



EUROCITIES

The network of major European cities



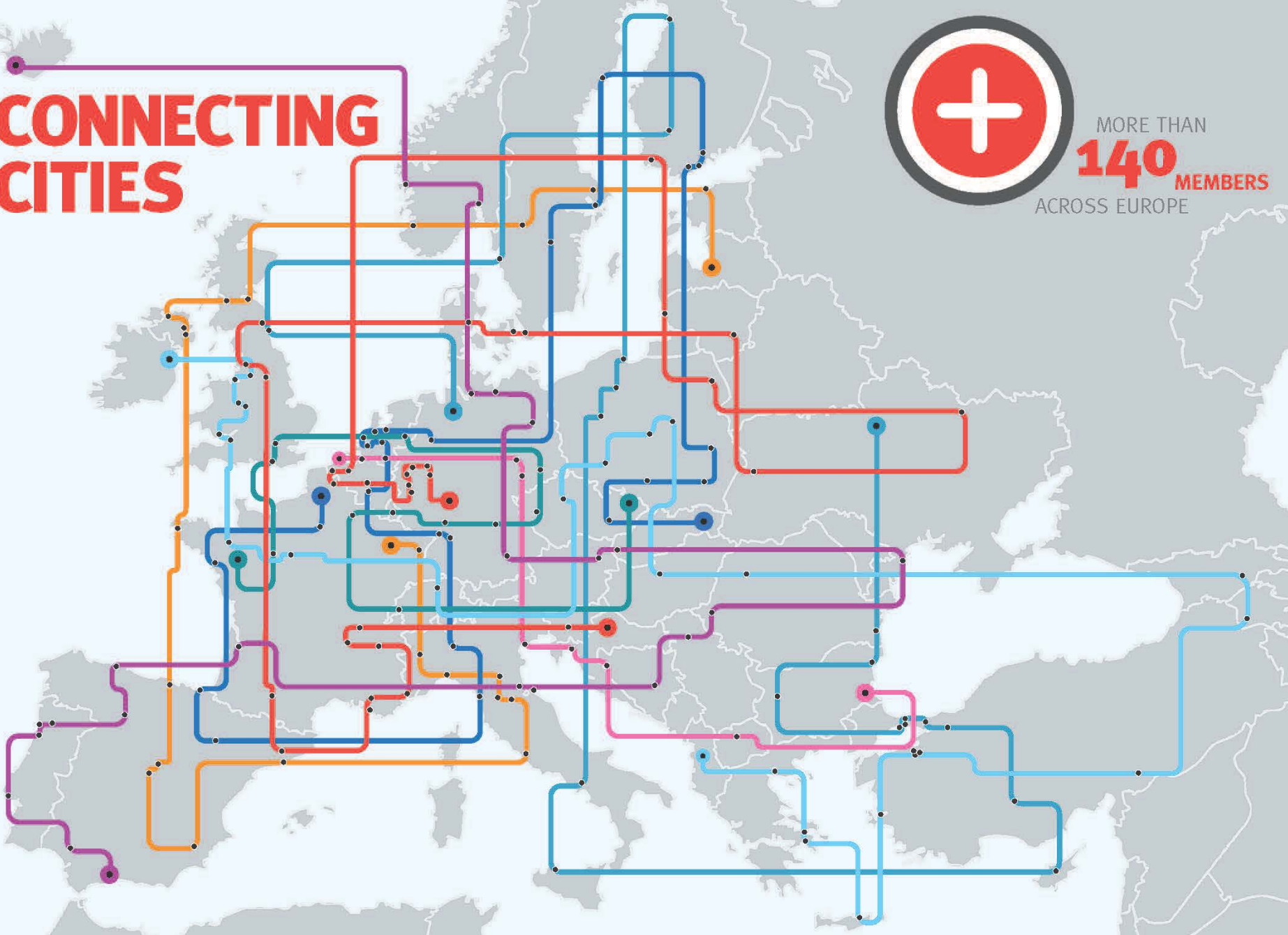
Founded in 1986, representing cities of over 250,000 inhabitants



CONNECTING CITIES



MORE THAN
140 MEMBERS
ACROSS EUROPE





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CITIES

Our activities



- Influencing
- Networking
- Visibility

EUROCITIES...

