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## European cities and regions united against climate change

Thematic Conference organised in the framework of the  
**Climate Summit for Local Leaders**

**Paris, 5 December 2015, 9.30 – 12.30**  
**Salle Saint-Jean, Paris City Hall**

### *Draft Agenda*

**9:30-10:00: Registration and Welcome Coffee (30')**

**10:00-10:45: Opening session (45')**

chaired by **Annemarie Jorritsma**, CEMR President and PLATFORMA representative

#### **Statements from:**

- **Patrick Klugman**, Deputy Mayor of Paris, PLATFORMA Spokesperson
- **Kadir Topbas**, Mayor of Istanbul, UCLG President
- **Eckart Würzner**, Mayor of Heidelberg, President Energy Cities
- **Tom Rombouts**, Mayor of 's Hertogenbosch, Chair of the Commission for International Relations of the Association of Netherlands Municipalities
- **Joost Venken**, Deputy Mayor of Hasselt (Belgium) and Climate Alliance Ambassador at COP21
- **Yvan Mayeur**, Mayor of Brussels

**10:45-11:05: The new Covenant of Mayors scenario in Europe and worldwide (20')**

chaired by **Frédéric Vallier**, CEMR Secretary General

- **Beatriz Yordi Aguirre**, Head of Unit Adaptation, DG CLIMA: *"Introduction on the new integrated CoM for climate and energy"*
- **Pedro Ballesteros**, DG ENER: *"Introduction of the Global Covenant of Mayors and EU support to decentralised cooperation"*

**11:05-11:50: Experience from the ground : how to implement climate and energy actions worldwide ? (45')**

chaired by **Patrizio Fiorilli**, PLATFORMA Director

#### **Panel discussion:**

- **Patrizia Gabellini**, Councillor for Environment and Urbanistics of the City of Bologna: *"Integrating Mitigation and Adaptation policies: the case of Bologna"*
- **Janet Sanz**, Deputy Mayor of Barcelona: *"The Compromise of Barcelona for Climate"*
- **Katarina Luhr**, Deputy Mayor of Stockholm: *"Climate and Energy Action and Multi-Level Governance in Stockholm"*

- **Christiane Overmans**, CEMR Vice-President, Member of PLATFORMA Political Council, Councillor of Bonn: *“Cooperation project with Engagement Global”*
- **Diogo Franco**, President of FEAM (environment agency of the State of Minas Gerais, Brasil): French/Brazilian cooperation on climate, follow-up on the Lyon Summit on Climate and Territories

11:50-12:10: **Reactions from the audience** (20')

12:10-12:30: **Wrap-up & conclusions** (20')

- **Sian Reid**, Councillor of Cambridge (UK), CEMR Spokesperson on Climate & Energy
- **Julie Laernoës**, Vice President of Nantes Métropoles, Councillor of Nantes

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