers are too old to be discussed and there must be more recent research work that would use a cutting-edge methodology.

Below I have provided numerous remarks on the text as it is often vague.

1. Add a title for the figures so that it can be easy to refer to them.
2. Pay attention to the structure of writing for example alignment, and text style(Bold/Capitalized).
3. Pay attention to grammar (for example title of the figure is as follows: These are some of the design issues that create a barrier in natural surveillance, that was found according to the survey.)
4. Pay attention to the repeated text in some parts (for example in section Conclusion numbers 2,3,4 are the same!)