

METROPOLIS **PROGRESS REPORT**

July – September

2020

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NOTE FROM THE SECRETARY GENERAL

This year we faced challenges that were unimaginable a year ago and successfully adapted to the current situation. The quarter began with a policy debate and extraordinary meeting of our Board of Directors, both in a virtual format. The meetings were held to discuss and share political insights to establish the main strategies for the next three years.

We also launched the Policy Briefs in the framework of the Emergency Governance Initiative, enabling local government leaders to exchange experiences in managing the emergencies arising from the pandemic. The goal of this initiative is to provide governments with resources to respond to the new demands of major emergency situations.

Metropolis grew during the quarter and we were pleased to welcome five new members from Asia: Bandar, Guiyang, Jember, Siping, and Wuxi. This brings us up to 141 governments of major metropolises and metropolitan areas worldwide.

In addition, we continued to collaborate with partners like UCLG and UN-Habitat and other alliances such as the World Urban Campaign, MTPA, and Paradiplomacia.org, working together to launch initiatives and ensure that metropolises are a safe, healthy and equal place for citizens to live in.

The Secretariat General would like to thank you for adapting to this whole new situation so quickly. Together, we managed to make it a learning opportunity. We look forward to continuing to work with you to finish the year, which will be decisive for the next three years since next quarter we will be holding several statutory meetings that will lay the basis for the upcoming mandate.



Octavi de la Varga
Metropolis Secretary General

ACTIVITIES

Action Line 1 (L1)

Conducting urban diplomacy and advocacy on metropolitan issues

Action Line 2 (L2)

Strengthening capacities for metropolitan governance

Action Line 3 (L3)

Developing a strong, consultative and sustainable internal governance culture

Megacities' Post-COVID Planning

03 July

Metropolis co-organized an Urban Thinker Campus in collaboration with the World Urban Campaign, the MTPA (Metropolitan and Territorial Planning Agencies), the FNAU (French Network of Urban Planning Agencies), ISOCARP (International Society of City and Regional Planners) and the Institut Paris Région. The webinar gathered representatives of megacities' Planning Agencies and Departments who exchanged their experiences about the impacts and new paradigms raised by the COVID-19 crisis on megacities' planning. It was clear after the exchange that megacities are more affected by the crisis and vulnerable which brings along the importance of a good governance at different levels to become more resilient. The crisis has also highlighted the new

capacities to mobilise social solidarity & work with NGOs and other actors to face any kind of crisis.

Our Secretary General enriched the conversation by providing the vision on how Metropolis was supporting megacities after the COVID-19 outbreak by building up the Cities for Global Health platform and by offering spaces for discussing policies beyond the outbreak through the Live Learning Experiences along with UCLG and UN-Habitat. Finally, he explained the work that Metropolis is undertaking to build up the Emergency Governance Initiative for Cities & Regions in order to tackle future emergencies by monitoring the impact of COVID-19 and its aftermath.

Related outcomes

L1M1D3

Activated members

**Buenos Aires,
Gauteng**



Smart cities vs. Human cities

19 August



Over 100 people, including governmental representatives and city makers, participated in the webinar “Smart Cities vs. Human Cities”, co-organized by the Buenos Aires Institute of Technology (ITBA) and Paradiplomacia.org. The webinar focused on the role that technology and digitalization play in the transformation of urban realities to improve citizens’ quality of life. Our Secretary General highlighted

the fact that digitalization could lead to greater segregation in metropolitan areas, because there can be an unjust access to the smart reality. Fernando Carrión, an academic in FLACSO’s Department of Political Studies in Quito, also talked about the social gap that is evident in our cities because many people do not have access to technological and digital tools. Due to the pandemic, governments have implemented homogeneous policies without considering the social differences in access to technology, which has reinforced pre-existing social segregation in Latin America. Mauricio Dimant, Coordinator of the Latin American Unit of the Truman Institute, highlighted that the exclusion is determined by resources management.

Related outcomes

L1M2D2

Activated members

**Buenos Aires,
Quito**

Marine Ecological conservation & Disaster Risk Reduction

31 August – 02 September

Fuzhou Municipal People’s Government and Minjiang University organized a virtual workshop on marine ecology, conservation and disaster risk reduction, with the support of Metropolis and the 21st Century Maritime Cooperation Committee. During this event, a number of talks were held on marine ecological protection, sustainable development of the marine industry, adequate protection and development of marine resources, and prevention and reduction of marine disasters. Moreover, a panel discussion was held in which participants had the

chance to share experiences of their own cities in the field of marine ecological protection and disaster prevention. This workshop involved three members as well as members of UCLG ASPAC.

Related outcomes

**L1M1D1
L1M1D3
L2M8D1**

Activated members

**Bandar, Fuzhou,
Hangzhou**



#CitiesAreListening: updates

09 September

Related outcomes
[L1M7D2](#)

Activated members
[Barcelona \(city\)](#),
[Bogotá](#), [Durban](#),
[Xi'an](#)

Metropolis, UCLG and UN-Habitat have hosted a series of online Live Learning Experiences over the past few months. On 9 September, #CitiesAreListening, which is the next phase of this process, was presented during a brainstorming session to explore participants' priorities in an eventual post COVID-19 world. During the session, participants acknowledged the risk our societies are living in: COVID-19 is the most pressing challenge; however, there are other risks such as the climate emergency and the potential of urbanisation.

