



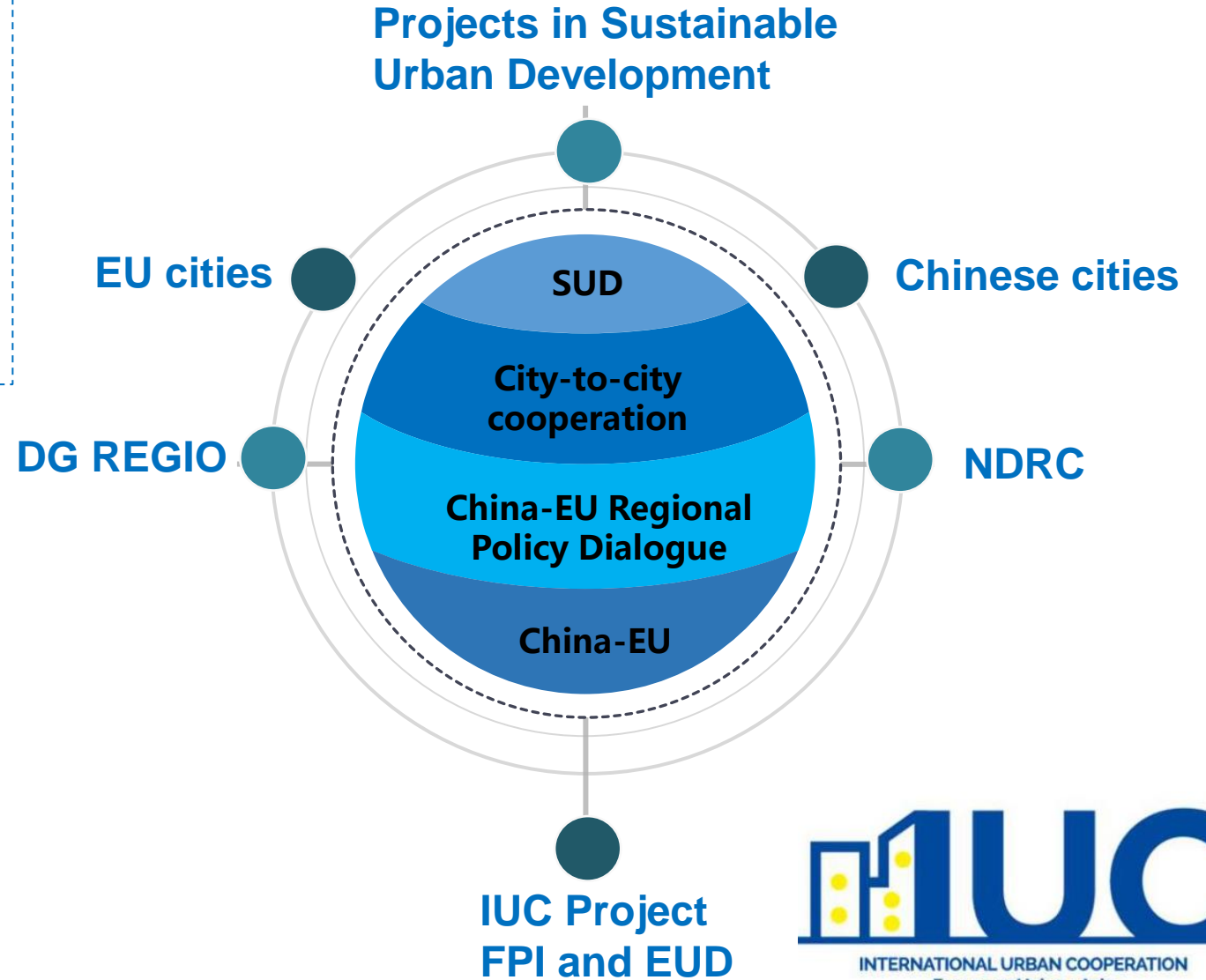
Brief Introduction to the IUC Asia Programme – Focus China

**Pablo Gándara, Team Leader, IUC ASIA
Granada Blockchain Meeting, 05th November 2020**

IUC Project Introduction

Component 1:

Promote city-to-city cooperation in sustainable urban development within the *EU-China Regional Policy Dialogue (DG REGIO-NDRC)*



