



## CALENDAR OF CEMR ACTIVITIES 2013

### January

- 14 Brussels Focus group: Data protection and public sector information
- 15 Brussels PLATFORMA ad-hoc group
- 16 Brussels Focus group: Service concessions
- 16 Brussels Focus group: Public procurement
- 18 Brussels Focus group: Future of cohesion policy
- 23 Brussels Focus group: Waste
- 24 Brussels Focus group: Data protection and public sector information
- 30 Paris Policy Committee meeting
- 31– Paris *Global conference of local elected women:  
“Gender equality, a priority for global development”*

### February

- 1 Paris *./. Global conference of local elected women:  
“Gender equality, a priority for global development”*
- 1 Paris Standing committee: Equality of women and men in local life
- 6 Brussels Focus group: Data protection and public sector information
- 11–15 Brussels CEMR Brussels office closed
- 18 Brussels ARLEM plenary session
- 19 Brussels Focus group: Local and regional governments as employers
- 20 Brussels Working group: European social dialogue
- 21–22 Brussels Greek municipal employees training seminar
- 28– Paris Thematic network: Diversity and integration

## March

- 1 Paris ./ Thematic network: Diversity and integration
- 4–5 Brussels PLATFORMA Forum
- 19–21 *Strasbourg* 24<sup>th</sup> session of the Congress
- 27 Brussels Focus group: Data protection and public sector information

## April

- 8 Brussels Focus group: Public procurement
- 8 Brussels Focus group: Data protection and public sector information
- 9–10 Brussels GOLD III Workshop on the organisation of public services in Europe  
+ Thematic platform: Local and regional governments as employers and service providers
- 11–12 *Strasbourg* CDLR
- 15 Brussels Focus group: Future of cohesion policy
- 15–16 Belfast Technical cooperation platform
- 17–19 *Geneva* [7th European Conference on Sustainable Cities & Towns:](#)  
“A green and socially responsible economy: a solution in times of crisis?”
- 17 Brussels Focus group: Air quality
- 24 Brussels Focus group: Water

## May

- 13–14 Kampala (UG) PLATFORMA seminar on Africa
- 17–18 *Paris* AER General Assembly
- 22 Brussels EU event on age-friendly environments (CEMR, AGE, CoR)
- 22 Belgrade Thematic platform: European Union enlargement
- 24 Lisbon Executive Bureau meeting

## June

- 5–7 Lyon UCLG Executive Bureau  
+ UCLG Europe coordination meeting
- 10–11 Puerto Iguazú (AR) PLATFORMA seminar on Latin America
- 17 Brussels European social dialogue working group meeting
- 18 Brussels Focus group: Local and regional governments as employers

- 24 Brussels *Covenant of Mayors Annual Ceremony*
- 25 Brussels Thematic platform: Sustainable territorial and local development
- 25 Brussels Thematic platform: Resource efficiency and environment

## September

- 9 Brussels Financial management committee
- 17 Brussels UCLG Europe coordination meeting (tbc)
- 17 Brussels Focus group: International cooperation and partnership (tbc)
- 24 Brussels Focus group: Future of cohesion policy
- 25–27 Nantes *ECOCITY: World Summit*  
+ Thematic platform: Resource efficiency and environment
- 25–27 Rijeka/Opatija *NEXPO 2013 and NALAS General Assembly*  
+ Thematic platform: European Union enlargement
- 25–27 Saint-Malo *CPMR 41<sup>st</sup> General Assembly*
- 25 Brussels Workshop on open comparisons of public services
- 26 Brussels Focus group: Local and regional governments as employers
- 26 Brussels European social dialogue working group

## October

- 1–4 Rabat (MA) *4<sup>th</sup> UCLG World Congress: "Imagine society, build democracy"*
- 1 Brussels Focus group: Waste (tbc)
- 7–10 Brussels *11<sup>th</sup> European Week of Regions and Cities (Open Days)*
- 9 Brussels Thematic platform: Sustainable territorial and local development
- 14–18 *European Local Democracy Week:  
"Active citizenship: voting, sharing, participating"*
- 14 Brussels Focus group: Air quality (tbc)
- 16 Brussels Thematic platform: Local and regional governments as employers and service providers (tbc)
- 29–31 Strasbourg *25<sup>th</sup> session of the Congress*

## November

- 4–5 Brussels Technical cooperation platform
- 4–5 Stockholm Standing committee: Equality of women and men in local life (tbc)
- or 11–12 Workshop on equality

- 5 Brussels Focus group: Water (tbc)
- 26 Strasbourg Conference: *“Decentralisation at the crossroads”*  
+ Committee: Governance and citizenship
- 27 Strasbourg Conference: *“Integration of foreign residents in local life”*  
+ Thematic network: Diversity and integration
- 27–29 Strasbourg *World Forum for Democracy: “Re-wiring democracy:  
Connecting institutions and citizens in the digital age”*
- 27–29 Ghent *EUROCITIES General Assembly and ‘Smart Citizens’  
Conference*

## December

- 2–3 Prague Policy Committee meeting
- 11 Brussels Focus group: Local and regional governments as employers
- 12 Brussels European social dialogue working group