The #CitiesAreListening initiative is an integral part of our current work on rethinking our metropolitan spaces, as is the Cities for Global Health platform. There were over 20 speakers at the session, including members of our own network, who had the chance to share their views on rethinking urban spaces.

Culture as a dimension to rethink our metropolitan spaces

28 September



Related outcomes
[L1M7D2](#)
[L1M8D2](#)

In preparation for the 2020 Rome Charter, Metropolis organized an online webinar. During this session, participants discussed the role that culture plays in improving people's quality of life in metropolitan areas and some key drivers were provided. Over 150 participants attended the debate, including some of our members and signatories of the Charter.

Activated members
[Abidjan](#), [Bangkok](#), [Barcelona \(city\)](#),
[Bogotá](#), [Brussels](#), [Buenos Aires](#),
[Greater Manchester](#), [Guangzhou](#),
[Hangzhou](#), [Hyderabad](#), [Jakarta](#),
[Johannesburg](#), [Mashhad](#),
[Medellín](#), [Mexico City](#), [Montréal](#),
[Quito](#), [Rabat](#), [Ramallah](#), [Rio de Janeiro](#), [Victoria](#), [Xi'an](#)

U20 Mayors Summit

30 September – 02 October

The U20 Mayors Summit, the annual highlight for the international community of urban leaders, presented a 27-point consensus-built Communiqué to the G20 following nine months of seminal research and analysis into rebuilding cities in a more sustainable, inclusive and naturally diverse way in a post-pandemic world to achieve equitable, carbon-neutral, inclusive and healthy societies.

Metropolis participated as a Lead knowledge partner in Task Force "Inclusive and Prosperous Communities", which aimed to analyze how cities can and need to provide a non-discriminatory access to opportunities and services for the diversity of people that live and work within them. At the same time how cities are preparing their citizens for the future of work and to overcome the digital divide, ensure cultural inclusivity and integration, and empower all citizens to thrive.

From this process, five white papers were published:

- Affordable housing
- Socio-cultural inclusivity and cohesion
- Mainstreaming gender equality
- Upskilling for future of work – international and local opportunities
- Youth empowerment

Each of these white papers presents the key challenges and opportunities that were detected for each of these issues, a selection of case studies based on the experiences of the cities and entities that participated in the task force, and finally, some recommendations from both the political and technical perspectives.

During the debates, Metropolis shared the need to strengthen multilevel governance and to enable coordinated work with other public or private actors present in the territory. Likewise, we also shared with the rest of the Taskforce's partners the strategic importance of incorporating the gender perspective and the caring economy to build inclusive and prosperous communities effectively.



Related outcomes

[L1M1D3](#)
[L1M5D1](#)

Activated members

[Barcelona \(metropolitan area\)](#),
[Berlin](#), [Istanbul](#), [Johannesburg](#),
[Mexico City](#), [Montréal](#)

L1 urban diplomacy and metropolitan advocacy

Metropolis in the media

 News/Newsletter

 Web

JULY

El País – Seres Urbanos

 Gender Keys + Issue Paper 10

Citiestobe

 Smart Cities World
Cities for Global Health

UNDP

 Cities for Global Health

AECID

 Webinar: Intersectional responses for the LGBTI+ community facing COVID-19

La Diaria Feminismos

 Webinar: Intersectional responses for the LGBTI+ community facing COVID-19

PEMB

 Call to rethink metropolitan spaces

Delog

 Call to rethink metropolitan spaces

UNDP

 Cities for Global Health

Revista Ciudad Sostenible

 Cities for Global Health + Urban Sustainability Exchange + Emergency Governance Initiative for Cities and Regions + Live Learning Experiences

PEMB

 Blog + Call to rethink metropolitan spaces

Cities Today

 Cities for Global Health + Interview to Michael Müller

Cities Today

 Interview to Michael Müller

Fundació Catalunya Europa

 Call to rethink metropolitan spaces

PEMB

 Blog

AUGUST

Chicago Council on Global Affairs

 Call to rethink metropolitan spaces

Weforum

 Cities for Global Health

Brookings

 Cities for Global Health

SEPTEMBER

AMB

 City managers

AL-LAS

 World Metropolitan Day

Ciudad Sostenible

 Live Learning Experiences

UCLG CIB

 Emergency Governance Initiative for Cities and Regions + #CitiesAreListening

PEMB

 World Metropolitan Day

Ciudad Sostenible

 World Metropolitan Day

El País – Seres Urbanos

 Cities for Global Health + #CitiesAreListening



Live Learning Experience – Food Systems: Lessons from the pandemic

02 July

Related outcomes

L1M1D3
L1M2D1
L1M7D2
L2M2D3
L2M2D4
L2M2D5
L2M4D3
L2M7D1

On July 2, the thematic session on Food Systems: Lessons from the pandemic took place in collaboration with the World Sustainable Urban Food Centre of Valencia (CEMAS) and addressed the need to ameliorate our food systems. The participants highlighted two key conclusions: the importance of producing and consuming local food, and the need to link food resilience with climate sustainability, equity and women empowerment.

