

# Cities for Excellence

## Brussels, October 11<sup>th</sup>, 12<sup>th</sup>

During



European Week  
Brussels 8-11 October 2018

### CITIES FOR EXCELLENCE

Matchmaking and networking event for excellence in Smart Cities H2020 and Horizon Europe emerging projects

**DAY 1 - October 11<sup>th</sup>**

Matchmaking session

**Venue: Lithuanian Permanent Representation to the European Union  
41-43 Rue Belliard, 1040 Brussels**

**13.30 – 17.00**

**13.30** Welcome coffee

**14.00** Opening address, **Lithuanian Permanent Representation to the European Union**

**14.10** *Key-note address*, Prof. Ricardo Machado, Vice-Rector and Professor at the Department of Information Systems, University of Minho

**14:25** *Key-note address*, Prof. Antanas Čenys, Vice-rector for Research and Innovation, Vilnius Gediminas Technical University



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**14:40** *Smart co-development innovation strategies*, **Paula Peiro**, Project developer, **IrRADIARE**, Science for Evolution

**14:50** *Lessons learned from ongoing SmartCities projects*, **Sergio Sanz**, Researcher, **CARTIF** Technology Centre

**15:00** *University of research excellence-making a real difference to real lives*, **Janette Gilder**, Director of the Project Support Office of the **University of Wolverhampton**, City of Wolverhampton, Midlands Engine

**15:10** *Applied Technologies industries in the Basque Country*, **Cristina Murillo**, Cluster Services Manager, **GAIA** Cluster

**15:20** *[Topic to be added]*, **Rolandas Urbonas**, Deputy Director, **LEI- Lithuanian Energy Institute**

**15:30** *EU Smart Cities Information System- Making cities more liveable and sustainable*, **Tatiana Pasquel Garcia**, Business Developer, **Smart Energy and Built Environment**, Vito

**15:40** Innovation-chain clustering – thematic tables

**Thematic table I** – Digital technologies

**Thematic table II** – Energy technologies

**Thematic table III** – Mobility technologies

**Thematic table IV** – Urban environment

**Thematic table V** – Social and cultural innovation



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16.25 Summary presentations of thematic table conclusions

16:50 *Concluding remarks*– **Brigita Serafinaviciute, Head of LINO - Lithuanian RDI Liaison Office in Brussels**

17:00 Closure and networking tea

## DAY 2 - October 12<sup>th</sup>

### Networking session

**Venue: Portuguese Permanent Representation to the European Union  
12 Avenue de Cortenbergh, 1000 Brussels**

09.00 – 13.00

9.00 Registration, networking coffee

09.30 *Welcome address* – **HE Ambassador Pedro Lourtie, Permanent Representation of Portugal to the European Union**

09.40 *[Title to be added]*– **Jens Bartholmes, Policy Officer, DG Energy. European Commission**

10.10 *[Title to be added]*– **Pirita Lindholm, Director, ERRIN- European Regions Research and Innovation Network**

10.20 *Cities for Excellence*, **Marcos António Nogueira, Managing partner, IrRADIARE, Science for Evolution**



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**10.45** *City of Guimarães, European Innovation Capital for 2020*, **Ricardo Costa, Councillor, City of Guimarães**

**10.40** *Vilnius Smart City, first to innovate*, **Povilas Poderskis, CEO of Vilnius City Municipality**

**10.50** Coffee break

**11:10** *The urban revolution*, **Gotzone Sagardui Goikoetxea, Vice-mayor, city of Bilbao**

**11:20** *Boosting Innovation*, **Krista Taipale, Head of International Affairs of Helsinki-Uusimaa Regional Council, City of Helsinki**

**11:30** *Smarter Together-Smart and Inclusive Solutions for a Better Life in Urban Districts*, **Waltraud Schmid, Head of Energy Center at Urban Innovation, City of Vienna**

**11:40** *Sønderborg – Getting to zero by 2029 the smart way*, **Iben Nelsen, Senior Project Manager, City of Sønderborg**

**11:50** *#brno2050 as a Smart City Brno Strategy and Framework towards the next generation of Innovation Cities*, **Marek Jiří, Manager of Events and Projects of Smart City, City of Brno**

**12.00** *Sharing Cities, European Leadership in Smart Cities*, **Bernadett Köteles-Degrendele, Smart cities project coordinator, EUROCITIES**

**12.10** *Keynote address. Scientific Evidence-Based Policy-Making for Cities*, **Maria da Graça Carvalho, member of European Commission's Scientific Advice Unit**

**12:30** Debate

**13.00** Closure



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