

Review of: "The Impact of Urban Design in minimizing Women's Fear of Crime"

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Overall the theme of research is very interesting as it raises important and interesting questions about women's perception of crime and safety in major cities in India. But it cannot be understood from the topic that this study is about city design in India.

The methodology does not appear very rigorous and makes one question the voracity of the findings - this may be due to omissions of details rather than an actual problem with the methods and approach that were used but it is hard to tell with so few details offered. For example, the reader is only told that the research method of this article is to use a questionnaire, but the relevance of the question design in the questionnaire has not yet been seen. Nor have we seen limitations in the selection of study cases. Such a research design is unfortunate.

The author has corrected the article and deserves recognition. But the author cannot tell us how the cases were selected (for example, the author's view of how darkness in public spaces arouses fear in the public).

This study discusses public space in urban design. However, in addition to the planning, design and construction of public spaces, the design of public spaces can actually create spaces that meet the needs of citizens' lifestyles. However, in the article, we have not yet seen the author's understanding of the lifestyles of Indian people describe and discuss.

Fig. 5.4. Urban planning aspects for safer cities, the design of this figure requires some thinking. Does urban design only have physical aspects and social and cultural aspects? I think there should be other aspects, such as physical aspects, psychological aspects, social aspects and spiritual aspects.