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Abstract

The monograph examines the world practices of introducing smart technologies into the urban environment, including the experience of Bulgaria, India, Russia, Romania, Serbia, Slovakia, Turkey. The need to ensure the harmonious development of a modern city has actualized the search for new ideas and ways to solve urban problems. A concept called "Smart City" has become one of the most popular in the last decade in many countries. Ambitious projects for urban infrastructure development have begun to be implemented based on the widespread use of the achievements of information and communication and other modern technologies. In this monograph, the authors have discussed contemporary theoretical and practical developments in the concept of "smart city" formation and implementation.

The authors believe that the successful formation of "smart cities" as centers of innovative creativity and human capital development significantly affects the achievement of the most important goals of the digital economy.

The monograph is of interest to state and municipal officials, specialists in the field of management and public relations, as well as university professors, students, and all other persons interested in the development of the "smart city" concept.