

The value of City-City Partnerships for Implementing the New Urban Agenda

Networking Event

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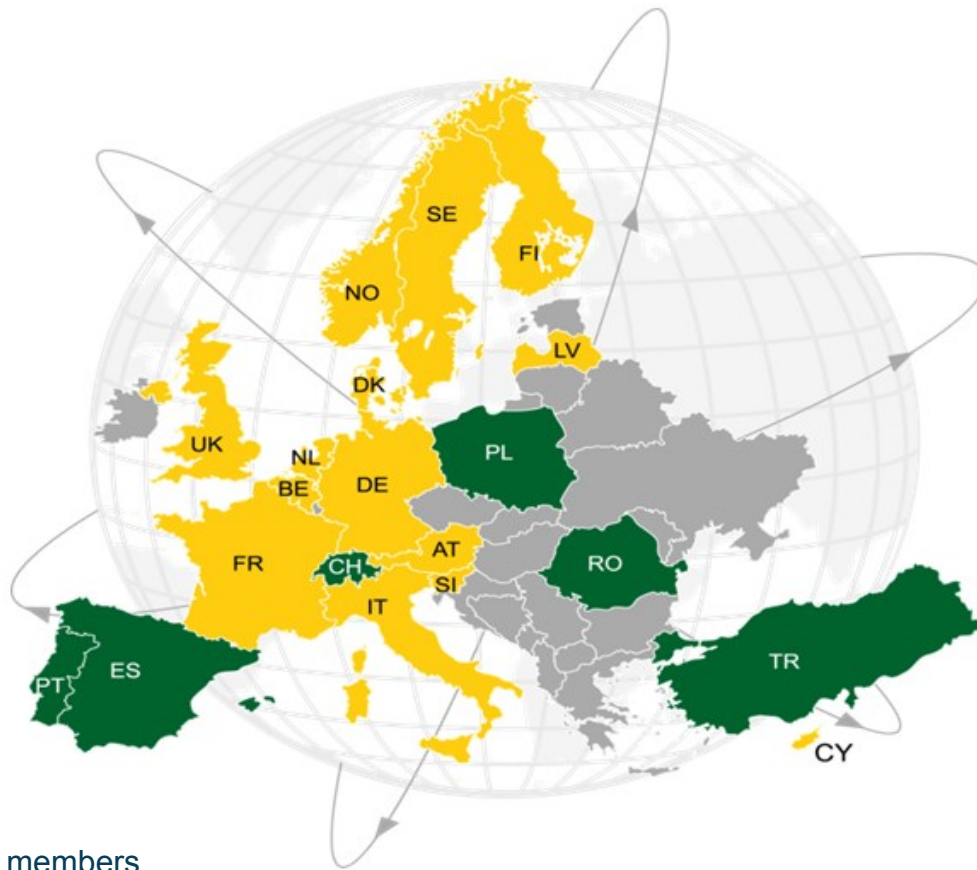
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20

European countries
participating and contributing

14

Full members

- Core members
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1. Joint Policy Strategies for EU-China cooperation on sustainable urbanisation

- ✓ Developing a Strategic R&I Agenda
- ✓ Supporting better alignment of bilateral funding and cooperation instruments

2. Nursery of Joint Projects, from low-threshold to high-performance projects

- ✓ Creating an efficient, productive, accessible, and predictable stream of cooperative innovation projects
- ✓ Developing a critical mass of EU and Chinese cities, including matching cities and facilitating up large-scale demonstration projects

3. Knowledge Exchange and Brokerage of City-Industry-Science Partnerships

- ✓ Lowering the threshold for new as well as experienced stakeholders
- ✓ Promoting extensive involvement of stakeholders from, and more linkages between, cities and regions, research, industry, and civil society



Questions

- How can global city partnerships contribute to a common vision on sustainable urban development?
- How can global triple/quadruple helix city partnerships foster capacity building/knowledge creation for implementing the NUA?
- What framework conditions are required to allow global partnerships among cities to be successful?