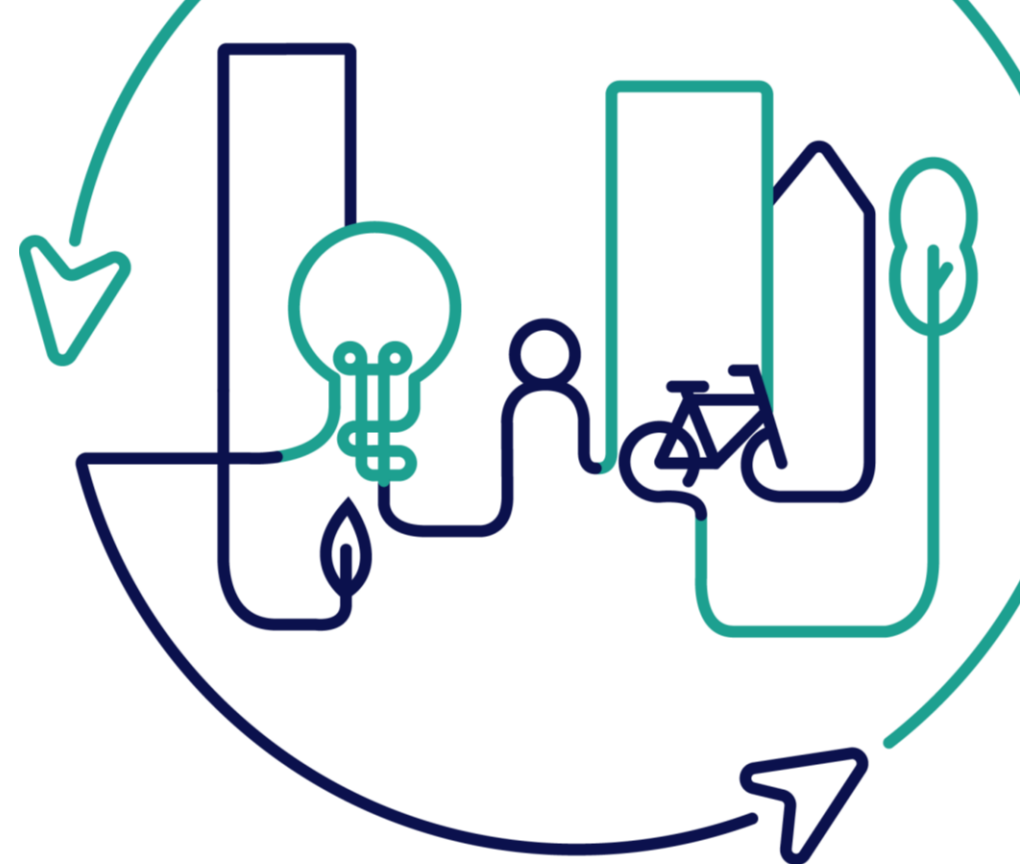


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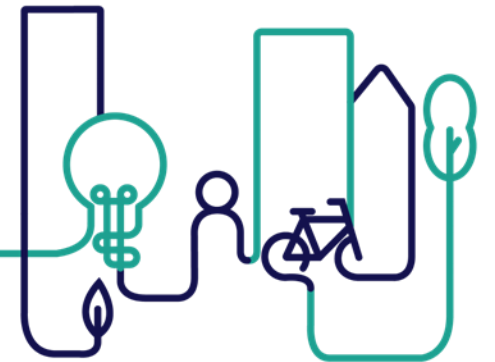
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## 26-27 FEBRUARY 2025 TORRELAVEGA