13th EU-China High Level Seminar – Zhengzhou, July 2018

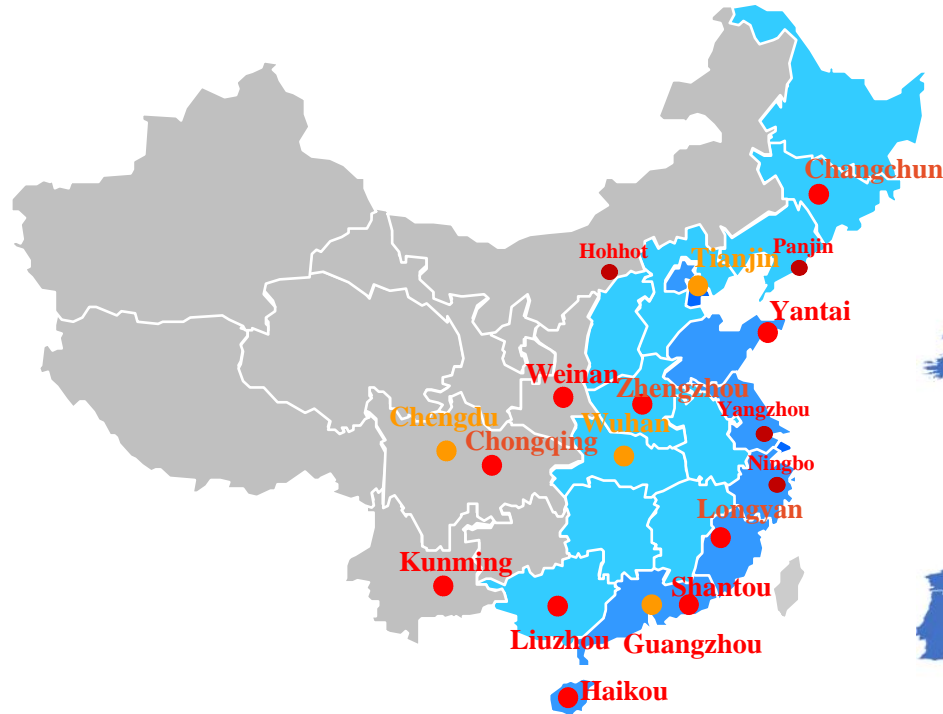


14th EU-China High Level Seminar – Brussels, April 2019



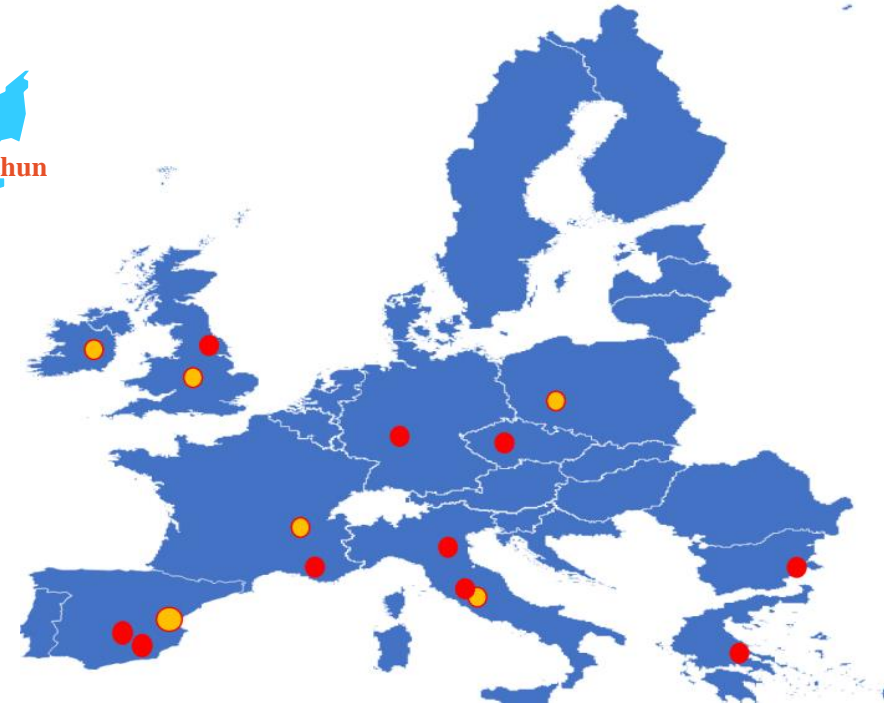
Pilot Cities for IUC Cooperation between the EU and China

Chinese Pilot Cities 2014-20



Chongqing, Longyan, Zhengzhou, Shantou, Haikou,
Changchun, Kunming, Liuzhou, Yantai, Weinan, Tianjin,
Chengdu, Wuhan, **Guangzhou**, Hohhot, Panjin, Ningbo,
Yangzhou

Selected EU Pilot Cities 2017-2020 (IUC)



Málaga (Spain), Rome (Italy), **Granada (Spain)**
Nice (France), Barnsley (UK)
Reggio Emilia (Italy), Stuttgart Region (Germany)
Mannheim (Germany), AAK (Greece), Málaga (Spain)
Burgas (Bulgaria), Bologna (Italy), Barcelona (Spain)
Greater Manchester (UK)