Activated members

Barcelona (city), Bogotá, Durban, Guadalajara, Kazan, Madrid, Mexico City, Ramallah, Xi'an

City Managers Community: Green Infrastructure Metropolitan Portrait Survey

11 June – 06 July

This survey was sent through emailing to all the contacts from the Metropolis membership on June 11 and broadcasted three times over Metropolis social media channels. Open to Metropolis members only, the survey represented the first step of the project "City Managers Community" in 2020, and served to identify the members of the community and generate the contents of the next activity of the project (Green infrastructure webinar, scheduled for July 16). By the deadline for submissions (July 6), the survey had collected qualitative and quantitative responses from 15 members from all regions.

Related outcomes

L2M4D1

Activated members

Barcelona (city), Barcelona (metropolitan area), Belo Horizonte, Bogotá, Cairo, Chengdu, Greater Manchester, Guadalajara, Madrid, Montréal, Ramallah, Rio de Janeiro, San Salvador, Tehran, Victoria

City Managers Community: webinar on green infrastructures

16 July

The final report of the last meeting This webinar was the second activity of the City Managers Community in 2020 and rep-presented the intermediate step of a process which will culminate with the celebration of the 5th edition of the City Managers Days, scheduled for November 2020, in the framework of the Smart City Live 2020. Exclusive to the representatives of the Metropolis membership who took part in the survey "Green Infrastructure Metropolitan Portrait" (open from 11 June to 6 July 2020), this online session offered to a group 15 representatives from our membership who are in charge of the day-to-day management of green infrastructure the opportunity to get to know each other, learn about the main findings of the survey, exchange additional information about their green infrastructure flagship projects, and delimit the topic and dynamics of the next activities of the project.

Related outcomes
L2M4D1



Activated members
Barcelona (city), Barcelona (metropolitan area), Belo Horizonte, Bogotá, Cairo, Chengdu, Greater Manchester, Guadalajara, Madrid, Mexico City, Montréal, Ramallah, Rio de Janeiro, San Salvador, Tehran

International action and metropolitan spaces

22 July



The Issue Paper 9 "The internationalization of metropolitan spaces" sets out the basis on which the webinar "Internationalization and metropolitan spaces" held on July 22 was developed. Almost 60 people from local governments, partner organizations and other stakeholders listened to Greater Manchester and Tehran's international strategies and actions, as well as presentations of AL-LAs Project and Chicago Council of Global Affairs. It was largely confirmed by all speakers that internationalization is part of the strategy to build and transform metropolitan spaces in order to improve the quality of life of people living in these territories. This event brought together representatives of 26 members.

Activated members
Accra, Barcelona (metropolitan area), Belo Horizonte, Brasilia, Brussels, Buenos Aires, Durban, East Kalimantan, Goyang, Greater Manchester, Greater Paris, Guangzhou, Hangzhou, Hyderabad, Johannesburg, Kathmandu, Mashhad, Mexico City, Minas Gerais, Montevideo, Porto Alegre, Rio de Janeiro, Seoul, Shiraz, South Tangerang, Tehran

Related outcomes
L2M5D1, L2M6D1

Cities for Global Health: updates

23 July



In early March 2020, Cities for Global Health was launched in response to the urgent demands presented by the pandemic. Currently, there are more than 600 examples of crisis management initiatives from 33 countries and over 100 cities. This platform is now helping to create a space to share recovery and transformation plans for metropolitan areas, cities and regions. The pandemic outbreak has given the opportunity to rethink the role of cities and metropolitan areas in emergency situations. Communities are also finding solutions to “glocal” problems, from fighting against poverty and inequality, to promoting gender equality and human rights, to tackling climate change. In conclusion, Cities for Global Health is part of the Metropolis’ crisis management response and goes hand-in-hand with the “Live Learning Experience: Beyond the immediate response to the outbreak” and it also makes a key contribution to the “Emergency Governance Initiative for Cities and Regions”.

Related outcomes

[L1M1D1](#)
[L1M1D3](#)
[L1M2D1](#)
[L1M7D2](#)
[L2M2D3](#)
[L2M2D4](#)
[L2M2D5](#)
[L2M4D3](#)
[L2M7D1](#)

Activated members

[Barcelona \(city\)](#), [Barcelona \(metropolitan area\)](#), [Belo Horizonte](#), [Berlin](#), [Bogotá](#), [Brasilia](#), [Brussels](#), [Buenos Aires](#), [Busan](#), [Córdoba](#), [Fuzhou](#), [Goyang](#), [Guangzhou](#), [Isfahan](#), [Istanbul](#), [Kazan](#), [La Paz](#), [Lisbon](#), [Madrid](#), [Mashhad](#), [Medellín](#), [Mexico City](#), [Montevideo](#), [Montréal](#), [New Taipei](#), [Puebla](#), [Rabat](#), [Rio de Janeiro](#), [São Paulo](#), [Seoul](#), [Sofia](#), [Taipei](#), [Tehran](#), [Xi'an](#)

Launch of Policy Brief #1 by the Emergency Governance Initiative for Cities and Regions

30 July

On July 2020, the Emergency Governance Initiative for Cities and Regions (EGI) launched its first Policy Brief. Local government officials from some Metropolis members provided critical inputs about the governance innovation they have been trialling as part of their emergency response efforts. This Policy Brief provides an account of experiences governing the COVID-19 emergency over the past months as well as lessons that may be relevant for other local governments. It also includes lessons from the Live Learning Experiences, which were hosted by UCLG, Metropolis and UN-Habitat over the initial months of the pandemic. Moreover, there is a summary of global COVID-19 monitoring initiatives and insights. In conclusion, local governments around the world have responded with creativity and determination to the current crisis, since they have repurposed existing institutional structures and also pioneered new ways of communication and decision-making.

