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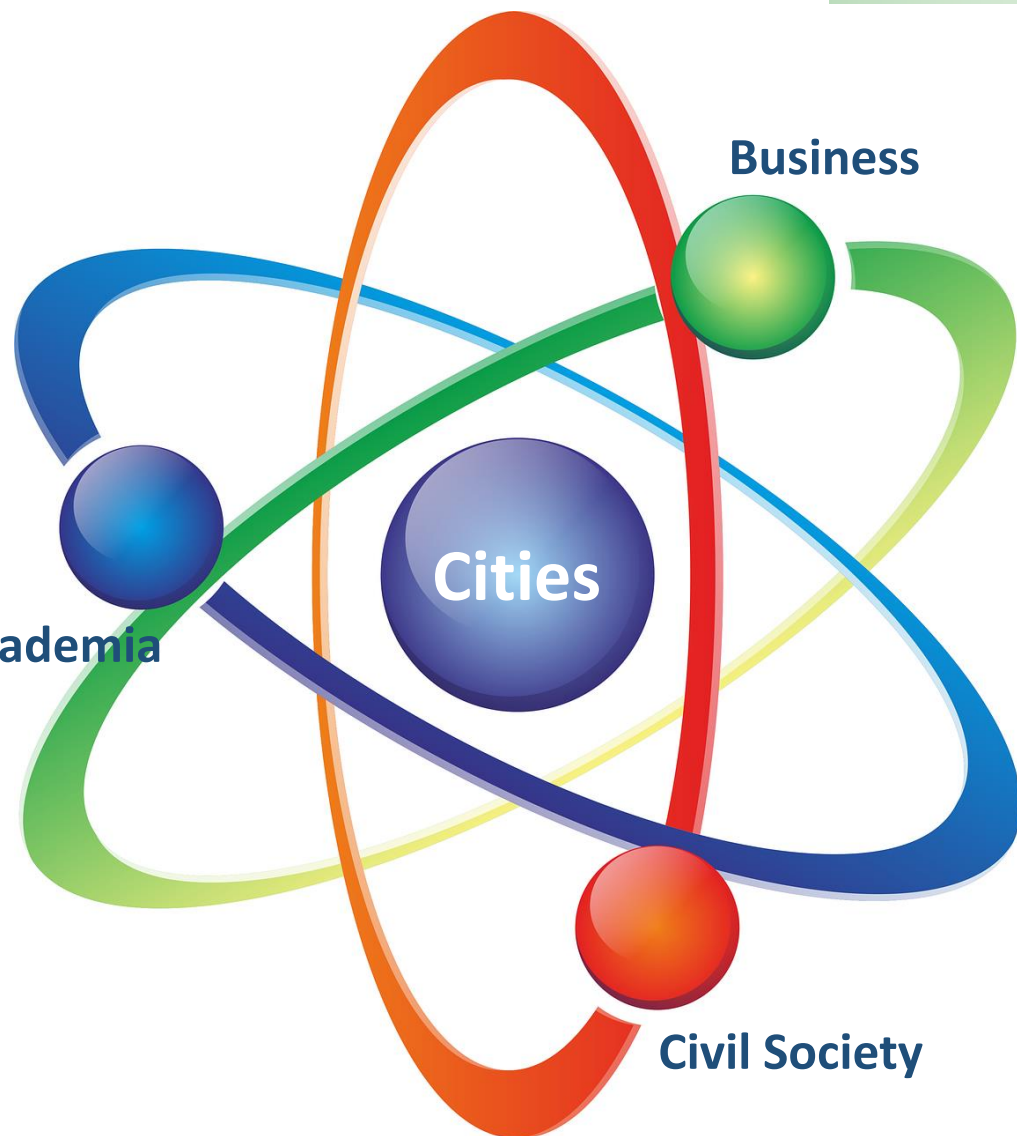


18th EUROPEAN WEEK of
REGIONS and CITIES

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#EURRegionsWeek



International Cooperation for Innovation in Urban
Development Policy and Practice: Results and
Perspectives from IUC – 13th October

