SPEAKER PROFILE

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Belén is an urban planner focused on transportation as a tool for building more sustainable and inclusive cities. She works at the intersection of decarbonisation, transport, and data, with a particular interest in gender dimensions and climate commitments in transport systems. Her experience across Latin America, Europe, and Asia has shaped her approach: local context drives solutions, but global collaboration makes them stronger. She is drawn to work that combines data and the everyday realities of how people move through cities.

Currently based in Germany, she works with GIZ on transport and climate change, behind the NDC Transport Tracker and the Transport Data Commons initiative