

Transportation means and evolution

During the last years, transportation means have changed a lot. A few years ago, we use car for every movement we did, and it seems like if there weren't any other transportation mean, well maybe there was the plane for long range trips.

In the last ten years, we had a complete change about transportation means desing, because the needs have changed too. For instance we are more receptive about environmental questions such as air pollution, or climate change, probably because it's imposible to deny the effects of traffic jams on the environment or the effects of those in economy. On the other hand, developed societies prefers more healthier lifestyles than our ancestors and increasing their quality of life.

Ok I see, we want to change our transportation model, and turn it in to a more Green and efficient one, but is it posible? That's the thing. There's no universal solutions for solving the transportation problems, and that means that there are different answers for similar problems in different countries. In some western European countries authorities had chosen to close or restrain certain parts of city center to traffic, allowing only residents or suppliers access to the city center, while others prefer to favour public transportaton means such as metro, bus, cycling or electrical scooters. On the other hand there are countries where nothing had been done, for different reasons, such as a lack of founds addressed to this topic, a lack of political will power or just other more urgent needs.

Regarding to public transportation means, it's true the fact that they've a increasing importance in our daily life, allowing, in case it has been well planned and done, a more efficient land and city management and why not a sustainable growth , because it permits people movement across territory by the fraction of the monthly expense of having a car and also favour mobility and living in a more far places because you can travel both cheaper and faster, making posible the development in those places that were formerly far from city centers.

Probably, and to sum up,I would like to say that solution would like consists in a mix of different transportation means, restricting those whom produces pollution and favouring those more efficient ones,