FROM IUC TO IURC Towards a Networking Approach

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A European Union
Programme



165 Cities & Towns



From 20 EU Member States



From 11 non EU countries

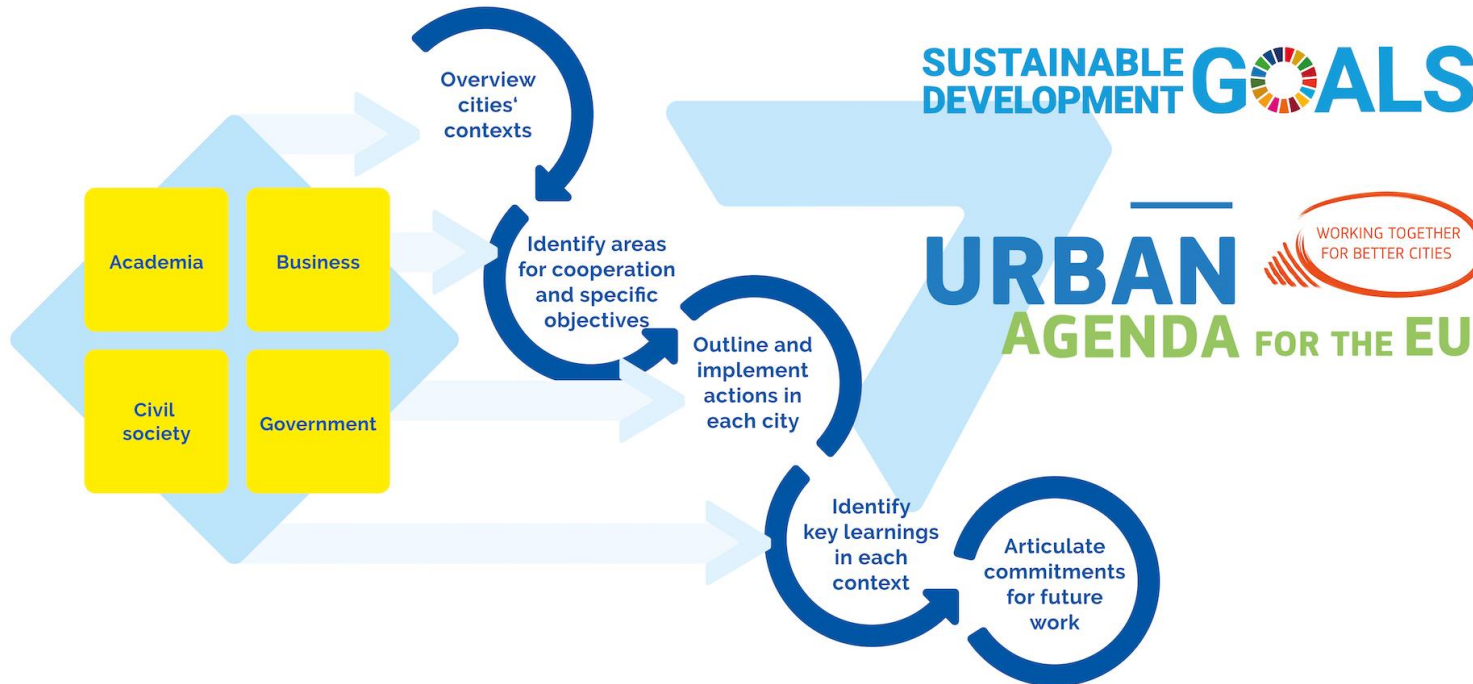


Brussels IUC Annual Event,
Nov. 2019

Urban Cooperation Action Plans

A pathway for cooperation that works to localise international goals

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Type of Actions developed or to be develop

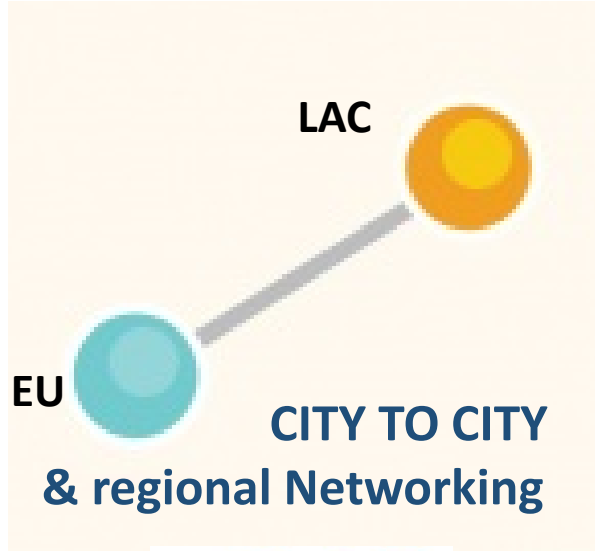
Tools, Methods & solutions

Studies, researches, projects, publications, report, strategic plans, campaigns... tangible documents

