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registration



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Online registration will open on : **15 April 2019**

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10^e 10th Annual Meeting Rencontres



from local to international action

Tuesday 2nd and Wednesday 3rd July 2019 - Cité des Sciences et de l'Industrie - Paris

“Let's develop sustainable territories together”

Invitation



Institutional partners:





The 10th edition of the Meeting of local authorities' international action : let's develop sustainable territories together !

The urgency of an ecological transition for our planet has become a "categorical imperative", as our world is confronted to repeated crises that thrive on the fertile ground of rising inequalities. To face this accumulation of collective challenges, local authorities - being the closest level of governance to citizens - have emerged as the most relevant level to bring innovative and adapted solutions, needed to build a fairer society. For these reasons, local authorities have been recognised as key players in the implementation of Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and of the 2030 Agenda.

In this context, a dialogue between local authorities at the international level, exchanges of good practices, and cooperation programs must be strengthened. In a nutshell: the international action of local authorities (AICT) is an essential part of building a "happier" and fairer globalization, and women, in particular elected women, are crucial actors.

Every year our association organises the «Rencontres», whose main objective is to allow local authorities in France and abroad –small and medium towns to big cities, departments, regions, metropolis, and others- to gather, to share ideas, to pool experiences, to create links as well as cooperation opportunities, to renew the modes of action and innovate in partnerships, or to create new projects.

The 2019 edition is the 10th anniversary of the «Rencontres», and it will be structured around 4 key categories of subjects to initiate and feed the discussion on major themes, for both international and local actions: professional training, apprenticeship and informal training, territorial marketing, land use planning and governance, resilient and sustainable cities, equality between women and men, health, culture, sports and youth, climate...

On this special occasion, we will welcome a wide panel of actors of the international sphere, both from France and abroad, from local authorities to firms, research centres, associations, NGOs... 1,500 visitors from 30 different countries are expected. Many formats will be proposed for the discussions: conferences, plenary session, workshops, CUF's country-groups, micro-workshops, etc. The cocktail in the evening will be the occasion to celebrate elected women.

Take a part in this 10th edition of the Meeting on the international action of local authorities. We will be delighted to meet you there!



Roland Ries
President of
Cités Unies France
Mayor of Strasbourg



- Thematic and geographic plenary conferences
- Thematic workshops
- Geographic workshops
- Meetings of Cités Unies France's Country Groups
- Micro-workshops : "20 minutes to present, convince, spread..."
- Partners' dedicated area : networking, animations, workshops...



SDGs-related themes:

- Session 1: Towards the 2020 France-Africa Summit on sustainable cities: leading local authorities, at the cutting edge, with expertise, the closest to citizens' expectations. Which mobilisation?
- Session 2: Crises, resolution and reconstruction: what space for local authorities and what role / contribution in the emergence of resilient territories?
- Session 3: New legislative context, in France and in Europe: What kind of the international action of local authorities (AICT)? Expectations and needs of local authorities.



Cocktail for the 10th anniversary of the «Rencontres» to highlight the role of elected women, as agents in the fight against inequalities in their territories

