

Exploring Tactical Urbanism

Enhancing Communities through Creative Solutions

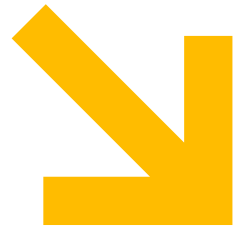
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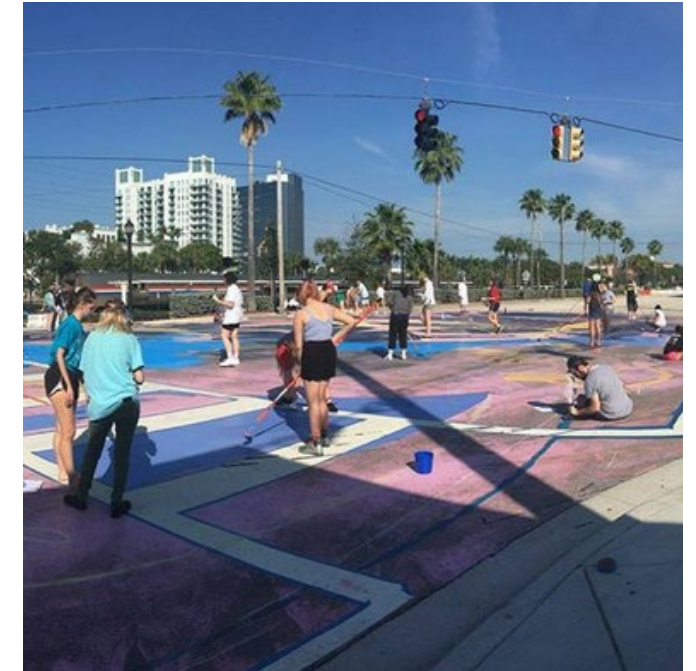
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Introduction

- Tactical Urbanism : Quick, cheap projects to improve cities and involve the community.
- Why it Matters: Let people shape their neighborhoods and try out new ideas.
- Goal: See how Tactical Urbanism can help with transportation planning in Palm Beach County



EXPLORING PRACTICAL URBANISM



New York's Times Square transformation started as an interim project - Photo credit: NACTO-GDCI



- 2007 - West Palm Beach (Park)ing Day - DDA
- Temporary and Testing of transforming Parking into Public Space
- Cost: \$
- Duration: 1 Day
- Outcome: T4America Peer City, COVID19, Expanded outdoor dining, Clematis Street





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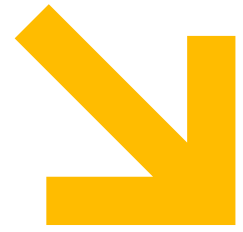
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VICTORIA'S SECRET

THE SHADE STORE

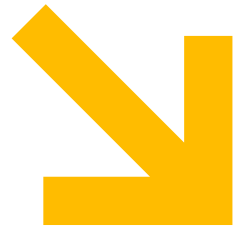
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Local Examples

- 2015 - West Palm Beach Pop-up Bike Lane - Flagler Drive
- Temporary and Testing
- Safety: Provides a protected space for cyclists, separating them from traffic.
- Cost: \$500
- Duration: 2 weeks
- Outcome: WPB Bicycle Masterplan and Mobility Plan
- 2024 - Your Waterfront, Your Way Project

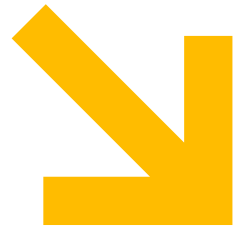




Local Examples

- 2016/2018 - West Palm Beach Painted Intersection
- Knights Foundation Grant
- Tamarind Ave. and Fern St.
- AiPP Project with Dryfoos School of the Arts
- Safety: Crosswalk from TriRail to School
- Cost: \$10,000 - Paint and volunteer
- Outcome: 2019 WPB Tamarind Ave. Intersection Improvements