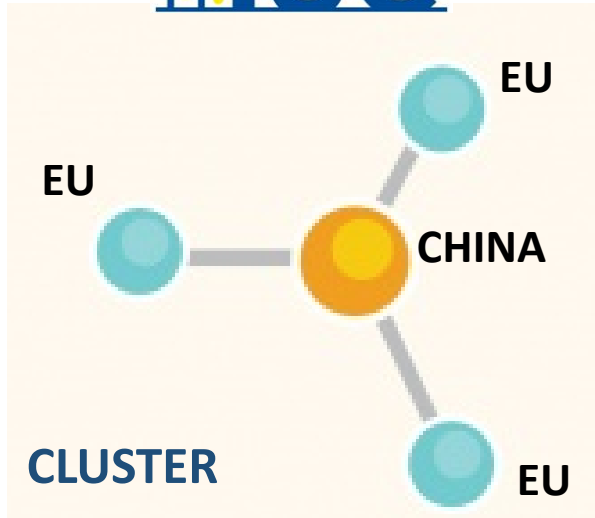
Technical meetings (physical or virtual-webinars), Congress, Forums, Networking events, Internships.

Agreements, MoU, ...

Improved Urban projects, infrastructures, equipments, etc.

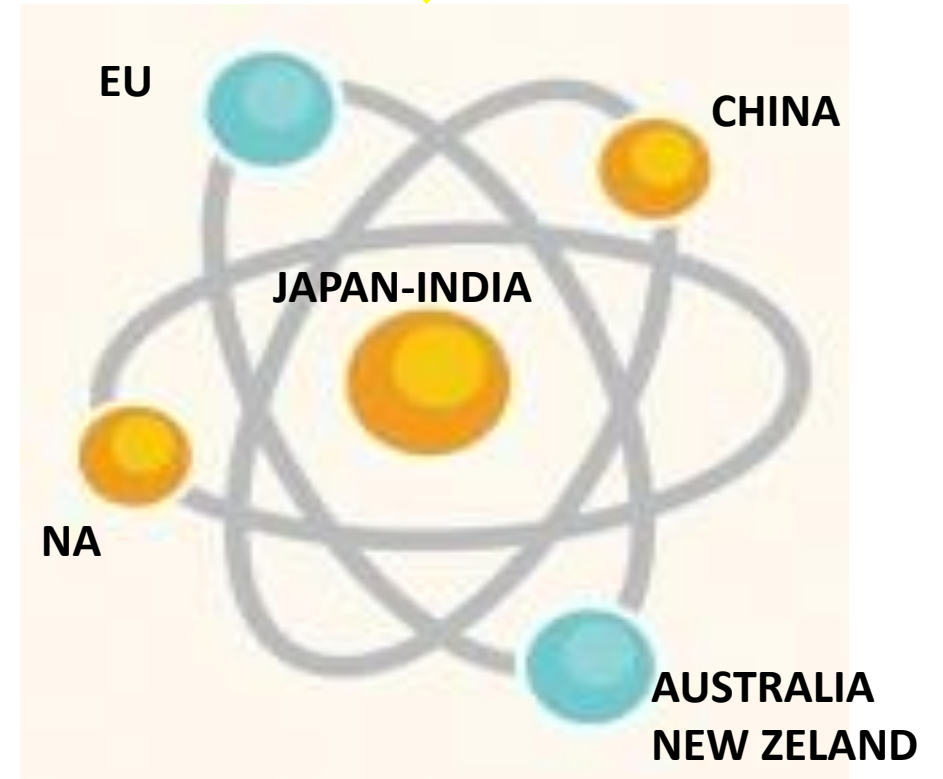


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2021 - IURC - 2023

CITY TO CITY



Towards Thematic Networking at Programme Level

1 Urban Mobility, Connectivity & Transport

2 Smart Cities & Digital Transition

3 Urban Regeneration-Urban Renewal: Poverty reduction, Housing, Social

4 Circular Economy, Waste & Sustainable Production/Consumption

5 Urban Planning for Sustainable & Healthy Cities- Sustainable Land Use-NBS

6 Climate Action, Energy, Water & Air Quality

7 Innovation & Economic Growth-Strategic Sectors-Jobs & Skills

- NETWORKS RESULTING FROM THE URBAN COOPERATION ACTION PLANS DEVELOPED IN IUC
- MIGHT BE GROUPED UNDER COMMUNITIES OF PRACTICE IN THE FUTURE IURC
- IUC ACTIVE CITIES WILL BE INVOLVED IN THEMATIC NETWORKING MEETINGS
- OPPORTUNITIES FOR CITIES TO LEAD A NETWORK OR A WORKING GROUP WITHIN THAT NETWORK

IUC Network's link with Strategic Framework

THEMATIC NETWORKS PROPOSAL-MTF		EU GREEN DEAL RELATED TOPICS	REFERENCE FRAMEWORK	
			EU AGENDA	SDG
1	Urban Mobility, Connectivity & Transport	Sustainable Mobility	Urban Mobility	11 Sustainable Cities & Communities
2	Smart Cities & Digital Transition	innovation to contribute to Green Deal	Digital Transition	9 Industry, Innovation and Infrastructure
3	Urban Regeneration-Urban Renewal: Poverty reduction, Housing, Social Inclusion-Cohesion, Equity	Building Renovation- Clean Energy (energy efficiency in buildings)	Urban Poverty	1 No Poverty
			Housing	2 Zero Hunger
			Integration of Migrants & Refugees	5 Gender Equality
			Security in Public Spaces	10 Reduced Inequalities