### Welcome to Day 2

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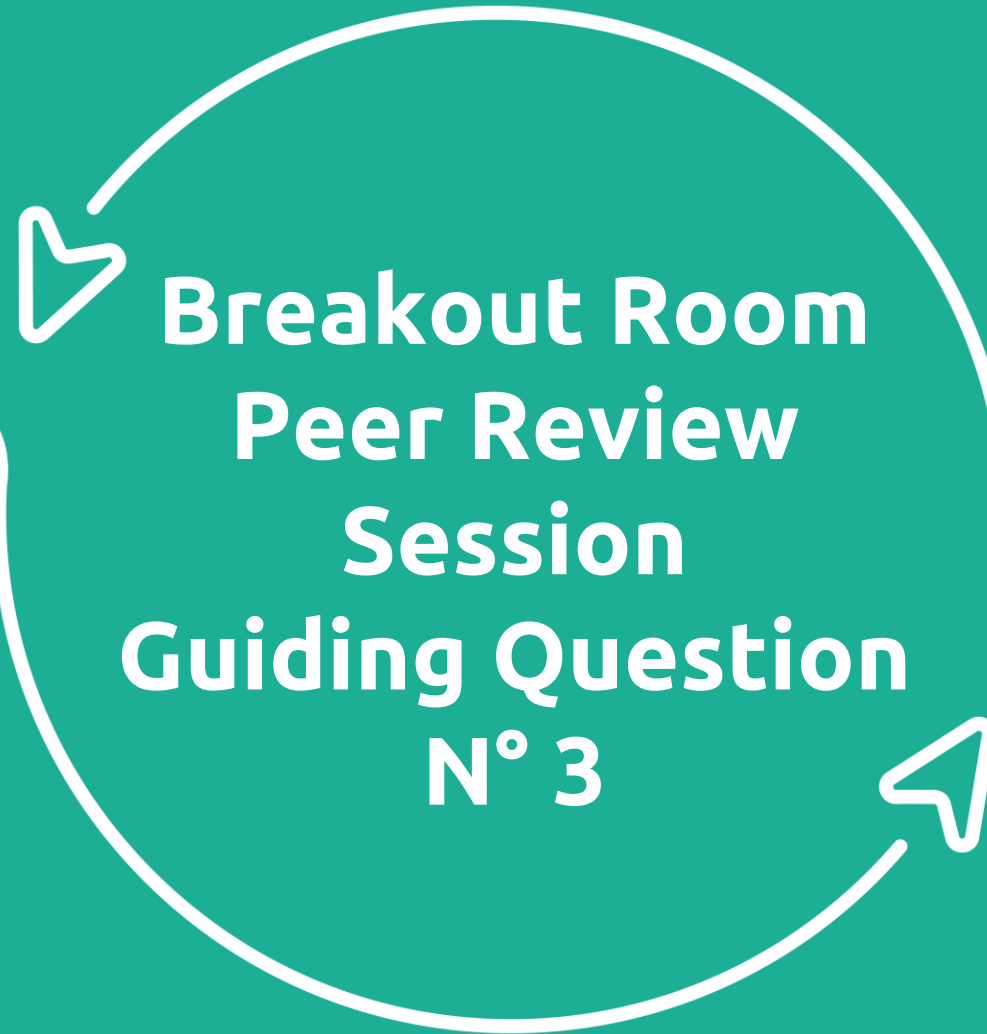




Study Visit  
Debrief  
Time!



**LUNCH**



# Room Allocation

Besaya Area/  
Torrelavega

Stay in Plenary:

**Room A**

(follow Nikos and  
Sandra M)

Balvi

Move to:

**Room B**

(follow Eleni and  
Martina)

Sibiu

Move to:

**Room C**

(follow Martijn and  
Sandra R)

Verona

Move to:

**Room D**

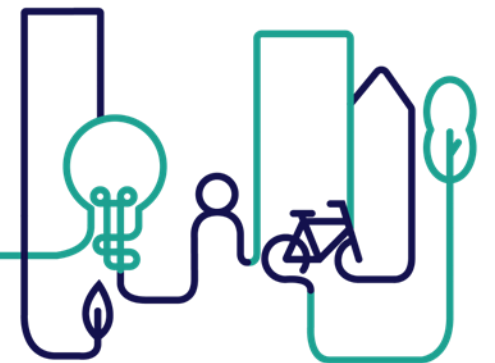
(follow Anamaria  
and Petra)



**CUR Reflections**  
(completed by 17.00)

# CUR Share the Learning in Plenary

- **All back into the Plenary Room at 17.00**
- **CUR be ready to report back on the main actions to take forward to the whole group**





**CUR Report  
Back**

The diagram features a central text element, 'CUR Report Back', enclosed in a circle. Two curved arrows, one teal and one dark blue, form a continuous loop around the text, indicating a cyclical process. The teal arrow starts from the left, curves upwards and to the right, ending with a teal arrowhead pointing towards the top right. The dark blue arrow starts from the right, curves downwards and to the left, ending with a dark blue arrowhead pointing towards the bottom left. The lines for the arrows are thick and smooth.



