As the competition for resources increase and cities expand to accommodate rising populations, the question of sustainable development is of paramount importance. Looking specifically at Asia, both Seoul and Chennai are experiencing rapid transformation. From reclaiming lost rivers to issues of sustainable urbanity, Professor Jong Sang Sung and Professor Durganand Balsavar, discuss the various factors that impact these seemingly disparate cities, exploring differences and common threads.

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