**EUI FOCUSED POLICY LAB**

**Cities for housing – making affordable and social housing work**

18th – 19th November 2025, Fuenlabrada, Spain

## Agenda

Location: [CIFE - Centro de Iniciativas para la Formación y el Empleo](https://www.google.com/maps/place/CIFE+-+Centro+de+Iniciativas+para+la+Formaci%C3%B3n+y+el+Empleo/@40.2974223,-3.8030067,17z/data=!3m2!4b1!5s0xd418b90a66b1029:0xd7c4cc9a17df2474!4m6!3m5!1s0xd418b906ae5bf4d:0x679e19627fa9447b!8m2!3d40.2974223!4d-3.8004318!16s%2Fg%2F11cns6m0_2?entry=ttu&g_ep=EgoyMDI1MTAxNC4wIKXMDSoASAFQAw%3D%3D)

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| **Day 1 – 18th November** | |
| **9:00 – 09:30** | **Welcome coffee and registration** |
| **09:30 – 10:00** | **Opening remarks**  **With:**   * Spanish Minister of Housing and Urban Agenda - Isabel Rodríguez García * Mayor of Fuenlabrada - Francisco Javier Ayala Ortega * European Commission, DG REGIO – (tbc) |
| **10:00 – 10:40** | **Keynote speech**  With:   * Metropolitan Housing Observatory of Barcelona, Javier Burón |
| **10:40 – 11:30** | **Contextual panel: The role of cities in the new Affordable Housing Plans**  With:   * European Commission - DG ENER Deputy Director General– Matthew Baldwin (tbc) * European Investment Bank – Andrea Colantonio, Lead Urban Development Specialist (tbc) * Sostre Cívic – Jose Tellez * New European Bauhaus Facility – (tbc) |
| ***11:30 – 12:00*** | ***Coffee Break*** |
| **12:00 – 13:00** | **Case study pitches: Affordable housing in action**   * Case 1 – Brussels Community Land Trust: Thibault Leroy * Case 2 – Fuenlabrada SHARE project: Patricia Serrano Lopez * Case 3 – Vienna model for affordable housing: Julia Girardi-Hoog |
| ***13:00 – 14:15*** | ***Lunch*** |
| **14:15 – 14:30** | **Introduction to workshops** |
| **14:45 – 17:15** | **Workshops**  **3 parallel workshops on Strand A: Affordable housing from social perspective**   * Workshop 1, with the City of Fuenlabrada, ES * Workshop 2, with the City of Mataró, ES * Workshop 3, with the City of Brussels, BE |
| ***16:15 – 16:45*** | ***Coffee Break*** |
| **16:45 – 17:30** | **Plenary: Wrap up and reporting** |
| **17:30 – 18:30** | **Case studies expo** |
| **19:00 – 21:00** | **Networking dinner** |

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| **Day 2 – 19th November** | |
| **8:45 – 9:15** | **Welcome coffee and registration** |
| **9:15 – 9:30** | **Opening to Day 2 – Introduction to the programme and workshops** |
| **9:30 – 10:00** | **10th Overview of Housing Exclusion in Europe**  A dialogue with Ioana Vlad - FEANTSA |
| **10:00 – 11:30** | **Workshops**  **3 parallel workshops on Strand B: Affordable housing from environmental perspective**   * Workshop 1, with the City of Tallinn, EE * Workshop 2, with the City of Getafe, ES * Workshop 3, with the City of Vaasa, FI |
| ***11:30 – 11:50*** | ***Coffee Break*** |
| **11:50 – 13:15** | **Workshops**  **3 parallel workshops on Strand B: Affordable housing from policymaking perspective**   * Workshop 1, with the City of Thessaloniki, EL * Workshop 2, with the City Garges-lès-Gonesse, FR * Workshop 3, with the City of Vienna, AT |
| ***13:15 – 14:15*** | ***Lunch*** |
| **14:15 – 14:45** | **Plenary: Introduction to site visits and closing remarks** |
| **14:45 – 17:30** | **Site visits in the City of Fuenlabrada**   * EUI – IA SHARE project * VIVIDA from housing to the city: feminist analysis and proposal * Housing Renovation Programme of Fuenlabrada * Urban development and housing strategy |