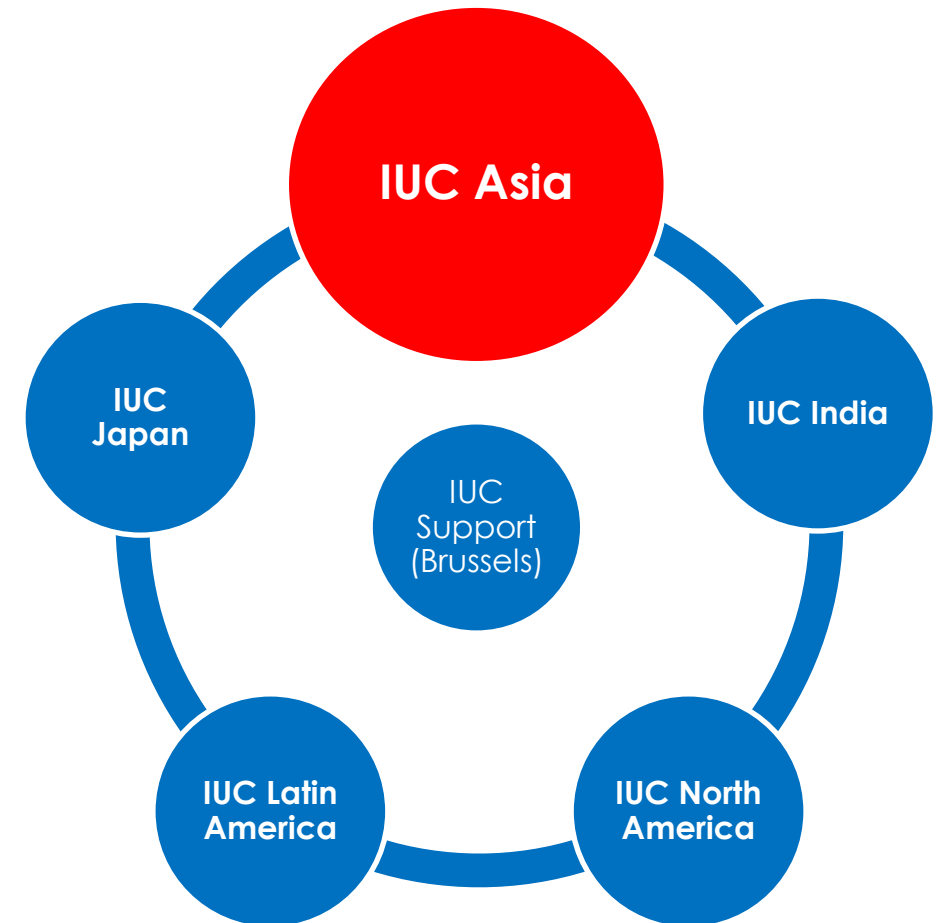
The EU's IUC Programme at a Glance – Focus C1 EU-China

Global EU Programme launched 2017 managed by the **Foreign Policy Instrument (FPI)**. Aims to support:

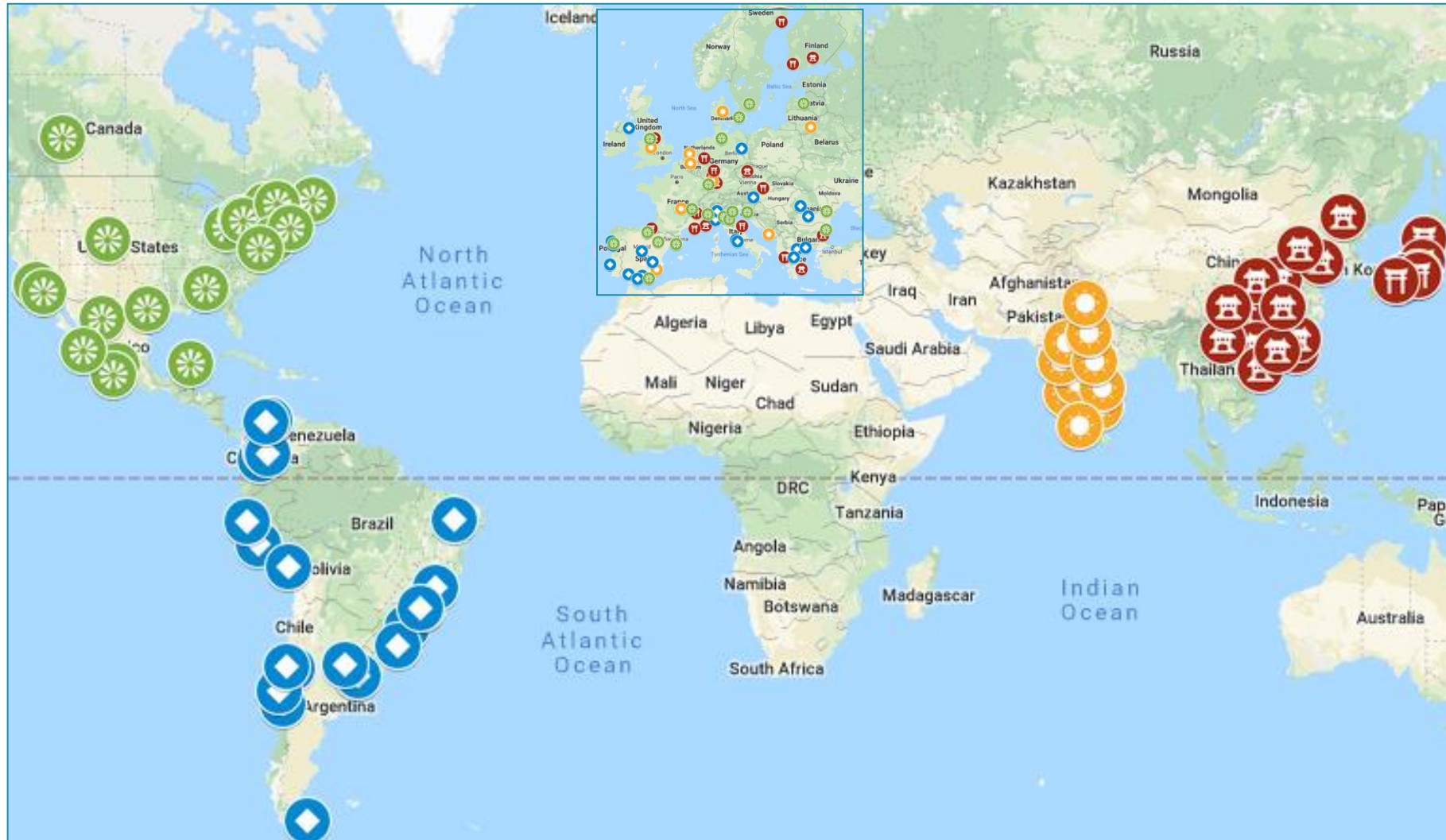
- Bilateral EU policy objectives;
- Implementation of UN Urban Agenda, the UN Sustainable Development Goals, and the Paris Climate Change Agreement

In Asia, the IUC is working in two main areas:

1. **Component 1: Multi-City Cooperation on Sustainable Urban Development**
 2. **Component 2: Support Cities in Asia on Climate Change** Mitigation, Adaptation and Clean Energy Access (especially within the Global Covenant of Mayors - GCoM)
- Timeline: 2017 – 2020 (1st Phase)
 - Team based in Beijing and Indonesia



EUs IUC Multi-city Engagement: Global Networks



Over **150** cities already involved

- From the **European Union:**
 - **75** cities from 21 Member States
- From **Asia**
 - **18 Chinese** cities
 - **9 Japanese** cities
 - **12 Indian** cities