4	Circular Economy, Waste & Sustainable Production/Consumption	Circular Economy-Farm to Fork-food chains	Circular Economy	12 Responsible Consumption & Production
5	Sustainable & Healthy Cities- Sustainable Land Use-NBS	Eliminating Pollution	Nature-Based-Sol.	3 Good Health & well being
				11 Sustainable Cities & Communities
				15 Life on Land
6	Climate Action, Energy ,Water & Air Quality	Clean Energy & Eliminating Pollution (clean	Climate Adaptation	6 Clean & water sanitation
			Air Quality	7 Affordable & clean Energy
			Energy Transition	13 Climate Action
				14 Life below Water
7	Innovation & Economic Growth-Strategic Sectors-Jobs & Skills	Sustainable Industry - key economic sectors (construction-agriculture-food & drink)	Jobs & Skills in the local Economy	4 Quality Education
			Culture-Cultural Heritage	8 Decent Work & Economic Growth
			Public Procurement	9 Industry, Innovation & Infrastructure

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Urban Mobility, Connectivity & Transport

CHINA

- Stuttgart
- Rome
- Nice
- Manchester
- Guangzhou

INDIA

- Karlsruhe
- Rotterdam
- Nagpur
- Shimla
- Panaji
- Vijayawada
- Surat

JAPAN

- Grenoble Alpes Métropole
- Toyota
- Ichinomiya

LAC

- Turín
- Madrid
- Almería
- Larissa
- Porto
- Buenos Aires
- Belo Horizonte
- Consorcio ABC
- Armenia
- Pereira
- San Pedro de la Paz
- Arequipa
- Miraflores (Lima)

NA

- Merida
- Lyon
- Boston
- VN de Famalicão
- Fort Collins
- Strasbourg
- San Diego
- Santa Monica
- Victoria-Gasteiz
- Windsor
- Colima
- Galați
- Santa Monica
- Varna
- West Athens

2 Smart Cities & Digital Transition

CHINA

- Rome
- Barcelona
- Nice
- Yantai
- Nanjing
- Hamburg

INDIA

JAPAN

- Grenoble Alpes Métropole
- Toyota
- Ichinomiya

LAC

- Sevilla
- Porto
- Vitoria
- Pereira

NA

- Hamburg
- MA Guadalajara
- Boston
- Lyon
- Guelph
- Rijeka

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Urban Regeneration-Urban Renewal: Poverty reduction, Housing, Social Inclusion-Cohesion, Equity

