The Urban and Social Transformation of Medellin

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Medellin is one of the most successful and interesting examples of collaboration between architects and politicians in the world today. Under the leadership of former mayor Sergio Farjado, now a candidate for president of Colombia, Medellin transformed its physical and social fabric through the construction of schools, parks, community centers, and transportation infrastructures. These buildings and small-scale urban interventions have been the agents of major political and social change.

Refreshments will be served.

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