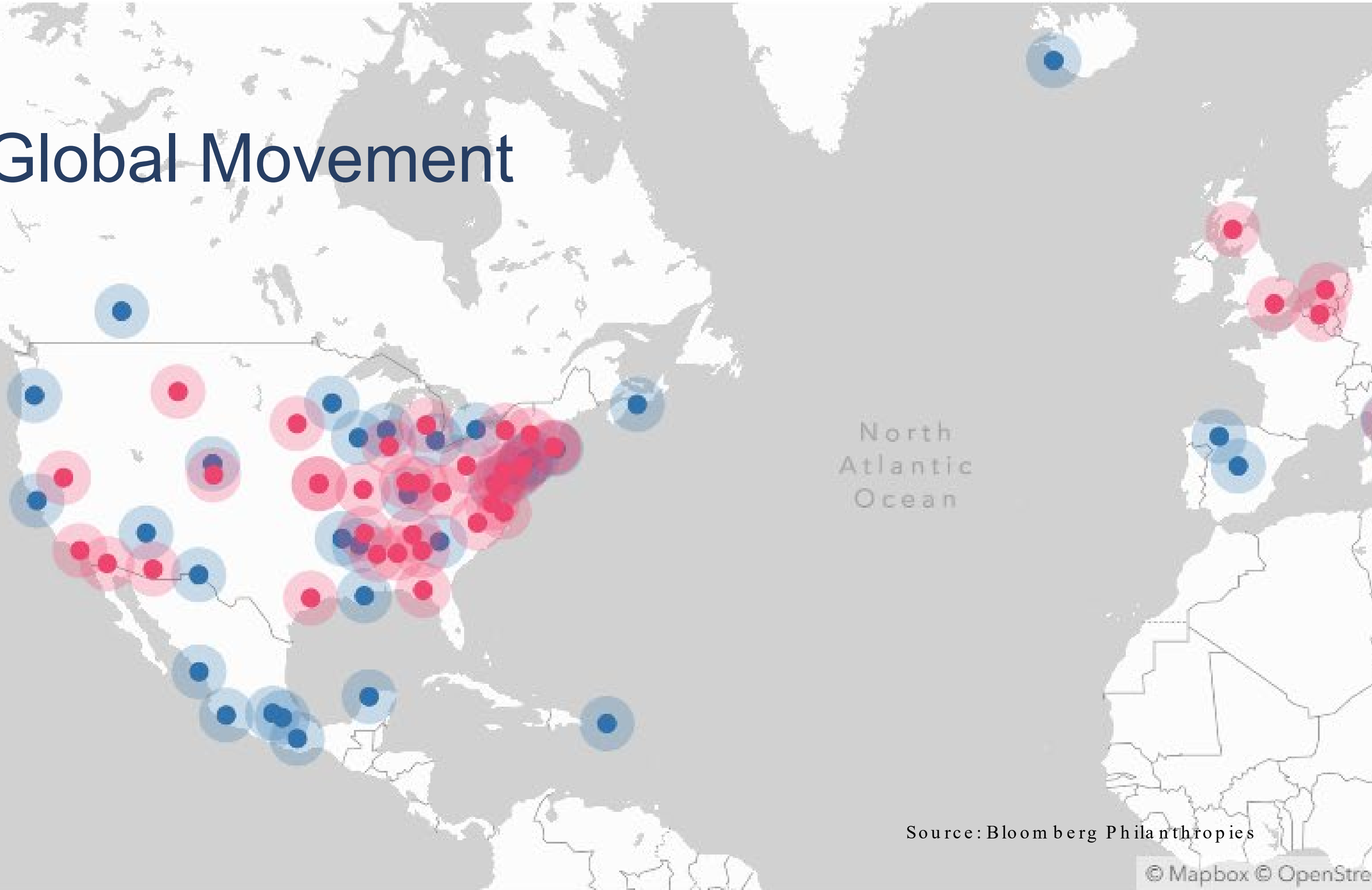


International Examples

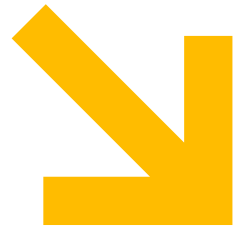




Global Movement



Source: Bloomberg Philanthropies



Why is this important?

2024 SAFE STREETS AND ROADS
FOR ALL (SS4A) GRANT PROGRAM

\$400 MILLION

experiment with low-cost
temporary street safety projects

Round 1: 40 percent of SS4A to go towards planning grants





What are quickbuild demonstration projects?

- Resurfacing Project - Bike Network
- Bollards - protected bike lanes
- Midblock Crosswalk - bollards, temporary curb
- Temporary curb extension or turning wedge
- Median dividers
- Signing and pavement Markings





Next Steps

- Tactical Urbanism : Low cost, quick build, and drive community impact. -

Pilot new ideas!

- Build consensus: Community engagement
- Call to Action: Actively seek out opportunities for implementing tactical urbanism projects




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