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# "NETWORKS AND NEW URBAN HIERARCHY" from TOD rational to the urban district

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**GOAL**: to connect the Strategy of the Transit Oriented Development (TOD) with the implementation of urban districts through urban regeneration process.

Hypothesis: TOD acts on the spatial configuration of urban systems, for new centers, and for a more equitable geographical distribution of urban services. In this way district becomes node / hub in the efficient distribution of benefits by the territorial *mileu*, that is the urban-rural connections. (rfr. New urban hierarchy)

#### **DEFINITION**

TRANSIT ORIENTED DEVELOPMENT (TOD) and CASE STUDIES dominant paradigm of urban planning for growth in the United States.

#### **State of the art**

- THE NEW HIERARCHIES URBAN IN THE AGE OF GLOBALIZATION
- NETWORKS AND LOCAL SYSTEMS
- ☐ THE LOGIC OF THE URBAN DISTRICT AS A CONCEPTUALIZATION OF FORM BETWEEN URBAN AND RURAL INTERACTION.

### **FOCUS**

#### Definitions and theoretical references

- The finality of the TOD
- The actions of the TOD
- The effects of TOD
- The actors

**Urban districts** 

- PPP (Private Public Partnership)
- Service supply



- The processes of diffusion and urban sprawl;
- The growing crisis of congestion;
- The substantial investment in rail transport infrastructure in urban and regional;
- The role of rail infrastructure as an opportunity for urban regeneration and reorganization of settlement patterns (Dittman, 2004), so the role of station areas in the organization as a determinant of urban systems (Bertolini 1999 and 2005).

### **Porpose of the TOD**

## Encouraging development "compact" influence areas of stations

- Improve the quality and live ability of the areas around the stations
- Encourage pedestrian access to stations
- Reduce urban sprawl
- Increase security
- To encourage economic development
- Promote investment opportunities for private





Maximize the use of public transport of iron:

- Reduce use of cars
- Reduce air pollution
- Increase revenues from transport companies
- Encouraging modal interchange

## Intervention

### In areas expanding or transformation:

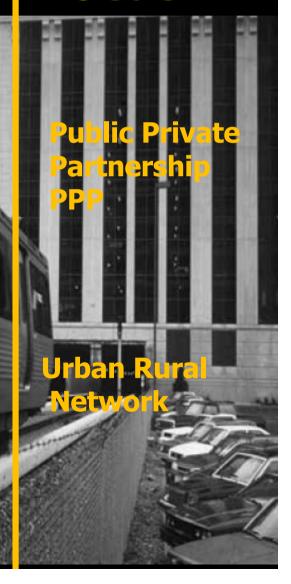
construction of new urban centers with high accessibility and urban quality Pedestrian stations.

#### In areas of consolidated city:

fill existing gaps and interventions urban regeneration.

- -Increase in density (new construction or urban regeneration)
- -Redesign of the pedestrian access to stations
- -Adding new features
- -Inclusion of infrastructure

## focus



# Effect of the TOD

**Primary Benefit** 

secondary Benefit

Public sector	Private sector
Increase in revenues for the displacements and transport companies	Increase in land values for different us environmental
local economic development	Reduction of congestion and its costs for (fuel consumption, pollution)
Revitalization and redevelopment of areas urban	
Reduction of congestion and its costs for (fuel consumption, pollution environmental)	Increase the attractiveness of areas for private investors
Increased revenue through taxes	
Reduction of urban sprawl and reduce land consumption	
Reduce costs associated with building infrastructure for private transport	
Strengthening of Institutional Relations	
Increased competitiveness of territorial	
Increase safety of station areas	Fonte: Arrington e Parker, 2001

## **Effects of the TOD**

CITY	INCREASE OF REAL ESTATE VALUES (in ¼ mile from station)
Philadelphia	+6.4%
Boston	+6,7%
Portland	+10,6%
San Diego	+17%
Chicago	+20%
Dallas	+24%
Santa Clara County	+45%

Fonte: Cervero et al. 2002

# Actors in the TOD and the interests of stakeholders (PPP)

#### Regions

- Improve the quality and live ability of regional territorial system
- To promote a polycentric territorial system of regional and reduce urban sprawl
- To promote the economic development of the regional system

#### **Local Governments:**

- To promote the economic development of local communities
- Reduce air pollution
- Place the interests of the residents of the station areas

#### Transportation agencies:

- Increase the number of passengers
- Increase the quality of the service
- Encourage development of areas around the stations owned

#### Other stakeholders:

- Local communities: increase the livability and quality of life
- Environmentalists: reduce pollution

## CASES STUDY TOD

#### The different cases of TOD:

- 1. Integrated development of rail infrastructure and urban development (Boston, New York, Philadelphia, Copenhagen; Stockholm, Paris ...)
- 2. Urban development in areas of existing stations, thanks to the attractiveness of station areas by private investors. The development is encouraged by public policies, incentives and zoning to high density.
- 3. Urban development in station areas supported by market forces and transportation agencies (Transit Joint Development)



## **Bart-San Francisco**













## **Dallas**

The construction of the station Mockingbird was the first TOD project in Texas, where the construction of the station have been accompanied by the construction of residences, offices, theaters and restaurants

## **BOSTON**

- Redevelopment around the urban central stations.
- Insert
  new residences in
  tertiary activities in
  areas of a former area
  Industrial.
- Densification around new semi-central stations



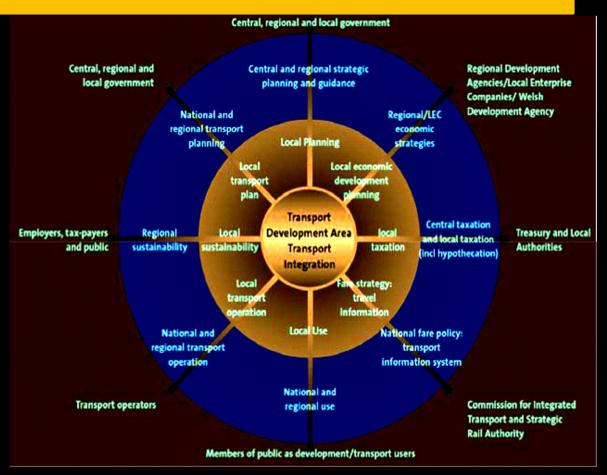
Transport Development Areas TDA

The European response to the TOD was proposed in 2000 by the RICS (Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors) in Great Britain with the publication of preliminary study on the Transport Development Areas (TDA).

The district Heighbourh Integrated transport systems

ADT is synonymous with a new integrated approach between the Government mobility and the Government of urban transformations that application in the transport nodes public and in all strategic places to high accessibility.

## Transport Development Areas TDA



The "TDA approach "was translated into operational terms in the definition for each level of planning(national, regional and local) strategies, guidelines, methods and techniques to follow and implement the principles of the new approach to integrated planning

## TOD Opportunities



- The TOD should be based primarily on criteria of regional interconnection and development of the area.
- -Interventions of densification must be routed through a logic of territorial coherence of a larger scale (wide).
- -Posts must be defined in co pianification between experts disclipline different
- The TOD should be directed to the construction of centrality for encourage the creation of polycentric structures of the territory

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