

Friday 31st January 2020, a day where cities and regions meet solutions



To connect solutions with territories, [ChangeNOW](#) organizes a dedicated day for City and Region representatives on **Friday the 31st of January 2020** with the support of **Covenant of Mayors Europe, R20 Regions of Climate Action, Climate-KIC, FMDV and UNESCO.**



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Cities are home to the majority of the world's population. It is here that **innovative solutions needed for a sustainable world** must be developed. ChangeNOW is the place to make it happen!

The program will be personalized to answer to the local issues of every city and region attending the event.



Agenda of the day

8h30 – 9h30	Welcome coffee for the members of the delegation and networking
9h30 – 12h30	<p>Possibility to join any of the following sessions:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Urban biodiversity, how to integrate “the living” into our cities - Sustainable Smart Cities, what type of data makes cities more sustainable - Construction materials and buildings, how to design buildings, and with which innovative materials, to decrease the carbon footprint of housing - Mobility, which solutions can help replace the use of individual cars - Women action and impact, women dedicated to build positive impact solutions - Climathon Global Awards Ceremony organized by EIT Climate-KIC
12h30 – 14h30	<p>Private Lunch and political debate, organized in partnership with FMDV</p> <p>Mayors will exchange and debate on the context and the solutions of developing new financing strategies for their cities: which innovative models and instrument cities have been successfully tested to attract additional capital to drive sustainable public policies? How can cities mobilize their citizens to contribute to finance local development apart from the usual taxes and tariffs?</p>
14h30 – 15h30	<p>Guided Tour at the World Expo of innovations for the planet</p> <p>Focused on each City/Region local issues</p>
15h30 – 17h00	<p>Meeting the best innovations workshop</p> <p>During this workshop City and Region representatives will have the opportunity to meet with innovative entrepreneurs and work together towards building sustainable and resilient cities.</p>
17h00 – 18h00	One-on-One & Bilateral meetings

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ChangeNOW is the world's largest gathering of solutions for the planet. During its 3rd edition **1,000 solutions will be presented to more than 20,000 participants from 100+ countries**. The program includes a variety of formats designed to inspire and showcase concrete and scalable solutions currently available to: protect the ocean, shape sustainable food systems, explore new models of education, protect our biosphere, defend peace and human rights, build sustainable cities, promote behavioral change, generate sustainable energy, and much more.

The goal: to accelerate the development of these solutions and encourage action.