Activated members

[Barcelona \(city\)](#), [Bogotá](#), [Gauteng](#), [Seoul](#)

Related outcomes

[L1M1D3](#), [L1M2D1](#), [L1M7D2](#), [L2M2D3](#), [L2M2D4](#), [L2M2D5](#), [L2M4D3](#), [L2M7D1](#)

Five new Asian members

07 July

During the Extraordinary Meeting, the Metropolis Board of Directors ratified the five new members of the association: Bandar (the capital and largest city in the province of Lampung, Indonesia), Guiyang (the capital city of Guizhou, China), Jember (a district in the province of East Java, Indonesia), Siping (a prefecture-level city in Jilin Province, China) and Wuxi (a city

in Jiangsu province, China). With these new members, we now bring together 141 governments of major cities and metropolitan areas worldwide.

Related outcomes
L3M2D1
L3M3D1

Activated members
Bandar, Guiyang, Jember, Siping, Wuxi



Wuxi



Bandar



Jember



Siping



Guiyang

Policy Debate: “Metropolis in 2023”

07 July

The latest Extraordinary Meeting of our Board of Directors counted with the participation of 22 of our 28 Board members. This year, in a virtual format and under the title “Metropolis in 2023”, the Policy Debate was co-organized by the Secretariat General and the Governing Mayor of Berlin, Michael Müller, in his role as President of Metropolis. This Policy Debate intended to caucus a wide variety of political perspectives to bring up the main strategies and actions for the next mandate, which will be included

in the Metropolis Strategic Action Plan 2021-2023 to be approved by the General Assembly of our members.

Related outcomes
L1M1D3
L2M8D1
L3M2D1
L3M3D1
L3M3D2
L3M3D3

Activated members
Barcelona (city), Barcelona (metropolitan area), Berlin, Brussels, Buenos Aires, Dakar, Gauteng, Guangzhou, Mashhad, Montevideo, Montréal, Nouakchott, Porto Alegre, Seoul, Tehran, Wuhan

MEMBERSHIP ACTIVATION

Bilateral meetings

JULY

online

Members:

Barcelona
(metropolitan area)
Berlin
Brussels

AUGUST

online

Members:

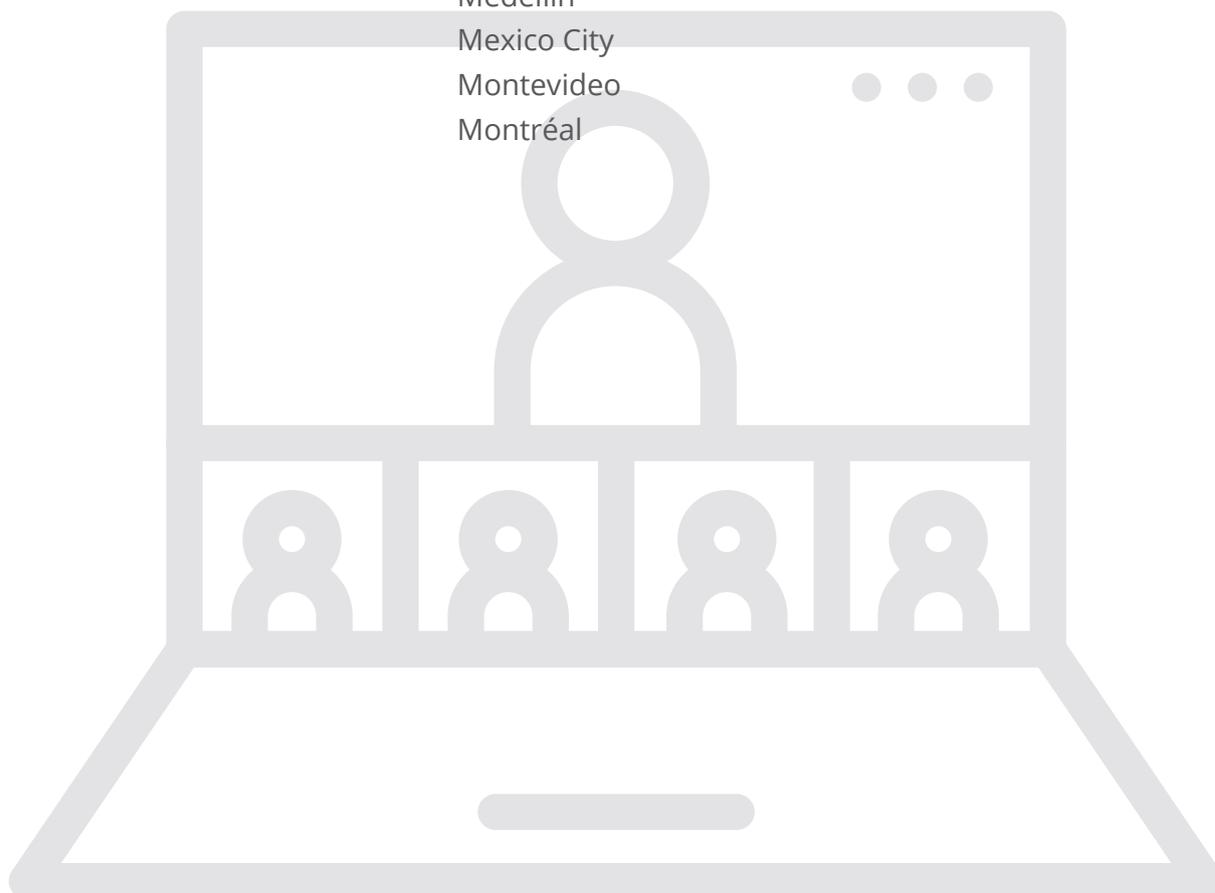
Barcelona (city)
Berlin
Bogotá
Guangzhou
Medellín
Mexico City
Montevideo
Montréal

