



- Statutory affairs and member services ●
- Democracy, citizenship and enlargement ●
- Resource efficiency and environment ●
- Partnership, cooperation and world affairs ●
- Economic, social and territorial cohesion ●
- Local and regional governments as employers and service providers ●

## 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
- 31–1 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
- 28–1 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* 7<sup>th</sup> European Conference on Sustainable Cities & Towns
- 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
- 27 Brussels Focus Group: Twinning
- 28 Brussels Twinning coordinators' meeting with the Commission
- 28 Brussels Focus group: Future of cohesion policy
- 28 Brussels Focus group: State aid

## June

- 5 Lyon UCLG Europe coordination meeting

- 5–7 Lyon UCLG Executive Bureau
- 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
- 20 Brussels Focus group: State Aid
- 21 Brussels Financial management committee
- 24 *Brussels* *Covenant of Mayors Annual Ceremony*
- 25 Brussels Thematic platform: Sustainable territorial and local development
- 25 Brussels Thematic platform: Resource efficiency and environment
- 27 Brussels Focus group: Future of cohesion policy

## July

- 9 Brussels Focus group: State aid
- 16 Brussels Focus group: State aid

## September

- 5 Webinar: Observatory of the European Charter for Equality of Women and Men in Local Life
- 12 Brussels Focus group: Waste
- 17 Paris UCLG Europe coordination meeting
- 17 Paris Focus group: International cooperation and partnership
- 17 Brussels Focus group: Public procurement
- 17 Brussels Focus group: State Aid
- 19 Paris Financial management committee
- 25–27 *Nantes* *ECOCITY: World Summit*
- 25–27 *Rijeka/Opatija* *NEXPO 2013 and NALAS General Assembly*
- 25–27 *Saint-Malo* *CPMR 41<sup>st</sup> General Assembly*
- 25 Brussels Focus group: Local and regional governments as employers
- 26 Brussels Working group: European social dialogue

## October

- 1–4 *Rabat (MA)* *4<sup>th</sup> UCLG World Congress: "Imagine society, build democracy"*

- 7–10 Brussels *11<sup>th</sup> European Week of Regions and Cities (Open Days): Workshop on urban-rural partnerships*
- 8 Brussels Thematic platform: Sustainable territorial and local development
- 9 Brussels Focus group: Manifesto EP Elections 2014
- 10 Brussels Focus group: Future of cohesion policy
- 14–18 *European Local Democracy Week: “Active citizenship: voting, sharing, participating”*
- 29–31 Strasbourg *25<sup>th</sup> session of the Congress*

## November

- 4–5 Brussels Secretaries General and Directors meeting
- 11–12 Stockholm Seminar on gender equality and meeting with the Standing committee on equality of women and men in local life
- 21 Warsaw *Cities Day at UNFCCC COP19*
- 26–27 Brussels *European Development Days*
- 26 Strasbourg Conference: “Decentralisation at the crossroads” + Committee: Governance and citizenship
- 27 Brussels 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
- 4 Brussels Focus group: Future of cohesion policy
- 5 Brussels Thematic platforms: Resource efficiency and environment
- 10 Brussels Focus group: Air quality
- 11 Brussels Thematic platform: Local and regional governments as employers and service providers + Workshop on open comparisons of public services
- 11 Brussels Focus group: Local and regional governments as employers: Adapting local and regional public services to the changing environment
- 12 Brussels Working group: European social dialogue
- 13 New York *Global Side Event to the UN General Assembly on Sustainable Cities + Global Taskforce of Local and Regional Governments for Post-2015 Development and Habitat III*

