

CITY-TO-CITY EXCHANGES

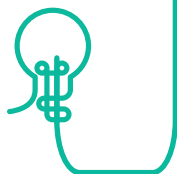
Tackling urban development
challenges together



Visit your peers,
learn from their solutions

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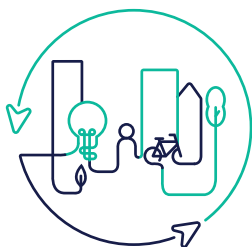
What are City-to-City Exchanges?



Key activities

- ▶ In-person study visits to another city in Europe.
- ▶ Enabling diverse peer learning activities (site visits, workshops, training...).
- ▶ Focused on practical solutions to local urban development challenges.





Key features

- ▶ Short-term commitment – no more than seven months.
- ▶ Quick and easy to organise.
- ▶ Dedicated to urban authorities in the EU.
- ▶ Open to technical staff and elected officials.
- ▶ Financial and expert support from the European Urban Initiative.
- ▶ Apply at any time through a rolling call.
- ▶ Bottom-up design tailored to specific local urban challenges.
- ▶ A flexible tool that cities can use more than once.

The City-to-City Exchange process

The City-to-City Exchanges call is open on a rolling basis. Explore the details and apply to learn from other cities' experiences!

Week
0

Application phase - Submit your application anytime through our ongoing open call and get started right away!

Week
4

Decision phase - Expect to hear back within 4 weeks after submitting your application.

Month
1

Initiation (1 month) - Begin by preparing and planning your study visits to ensure a smooth start.

Months
2-6

Implementation (5 months) - Conduct up to three study visits and put your plans into action.

Month
7

Reporting (1 month) - Complete the process by submitting your final report and reimbursement requests.

City-to-City Exchanges

A capacity building activity of the European Urban Initiative

Visit the EUI website for support tools including:

- ▶ Guidance for applicants
- ▶ Recordings of webinars aimed at applicants.
- ▶ Information on previously supported exchanges.
- ▶ The Urban Matchmaker to put forward a challenge or find the city that can help with a solution.
- ▶ A form to request introduction to potential partners.
- ▶ Or book a chat to get advice from the EUI Secretariat.



EXPLORE CITY-TO-CITY EXCHANGES

Learn from peers on a topic you choose
and gain insights to tackle your urban
challenges!



Any questions?

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