SEPTEMBER

online

Members:

Barcelona
(metropolitan area)
Bogotá
Brussels



PROGRESS

Activated members

Abidjan	Cairo	Hangzhou	Mexico City	Seoul
Accra	Chengdu	Hyderabad	Minas Gerais	Shiraz
Bandar	Córdoba	Isfahan	Montevideo	Siping
Bangkok	Dakar	Istanbul	Montréal	Sofia
Barcelona (city)	Durban	Jakarta	New Taipei	South Tangerang
Barcelona (metropolitan area)	East Kalimantan	Jember	Nouakchott	Taipei
Belo Horizonte	Fuzhou	Johannesburg	Porto Alegre	Tehran
Berlin	Gauteng	Kathmandu	Puebla	Victoria
Bogotá	Goyang	Kazan	Quito	Wuhan
Brasilia	Greater Manchester	La Paz	Rabat	Wuxi
Brussels	Greater Paris	Lisbon	Ramallah	Xi'an
Buenos Aires	Guadalajara	Madrid	Rio de Janeiro	
Busan	Guangzhou	Mashhad	San Salvador	
	Guiyang	Medellín	São Paulo	

Membership payment status

From 1 January to 30 September, Metropolis cashed in the following fees. This data concerns the banking movements within the above-mentioned period, and not the accounting incomes. The accounting income data is made explicit in the annual accounts, according to accrual criteria:

Total amount cashed in

346,021.63 €

Cashed in for 2019 fees

18,689.92 €

2019 fees

5

Cashed in for 2020 fees

327,331.71 €

2020 fees

55

Members who have paid

57

Member has paid 2 fees

3

Main results

From 1 January to 30 September:

1,200+

people engaged in Metropolis events

350+

experts with whom we have collaborated

Execution of the Action Plan

L1

Measures

L1M1

That global political events, themes, and issues have been closely followed, and responses have been assessed and prioritized for taking up through focused urban diplomacy.

L1M2

That a common political discourse on key metropolitan topics and a common set of principles have been regularly debated, agreed upon, and communicated widely.

L1M5

That a lobbying strategy has been designed that champions Metropolis position on different metropolitan concerns.

L1M7

That Metropolis contributes actively to UCLG and the Global Taskforce, whilst being treated as key partners.

L1M8

That relations are systematically forged with specialized media to disseminate Metropolis knowledge and positioning.

Outcomes and deliverables

L1M1D1

Calendar of international events

L1M1D3

Political or technical presence at relevant international events

L1M2D1

Metropolis position papers on key issues related to metropolitan governance

L1M2D2

Political debates within Metropolis annual events regarding major themes

L1M5D1

Lobbying strategy agreed by the Board of Directors

L1M7D1

Contributions to the Global Taskforce: events, papers, etc.

L1M7D2

Political / Technical presence at UCLG and GTF events

L1M8D1

Presence in specialized Media

To check the complete Metropolis Action Plan for the 2018-2020 period, with all measures, outcomes and deliverables, please visit our [website](#)

Execution of the Action Plan

L2

Measures

Outcomes and deliverables

L2M1

That an agreed number of pilot projects are collaboratively implemented by member cities, in accordance with Metropolis vision.

L2M1D3*

Annual call for pilot projects*

L2M2

That the outcomes of all Metropolis projects and initiatives are actively considered as a whole through a process choreographed by the Metropolis Secretariat General to ensure the transferability and dissemination of those outcomes.

L2M2D3

Policy Transfer Platform

L2M2D4

Metropolis website

L2M2D5

Establishment of reference frameworks which are helpful for members in governing and managing metropolises

L2M4

That the City Managers Community is developed as an interactive platform that encourages debate and allows practitioners to easily connect with each other.

L2M4D1

Annual events of city managers in collaboration with key partners

L2M4D3

Dissemination of the recommendations and outcomes

L2M5

That a full gender-sensitive and effective plan on learning and capacity building (including Metropolis International Training Institute) is created, framed by the Metropolis vision and using Metropolis tools.