Urban Agenda of the EU – Connecting the UN' s SDGs to Cities

EU's 14 partnership areas



Culture/Cultural Heritage



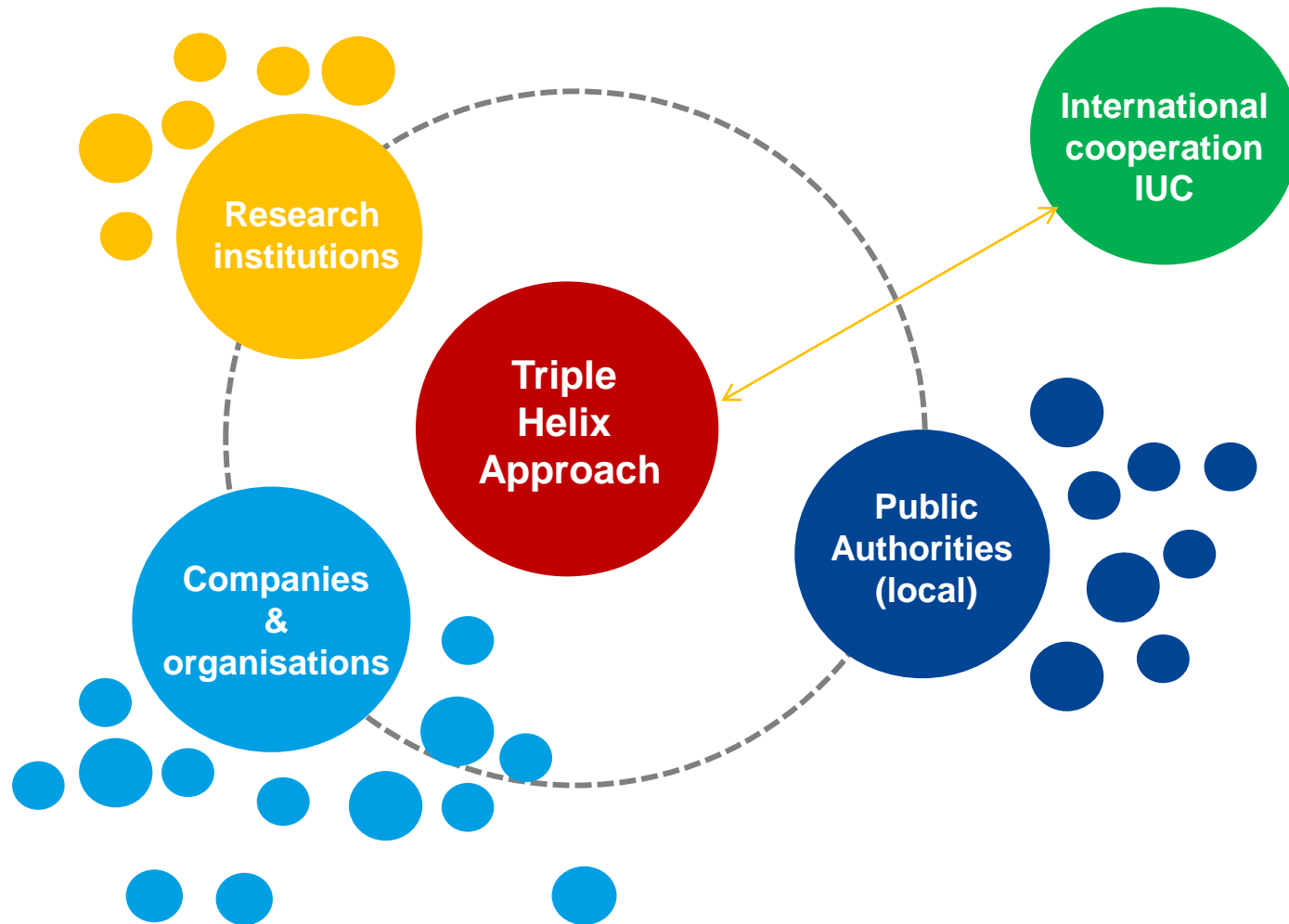
Security in Public Spaces

United Nations 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)