CHINA

INDIA

JAPAN

LAC

NA

- Leuven
- Gwalior
- Kochi
- Vilnius

- San Sebastian
- Marseille
- Dobe
- Ancona
- Ikoma

- Madrid
- Santo Tirso
- Sevilla
- Granada
- Almería
- Larissa
- Pavlos Melas
- Vallettri (Rome)
- Viana do Castelo
- Málaga
- Milán
- San Justo
- Buenos Aires
- Sao Paulo
- Vitoria
- Sao Leopoldo
- Armenia
- Barranquilla
- Cartagena de Indias
- Miraflores (Lima)

- San Diego
- Strasbourg
- Turin
- Baltimore
- NYC
- Riga
- Edmonton
- Växjö
- Burlington
- Chihuahua
- Zaragoza
- Barcelona

4 Circular Economy, Waste & Sustainable Production/Consumption

CHINA

- Granada (blockchain)
- Bologna (Start-Ups, SMEs, Agri-Food),
- Nanjing
- Haikou

INDIA

- Kochi
- Vilnius
- Panaji
- Dubrovnik
- Shimla
- Wolverhampton
- Udaipur
- Aarhus

JAPAN

- Turku
- Nagano
- Kamakura
- Umea

LAC

- Pavlos Melas
- Viana do Castelo
- Berlin-Neukölln
- Valettri/Rome
- San Justo
- Sao Leopoldo
- Barranquilla
- San Pedro de la Paz

NA

- Bologna
- Austin
- Fort Collins
- VN de Famalicão
- Boston
- Lyon
- Hamburg
- Guadalajara
- Colima

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Sustainable & Healthy Cities- Sustainable Land Use-NBS

CHINA

- Rome
- Nice
- Bologna
- Málaga
- Granada
- Yantai
- Yangzhou
- Kunming

INDIA

JAPAN

- Bratislava
- Tokorozawa

LAC

- Granada
- Málaga
- Almería
- Graz
- Viana do Castelo
- Zagreb
- Córdoba
- Sao Leopoldo
- Armenia
- Ibagué
- Cartagena de Indias
- Arequipa

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- Fort Collins
- Colima
- Galati
- Burlington
- Växjö
- Windsor
- Victoria-Gasteiz

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Climate Action, Energy ,Water & Air Quality

CHINA

- Rome
- Nice
- Barcelona
- Chengdu
- Liuzhou

INDIA

- Surat
- Rotterdam

JAPAN

- Yokohama
- Frankfurt

LAC

- Albacete
- Genova
- Almada
- Viana do Castelo
- Kavala
- Almada
- Rosario
- Rio Grande
- Sao Leopoldo
- Belo Horizonte
- Temuco
- Viña del Mar

NA

- Fort Collins
- Riga
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- Birmingham
- Galati
- Colima
- Edmonton

