

“Herat: a city quickly growing”

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The conference brought to a close the pilot project for the ‘Training of professionals in the field of territorial zoning in Herat’. The project, launched in October 2010, was financed by the Directorate General for Development Cooperation (DGCS) of the Ministry of Foreign Affairs and was run in conjunction with the Universities of Florence and Herat (<http://www.coopitafghanistan.org/index.asp?lang=1>). During the conference the results were illustrated of project activities for the provision of updated data on the social-demographical context of the Herat urban area. The data were gathered by means of a survey comprising an empirical study of the social-economic conditions of more than 3,000 families, a study of the mobility requirements of 22,000 individuals and a survey of traffic flow in the 13 main city streets.