• Approach for Cooperation

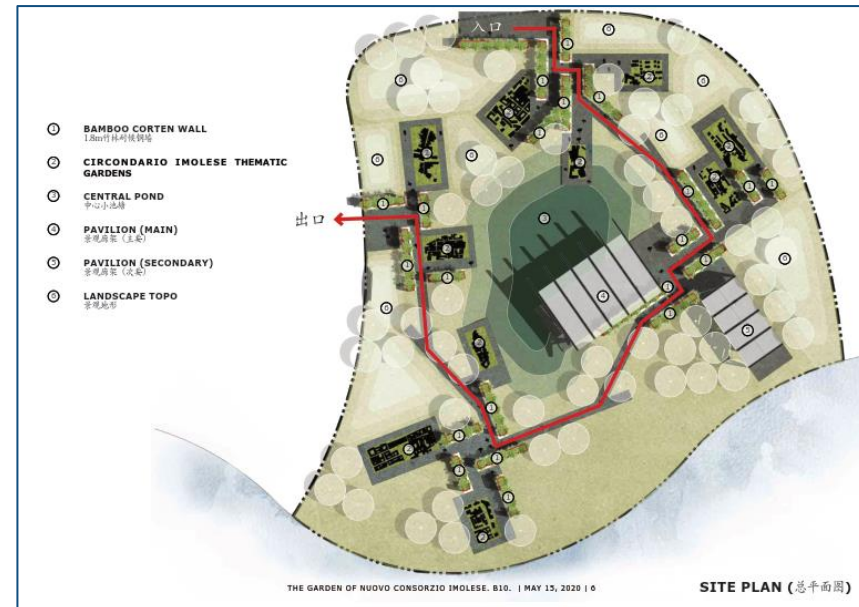
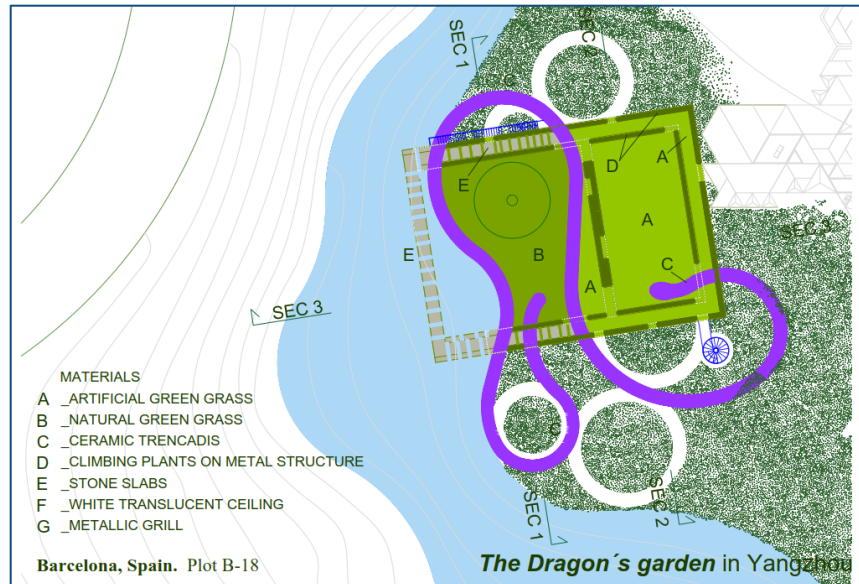
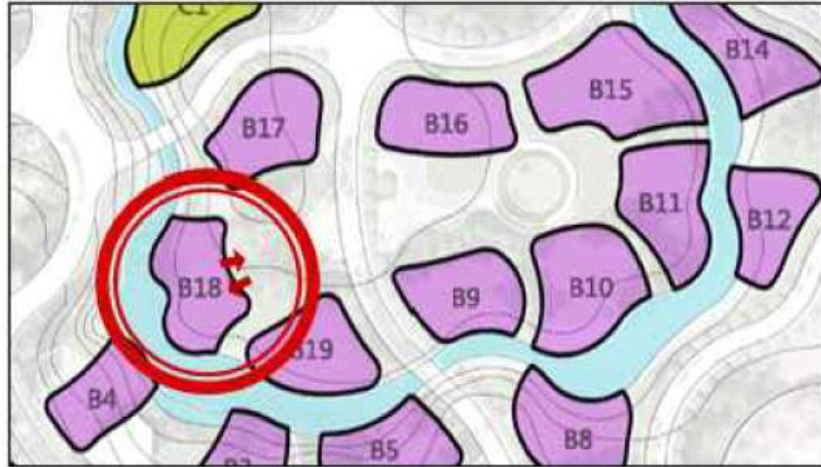
Triple-Helix Methodology