7 Innovation & Economic Growth-Strategic Sectors-Jobs & Skills

CHINA

- Stuttgart
- Bologna
- Rome
- Nanjing
- Guangzhou

INDIA

- Farkadona
- Trikala
- Meteora
- Leh
- Shimla
- Kochi

JAPAN

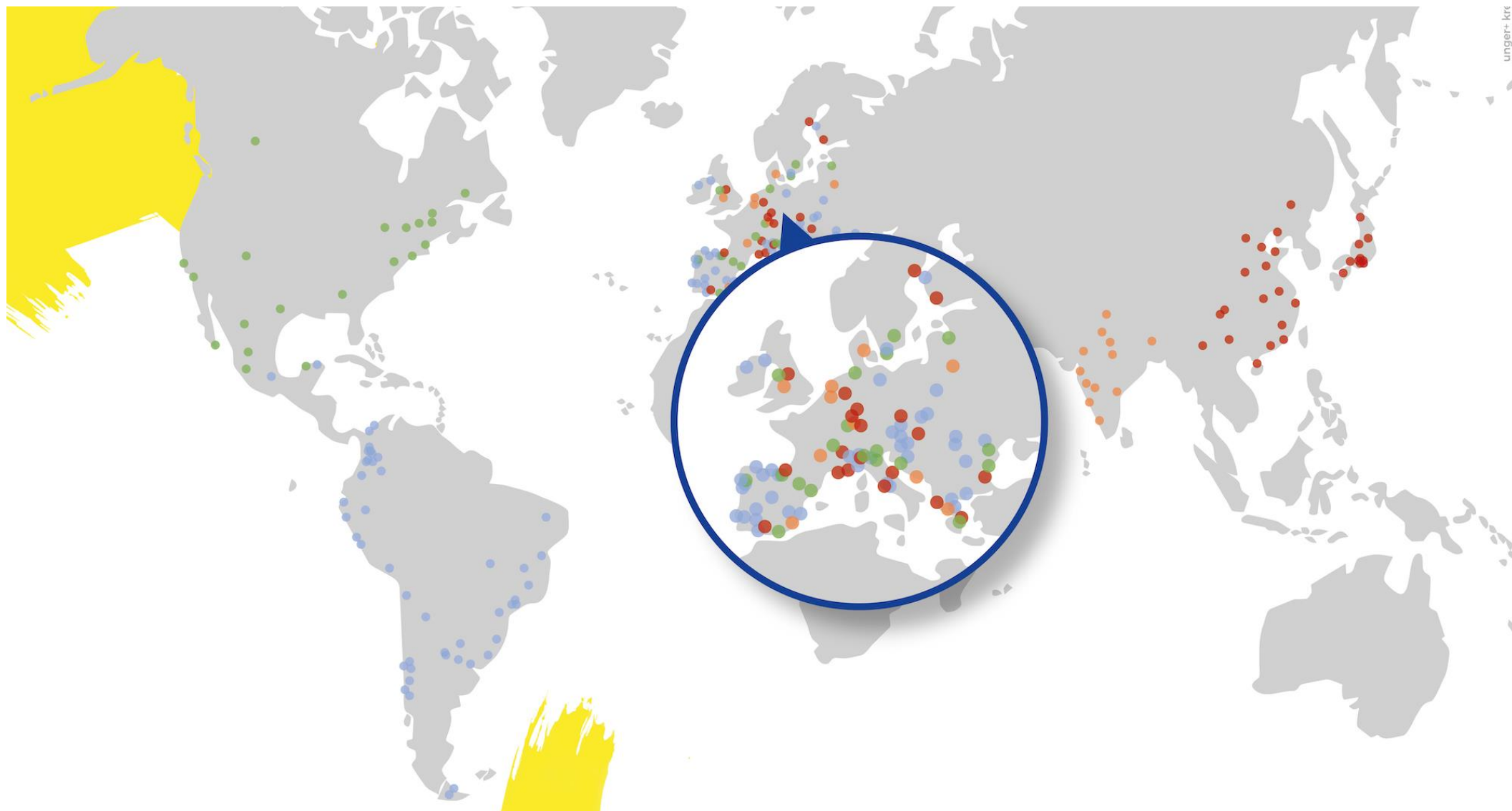
- Essen
- Koriyama

LAC

- Albacete
- Rio Grande
- Madrid
- Buenos Aires
- Cali
- Belfast
- Viana do Castelo
- Alba Julia
- Benedito Novo
- Sevilla
- Vitoria
- Cartagena
- Málaga
- Larissa
- Miraflores (Lima)

NA

- Baltimore
- Turin
- Chihuahua
- Austin
- Bologna
- Los Cabos
- Almeria
- Merida
- Barcelona



IURC Partner Countries & New Cities

City to City Cooperation

AMERICA

IURC LATIN AMERICA: ARGENTINA – BRAZIL - COLOMBIA – MEXICO – PERU – CHILE **24 CITIES (50%EU)**
IURC NORTH AMERICA: USA – CANADA **16 CITIES (50% EU)**

CHINA

CHINA **20 CITIES (10 IUC + 10 NEW ONES) (50% EU)**

ASIA & AUSTRALASIA

JAPAN **20 CITIES (50% EU)**
 INDIA **20 CITIES (50% EU)**
 INDONESIA –MALAYSIA – REPUBLIC OF KOREA – THAILAND – VIETNAM
 AUSTRALIA – NEW ZELAND } **28 CITIES (50% EU)**

- All Regions will organize an important number of **THEMATIC NETWORKING EVENTS & THEMATIC WEBINARS** with relevant cities and stakeholders involving new cities & current IUC cities
- IUC Cities may apply again to be paired with a different cities

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