L2M5D1

Annual gender-sensitive and effective plan on learning and capacity building

L2M6

That an agreed set of metropolitan governance tools are made available to city members, and support is actively given for their use in monitoring and assessing quality of life in those cities.

L2M6D1

Metropolis Observatory and Policy Transfer Platform as a metropolitan governance toolkit

L2M7

That partnerships are set up with thematic networks, key research centres and academics, and that these relationships are active and engaged, contributing to systematizing existing Metropolis knowledge, and creating new knowledge.

L2M7D1

Annual strategic partnership plans (2018-2019-2020)

L2M8

That collaborative forums are developed and supported as the way of bringing together mayors, urban practitioners, research centres and academics.

L2M8D1

Political and technical gatherings addressing key issues for our members, particularly annual meetings and triennial congresses

Execution of the Action Plan

L3

Measures

Outcomes and deliverables

L3M2

That five regional agendas are agreed in line with the global strategy of Metropolis.

L3M2D1

5 regional agendas on an annual basis designed and implemented by the Regional Secretaries and the Secretariat General

L3M3

That a strategy is developed to improve relationships among Metropolis key actors.

L3M3D1

Annual communication plan including actions and a calendar

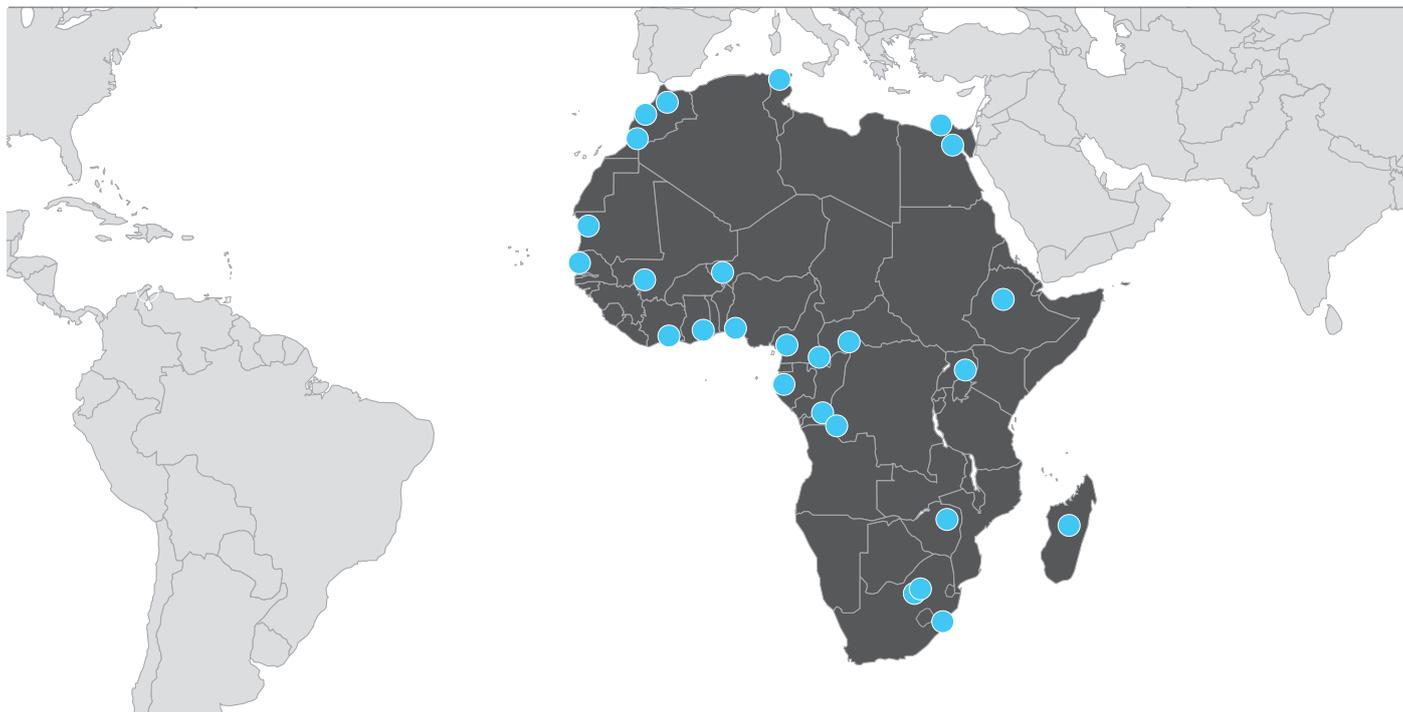
L3M3D3

Communication kit highlighting the benefits of belonging to the association

WHO WE ARE



AFRICA



ABIDJAN

ACCRA

ADDIS ABABA

ALEXANDRIA

ANTANANARIVO

BAMAKO

BANGUI

BRAZZAVILLE

CAIRO

CASABLANCA

COTONOU

DAKAR

DOUALA

DURBAN

GAUTENG

HARARE

JOHANNESBURG

LIBREVILLE

MARRAKESH

NIAMEY

NOUAKCHOTT

RABAT

TUNIS

VICTORIA

YAOUNDÉ

Focal Points



REGIONAL SECRETARIAT
Rahmatouca Sow
Dieye, Dakar



SECRETARIAT GENERAL
H el ene Jourdan

Members of the Board of Directors

CO-PRESIDENCIES

David Makhura, Premier of Gauteng Province

REGIONAL VICE-PRESIDENCIES

Robert Beugre Mambe, Governor of Abidjan

MEMBERS

Mostafa Madbouly, Representative of the Ministry of Housing of Egypt (Cairo)

