

Today, climbing a tower for cityscape vistas is not the novelty that it once was. Everyone with a smartphone will access 360-degree views from The New Urban Confluence Tower with augmented reality displays providing information on the resident companies and organizations' progress towards their renewable energy and energy-conservation targets. The tower will provide real-world feedback on that progress, as excess renewable electricity is channelled into a filigree of lights spiralling its height. This unique lighting design in motion serves as a progress meter for San José and shifts the attention from skyline back to civic space below where transformation happens.