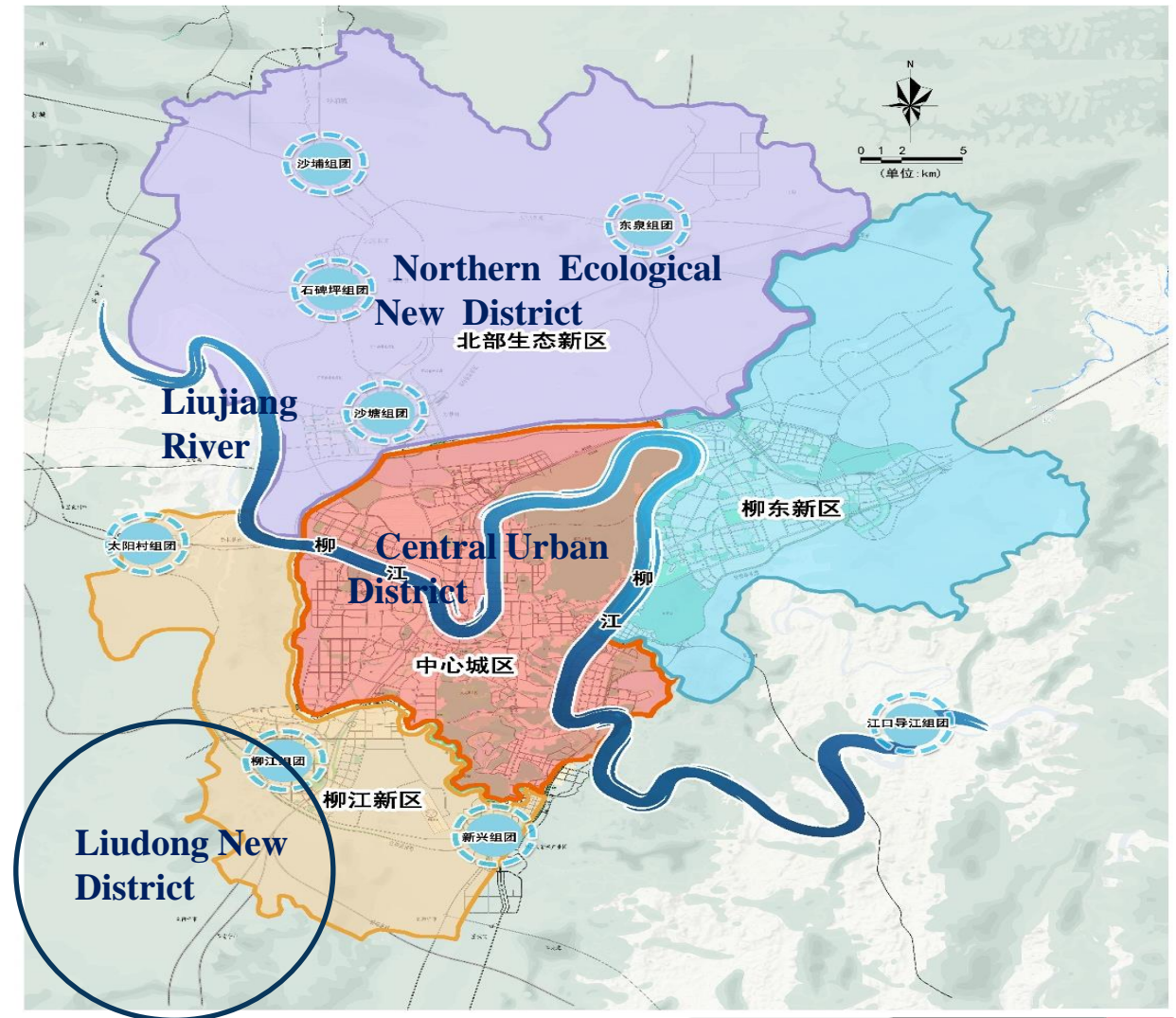
Cooperative Action Plan

- Identify key projects
- Identify key institutions/stakeholders
- Define decision-making mechanism
- Streamline communication
- Develop implementation roadmap
- Project-oriented work
- Self-initiatives

Pilot example 1 – Barcelona, Bologna & Rome in Yangzhou



Pilot Example 2: Barcelona and Liuzhou (Guangxi) – S&T Park



Pilot Example 3: Mannheim – Chongqing Cargo Railway



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EU's IUC Pilot Project Started: Cargo Railway Connection between Mannheim and Chongqing



University Cooperation - Manchester, Rome and Chengdu



V2G/ VPP (cArbitrage)

- Tesla S85 (90kWh,225m) (~ consumption of 10 UK households, see links 1&2 below)
- The key to realising the economic values of V2X is EV control to dispatch energy according to the grid conditions.

The diagram illustrates a V2G/VPP system. It shows a car connected to a charging station, which is connected to a power grid. The grid is represented by a central yellow box labeled 'Control centre'. The grid is connected to various power sources: Wind farm, Solar farm, Hydroelectric plant, and Nuclear power plant. The grid is also connected to a 'Power grid' and a 'Power distribution network'. The diagram shows the flow of energy from the power grid to the car and from the car to the power grid.

1. https://www.ukpower.co.uk/home_energy/average-household-gas-and-electricity-usage
2. https://batteryuniversity.com/learn/article/electric_vehicle_ev

• M. Rozman, in B Adebisi (2019) *Smart Wireless Power Transmission System for Autonomous EV Charging*, IEEE Access, 7, pp.112240-112248
• Y. Sha'aban, A. Ikpehai, B. Adebisi, K. Rabie (2017). *Bi-Directional Coordination of Plug-In Electric Vehicles with Economic Model Predictive Control*, Energies, 10(10), pp.1507-1507.

Manchester Fuel Cell Innovation Centre

Amer Gaffar, Director

The image shows the Manchester Fuel Cell Innovation Centre logo and a silhouette of the Manchester city skyline. The logo is on the left, and the skyline is on the right. The text 'Manchester Fuel Cell Innovation Centre' is on the left, and 'Manchester Metropolitan University' is on the right. The name 'Amer Gaffar, Director' is at the bottom.

3 CloudIEPS – Cloud Based Integrated Energy Planning Studio

3.4 Software Development

Based on the above simulation method, a cloud-computing platform is developed. An editable environment for network topology is provided so that the Energy-Integrated system can be **visualized**. There are up to **25 types of device** are supported in this platform, such as **gas turbine**, **heat recovery boiler**, **wind-power generator**, **absorption chiller**, etc, so users could design the energy cascade utilization system as what they want.

The screenshot shows the CloudIEPS software interface. It displays a network topology diagram with various components connected by lines. The components include a gas turbine, a heat recovery boiler, a wind-power generator, and an absorption chiller. The diagram is color-coded and includes a legend. The software interface also shows a list of components and their properties.