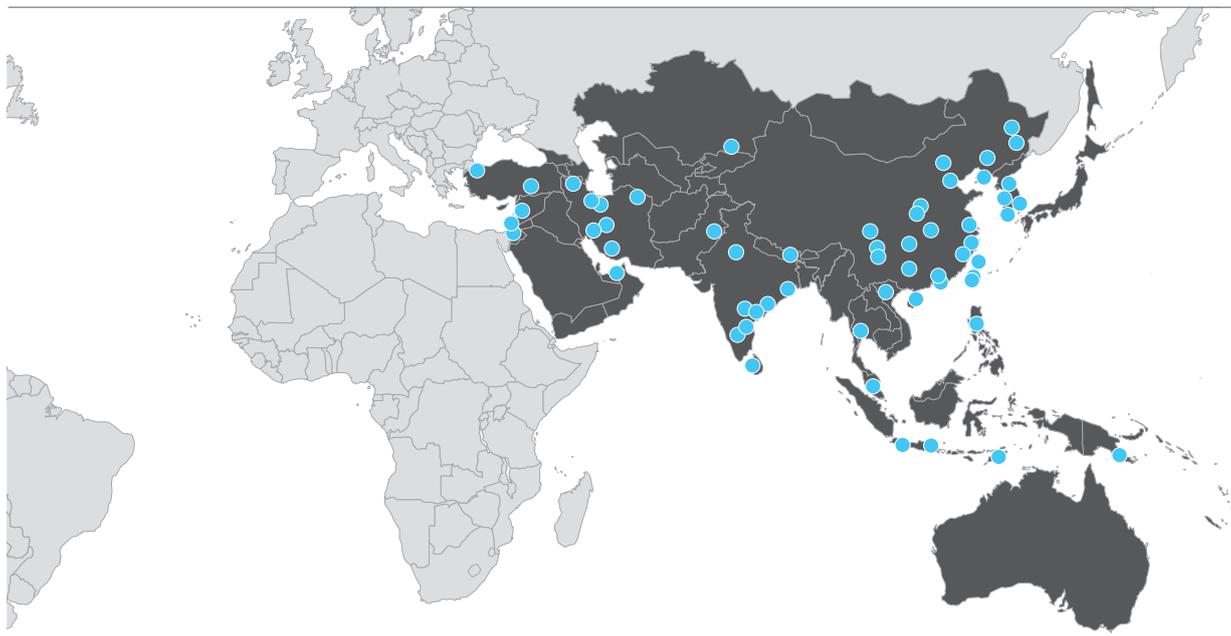
Abdelaziz El Omari, Mayor of Casablanca

El Wardini Soham, Mayor of Dakar

Fatimetou Abdel Malick, President of Nouakchott Region

Mohamed Sadiki, Mayor of Rabat

ASIA-PACIFIC



AHVAZ	CHONGQING	GUIYANG	JEMBER	NEW DELHINIUA	TAIPEI
AMMAN	COLOMBO	GUJRANWALA	JILIN	NEW TAIPEI	TEHRAN
BAGHDAD	DAEGU	GWANGJU	JINAN	RAMALLAH	TIANJIN
BANDAR	DAEJEON	GYEONGGI	KAOHSIUNG	SEOUL	ULSAN
BANGKOK	DALIAN	HAIKOU	KARAJ	SHANGHAI	WUHAN
BEIJING	DIYARBAKIR	HANGZHOU	KATHMANDU	SHENZHEN	WUXI
BEIRUT	EAST	HANOI	KUALA	SHIRAZ	XI'AN
BHOPAL	KALIMANTAN	HARBIN	LUMPUR	SIPING	XIAMEN
BOGOR	FAISALABAD	HYDERABAD	KUNMING	SOUTH	YIWU
BUSAN	FUZHOU	INCHEON	LAHORE	TANGERANG	ZHENGZHOU
CHANGCHUN	GAZIANTEP	ISFAHAN	MALE'	SURABAYA	
CHANGSHA	GOYANG	ISTANBUL	MASHHAD	TABRIZ	
CHENGDU	GUANGZHOU	JAKARTA	NANJING	TAICHUNG	