- Represents the interests of cities in an **ongoing dialogue** with the European institutions
- Brings attention to the **urban dimension** of EU policies and programmes to strengthen the **role of cities** in European decision-making and securing resources

Regular meetings
between
commissioners and
EUROCITIES

Working with the
**European
Parliament** to
amend EU
legislation

**Policy papers &
letters** to influence
European
institutions

An informal network of contacts with colleagues in other European cities



OVER

4000

CITY EXPERTS AND
POLITICIANS ACTIVELY
ENGAGED ACROSS

6 SECTORS

CULTURE

ECONOMY

ENVIRONMENT

KNOWLEDGE SOCIETY

MOBILITY

SOCIAL AFFAIRS

37 WORKING
GROUPS



- a European **platform** for city politicians
- international **conferences**
- transnational **partnerships**
- international **campaigns**
- European, national and local **media**

Better coordination

EU Partnerships

Building capacity

Knowledge sharing

Cities as drivers of quality jobs and sustainable growth

Entrepreneurial environment

Urban innovation and governance in cities

Education and skills

Partnerships across metropolitan areas

Managers of social cohesion

Green, free-flowing and healthy cities

Better quality of life

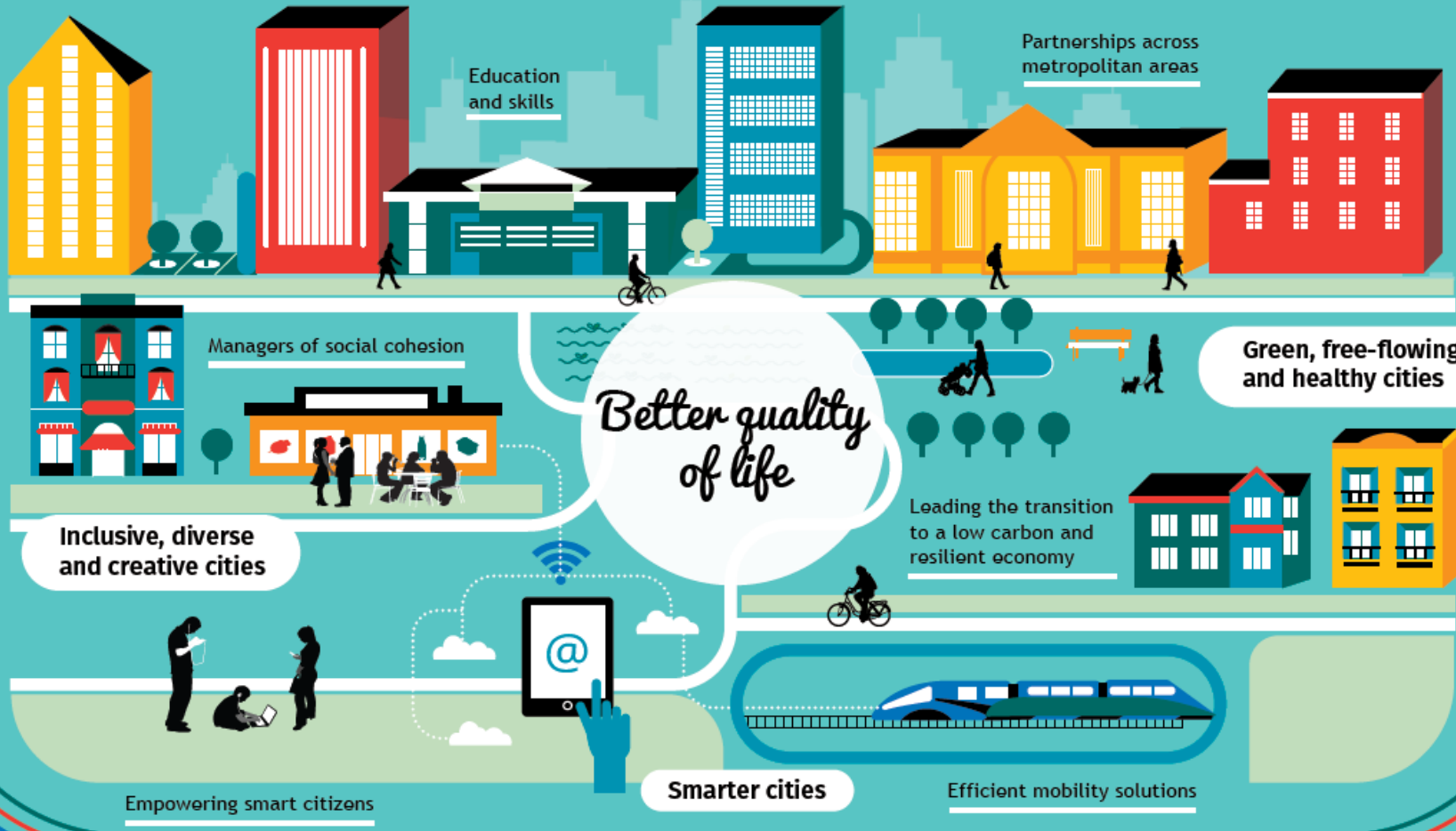
Inclusive, diverse and creative cities

Leading the transition to a low carbon and resilient economy

Empowering smart citizens

Smarter cities

Efficient mobility solutions



Some of our priorities



URBAN AGENDA FOR THE EU - PACT OF AMSTERDAM



IT'S ABOUT

Boosting the role of cities for a stronger EU



Realising the full potential and contribution of urban areas



Involving cities in policy making



Improving coordination of policies with an impact on urban areas

FOCUSES ON



TO OBTAIN

BETTER REGULATION
FUNDING
KNOWLEDGE BASE AND
KNOWLEDGE EXCHANGE



WITH



- thematic partnerships*
- mapping the urban related Commission initiatives
- EU one-stop-shop on urban (web portal)
- urban impact assessment
- Urban innovative Actions
- URBACT
- Joint Programming Initiative Urban Europe
- European Observation Network, Territorial Development and Cohesion (ESPON)
- biennial CITIES Forum