University Cooperation (2): Rome Summer School 2020

31 august h: 09.00

MODULE 1
Organization and digitization of information about buildings and civil engineering works, including building information modelling (BIM)

Prof. Francesco Ruperto

01 september h: 09.00

MODULE 2
The integrated management of sustainable processes of requalification and recovery in the architectural and environmental heritage.

Prof. Tommaso Empler

02 september h: 09.00

MODULE 3
Geographic Information Systems and its integration with BIM methodologies.
Why to integrate GIS with the BIM methodologies, tools and procedures? Beyond the 3D modelling: geography and GIS multi-thematic environment, additional dimensions of BIM data.

Ing. Patrick Maurelli

03 september h: 09.00

MODULE 4a
Digital methods and tools in the construction process for an efficient project management workflow: case histories

Prof. Sofia Agostinelli

04 september h: 09.00

MODULE 4b
Analysis of integrated models and applicative case studies within the digital approach for planning and programming the activities through the process phases.

Dott. Stefano Amista

07 september h: 09.00


MODULE 5
Analysis of integrated models and applicative case studies within the digital approach for planning and programming the activities through the process phases.

Prof. Xing Shi
(College of Architecture and Urban Planning, Tongji University)

11 september h: 09.00

FINAL TEST
Final report for work groups to discuss in specific workshops with the teaching staff of the ISS.

The 40 hours online activities will take place on a dedicated e-learning platform in english.



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Coordinator Prof. Flavio Rosa
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Zoom Meeting

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Speaker View

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YL Yating Liu

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From Shuang LIANG so, should we start

From Elisa Pennacchia thank you

From Qianqian ZHANG yes

To: Everyone

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Performance Analysis in Revit

1. Fast Heating and Cooling Loads Analysis (Local)
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Chinese City Leaders in Granada – 2018



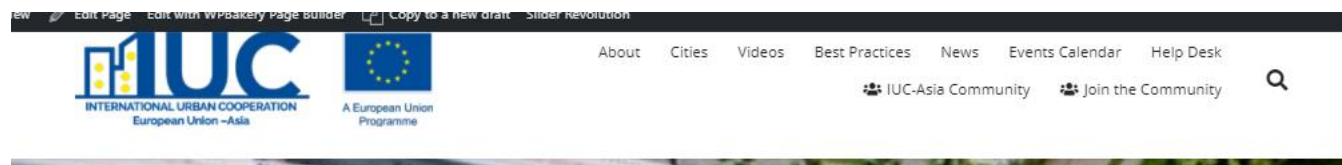
- In the two-day program in Granada, meetings were held with the City Council, PTS health tech park, University of Granada and Chamber of Commerce, to discuss about various cooperation possibilities in the areas of government-to-government exchange, bio medicine and health care, education and training, as well as commercial promotion.
- At the meeting with the Mayor of Granada, all the five visiting Chinese cities signed a **city-to-city cooperation MoU** with Granada. The main purpose of the MoU is to reconfirm the cities' intentions of building friendly relationships and cooperation as pilot cities under the framework of China-EU regional policy cooperation mechanism.

Granada City Leaders in China – 2018 & 2019



International Events: APUF (Malaysia), October 2019





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VLRs: IUC Asia participates in UNESCAP meeting on Asia-Pacific Regional Guidelines on Voluntary Local Reviews

Today the IUC Asia participated in the Virtual Discussion Session on Asia-Pacific Regional Guidelines on Voluntary Local Reviews organized by UNESCAP with the objective to raise awareness on the guidelines, discuss its coherence with other global guidance on VLRs, and generate interest amongst stakeholders to conduct local and sub-national reviews of SDG progress. The session brought [...]

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Virtual signing ceremony of MoU between Yantai (China) and Tuscia (Italy) Universities

This morning, the IUC Asia held a Memorandum of Understanding virtual signing ceremony between Yantai University (YTU) in China and Tuscia University (UNITUS) in Italy, to engage in cooperative educational and research activities for the mutual benefits of both institutions. Opening words were delivered by Ronald Hall, Active Senior Advisor, European Commission, Directorate General on [...]

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Climate: IUC Asia participates in UNESCAP meeting on Vertical Integration of Climate Action in Asia and the Pacific

Today the IUC Asia participated in the Virtual Expert Group Meeting on Vertical Integration of Climate Action in Asia and the Pacific organized by UNESCAP with the objective to identify priority policies, actions and desired futures for Asia and the Pacific. UNESCAP is the United Nations Economic and Social Commission for Asia and the Pacific. [...]

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IUC ASIA Project Website: www.iuc-asia.eu

EU Foreign Policy Instruments https://ec.europa.eu/fpi/home_en

EU Commission DG Regional and Urban Policy http://ec.europa.eu/regional_policy/cooperate/international/index_en.cfm

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