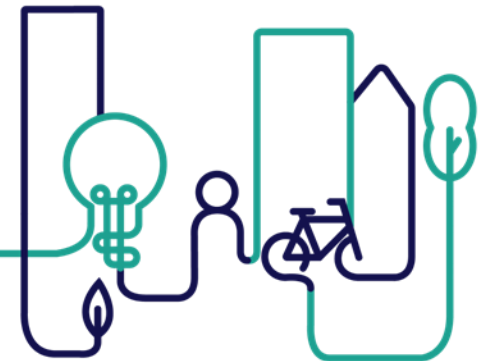
## **Interactive Wrap Up Session**

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# Matchmaking Bingo

## INSTRUCTIONS

TAKE 5 MINUTES TO READ THE GOOD PRACTICES PRESENTED BY THE CITIES IN THE ROOM...then, when instructed:

- Find the person representing the city(ies) you are interested in
- Talk to the people about the Good Practice cases
- Make a note of possible future connections
- Be ready to tell us about your connections

Combining different funds for Mobility and Energy projects Padova (IT)	Citizen Participation for Greening Lorqui (ES)	Sustainable Urban Mobility and Logistics Plans Serres (EL)
Energy Efficiency in Public Buildings Avila (ES)	Youth collaboration through governance and volunteering Balvi (LV)	Community Gardens and Urban Agriculture Rome (IT)
Community collaboration for Cultural Heritage Torrelavaga (ES)	Urban Security Piraeus (EL)	Urban Rural Linkages Jerez de la Frontera (ES)
Urban Data Management Hamburg (DE)	Bike-sharing scheme Igoumenitsa (EL)	Public space and Social Inclusion Venice (IT)
BlueGrowth Initiative, a pioneering program promoting innovation and entrepreneurship in the blue economy sector Piraeus (EL)	New Technologies for Mobility Torrelavega (ES)	Evidence-based strategic planning Volos (EL)