HONORARY MEMBER: CPAFFC

Focal Points



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Xu Liyi, Mayor of Hangzhou

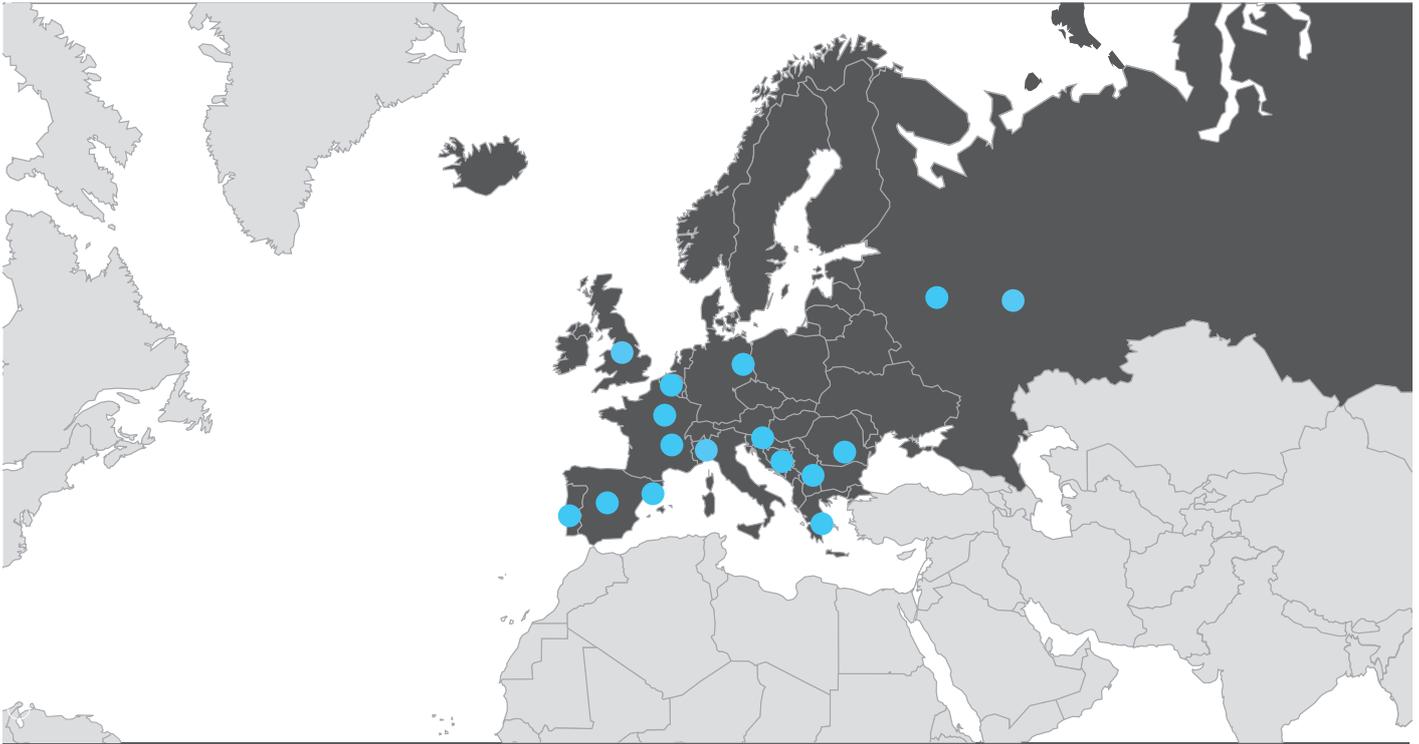
Dr Bonthu Rammohan, Mayor of Greater Hyderabad

Ekrem Imamoglu, Mayor of Istanbul

Pirouz Hanachi, Mayor of Tehran

Xianwang Zhou, Mayor of Wuhan

EUROPE



BARCELONA (CITY)
BARCELONA
(METROPOLITAN AREA)
BERLIN
BRUSSELS
BUCHAREST

GRAND LYON
GREATER PARIS
GREATER MANCHESTER
KAZAN
LISBON
MADRID

MOSCOW
SARAJEVO
SOFIA
TURIN
ZAGREB

Focal Points



**REGIONAL
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**SECRETARIAT
GENERAL**
Silvia Llorente

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Michael Müller, Mayor of Berlin

CO-PRESIDENCIES

Ada Colau, Mayor of Barcelona & President of the Metropolitan Area of Barcelona

TREASURY

Jean-Luc Vanraes, Vice-president of the Steering Committee of the Brussels Regional Investment Society

MEMBERS

Laura Pérez Castaño, City councilor responsible for Feminisms and LGBTI of Barcelona/ President of Metropolis Women

José Luis Martínez-Almeida, Mayor of Madrid

LATIN AMERICA AND THE CARIBBEAN



BELO HORIZONTE
BOGOTA
BRASILIA
BUENOS AIRES
CÓRDOBA
GUARULHOS

GUAYAQUIL
LA HABANA
LA PAZ
MEDELLÍN
MINAS GERAIS
MONTEVIDEO

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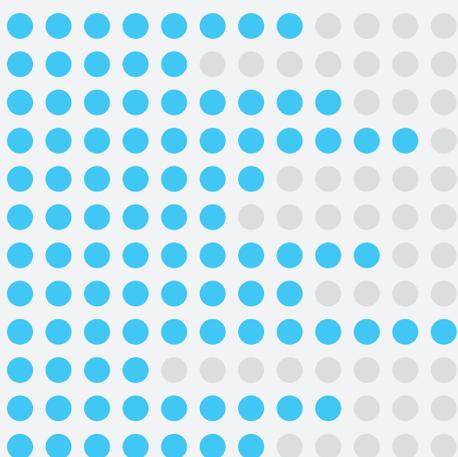


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