* a key delivery mechanism within the Urban Agenda for the EU. The aim is to develop a multilevel and multi-dimensional approach. Each partnership is made up of member states, the European Commission, cities, experts, European organisations and relevant stakeholders.

USING

TRANSVERSAL WORKING GROUPS

Chaired by the city of Stockholm

Culture Forum

Chaired by the
city of
Birmingham



Economic Development Forum

Chaired by
the city of
Vienna



Environment Forum

Chaired by
the city of
Amsterdam



Knowledge Society Forum

Chaired by
the city of
Eindhoven



Mobility Forum

Chaired by
the city of
Mannheim



Social Affairs Forum

Chaired by
the city of
Barcelona





New and better local partnerships for culture
Culture for cities and regions
Cultural heritage



Jobs creation
Cities' attractiveness and branding
Sharing economy
Cities' long term public investment



Sustainable, affordable energy
Clean air
Circular economy
Healthy, green city



Access to technologies
Data
Standards



Urban dimension in EU transport strategies
Clean, connected and autonomous mobility
Planning and financing sustainable urban mobility



Social cohesion and integration of refugees
Inclusive labour markets
Tackling deep-seated poverty and homelessness



Projects infographic

VITAL NODES

GREEN, HEALTHY CITIES

JOBS AND SUSTAINABLE GROWTH

INCLUSIVE, DIVERSE, CREATIVE CITIES

SMARTER CITIES

INNOVATION AND GOVERNANCE

EUROPEAN MOBILITY WEEK



integrating cities **CITIES-GroW**



ReSOMA



ICTFOOTPRINT EU



COLLECTORS





Support for development of European projects

- early information on EU calls for proposals
- information seminars on funding opportunities
- access to a network of potential partners
- development of joint projects
- dissemination of project results to members
- letters of support for members' project proposals



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Executive committee

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Ghent

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Stockholm

Secretary

Leipzig

Treasurer

Warsaw

Other members

Barcelona

Birmingham

Florence

Ljubljana

Nantes

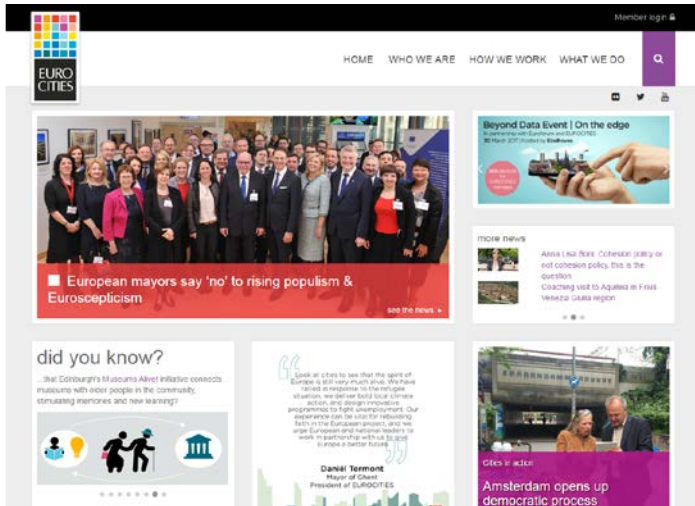
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