# Feedback on Peer Review

At future EUI Peer Reviews please

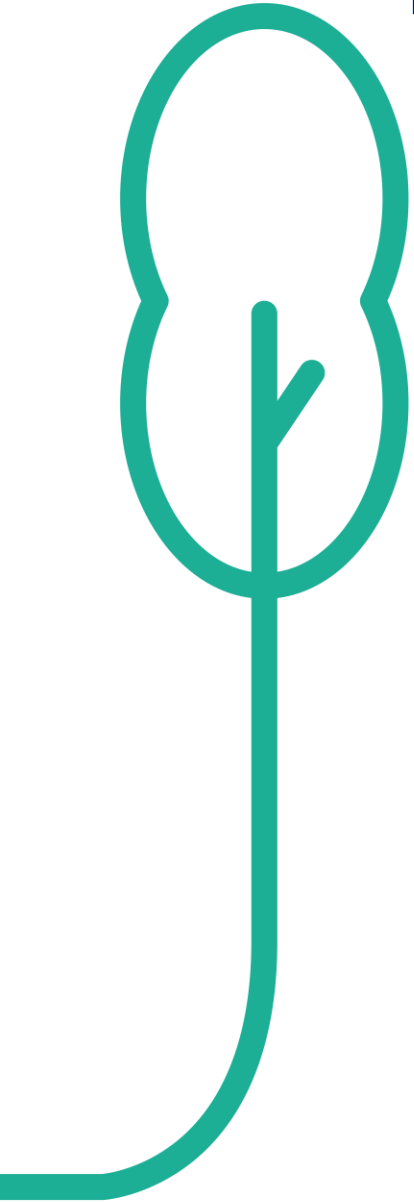
**STOP**

At future EUI Peer Reviews please

**START**

At future EUI Peer Reviews please

**CONTINUE**





**And now  
what...?**

Other capacity building opportunities  
with EUI

# The EUI capacity building trio

**52 approved C2C Exchanges**  
Call continuously open

City-to-city  
exchange

Peer  
review

3 more Peer Reviews this  
semester : Romania, Sweden  
and Italy

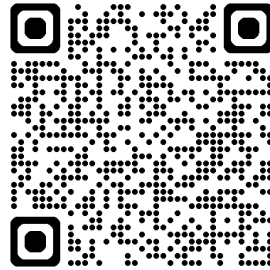
Event

2025: Poland, Latvia, Portugal in preparation



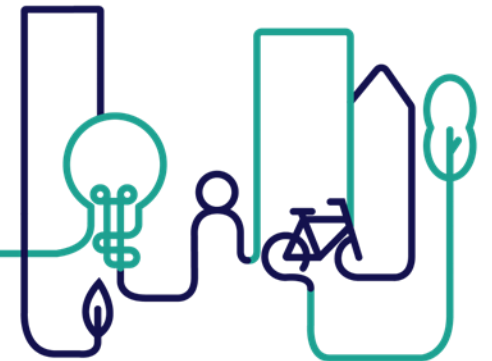
# City-to-City Exchanges in 2025: call open continuously

- **Apply when you need/want! [HERE](#)**
- Evaluations conducted on a rolling basis.



## We are here to help!

- We support past cities under review in applying for a city-to-city exchange! The aim of an exchange is to dig deeper into the recommendations that you received from peers on your specific challenges to further support you in improving your SUD strategy. A city-to-city exchange will allow you to organise study visits with 1 or 2 other cities (the “peers”) and learn more about how they tackled a specific situation. An EUI expert will help you through the process!
- Book a 30-min online meeting with us at [this link](#)
- Not sure who has the solution to the challenge you are facing? Join Portico, try the [Urban Matchmaker](#)



# Events in 2025: focus on national events

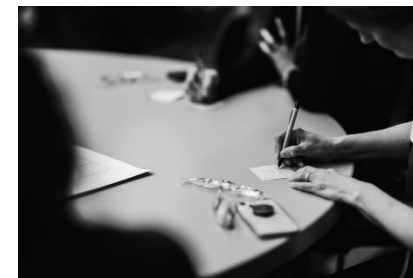
2-3 April 2025  
**Poznan, Poland,**  
"Urban resilience and crisis  
management"



14-15 May 2025,  
**Fundão, Portugal**  
"Intermunicipal cooperation for  
Sustainable Urban Development"



23-24 April 2025  
**Jelgava, Latvia,**  
"Resilience in Sustainable  
Urban Development  
strategies"



17-19 June 2025  
**Krakow, Poland**  
Cities Forum



# Celebrating our peer reviewers

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## CERTIFICATE

EUROPEAN URBAN INITIATIVE - PEER REVIEW

This certificate is presented to **Nuno Pomar** representing **CIM Coimbra** in recognition of their contribution as a peer reviewer in the **EUI Peer Review in Basso Piave Urbano (IT)**, on **4-5 December 2024**.

An EUI peer review is a two-day capacity building event based on peer learning. It focuses on addressing challenges related to the design and implementation of sustainable urban development strategies financed through EU Cohesion Policy.

Their insights, experience, and collaboration have supported **Piave (IT)** in addressing their key urban challenges related to:

- **Boosting efficient governance integration and collaboration between the various local governments**
- **Integrating monitoring into a circular process of assessment**
- **Attracting private and third-sector funding**

Through this participation, the European Urban Initiative recognises their readiness to critically reflect on sustainable urban development practices, and a commitment to fostering mutual learning among European cities.

Date: 06/12/2024

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Tim Caulfield'.

**TIM CAULFIELD**

Director European Urban Initiative  
– Permanent Secretariat



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**Thank you!**



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**Contact us for any questions on EUI  
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