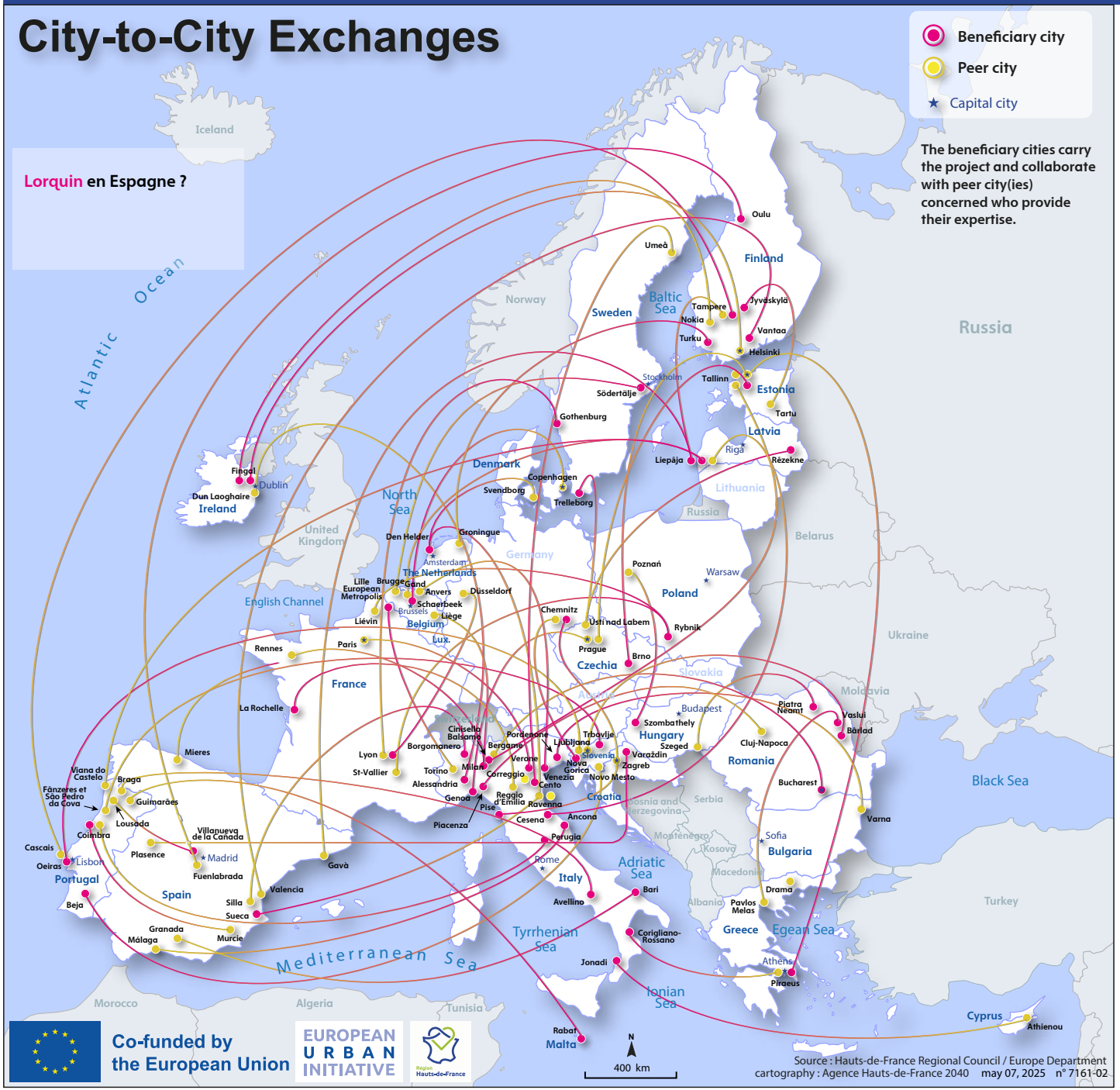
European Urban Initiative

City-to-City Exchanges



The beneficiary cities

State of play at 31 May 2025

Belgium : **Schaerbeek** *Healthy, sustainable, and enjoyable school meals*

Croatia : **Varaždin** *Digital transition in the role of sustainable tourism - Duet*

Czech Republic : **Brno** *Digital transition for functional urban areas*

Estonia : **Tallinn** *Integrating user-centric services, sustainability and innovation in the city strategy*

Finland : **Jyväskylä** *Improved social inclusion via culture*
Oulu *Using co-design with migrants and stakeholders to create greater societal consensus for integration*
Tampere *Climate Change Adaptation*
Turku *Multimodal traffic management : Knowledge exchange of cities of Turku and Groningen*
Vantaa *Learning from innovation ecosystems and physical innovation hubs*

France : **La Rochelle** *Improving Childcare services and early childhood policies for sustainable and inclusive cities*
Lille European Metropolis *Capacity building on urban regeneration and park creation*
Lyon *Training differently to improve public authority efficiency on the sustainable urban development*

Germany : **Chemnitz** *Sustainable cultural tourism strategies for ECoC 2025 : an exchange between Chemnitz and Nova Gorica*

Greece : **Piraeus** *Urban authorities towards digital transition for a sustainable, inclusive, digital, open and smart city*

Hungary : **Szombathely** *Smarter, data-driven and more liveable cities*

Ireland : **Fingal** *Provision of affordable housing by local authorities or subsidiaries using Cost Rental Model*
Fingal *Eco-Hub Exchange ; final learning from Nokia's Eco-Industrial*

Italy : **Alessandria** *Green mobility for sustainable tourism and community participation*
Ancona *Two ports, two stories, two cities*
Avellino *Actions for improving sustainable tourism in a participatory way in the city*
Bari *Strategies for managing overtourism in Bari and Granada*
Borgomanero *Unlocking the potential of a territory of 32 municipalities*
Cento *Transnational Cooperation for a full Gender Integration*
Cesena *Cesena and Liepaja sport cities: sport for urban development*
Cinisello Balsamo *Enhancing Cultural Hubs in Neighborhoods*
Corigliano-Rossano *Ports and seaside for urban transformation*
Genoa *EU cities connect: fostering culture, sustainable tourism and urban development*
Jonadi *Improving SUD strategies through Multi-stakeholder Engagement and Citizens' Participation-ISMECiP*
Milan *School Meals Programmes in Milan, Liège and Rennes*
Perugia *Sustainable Urban Development for University City*
Piacenza *Young talents for Urban Future*
Pise *Sharing expertise in sustainable urban mobility strategies and mobility management around events*
Pordenone *Attracting new talents and becoming a welcoming city for youngsters for study and work*
Venezia *Cycling together: Venice and Antwerp in motion*
Verone *Sport Strategy : from Olympic Games to sport integration in urban policies and neighbourhoods*

Latvia : **Liepāja** *Striving for digitalization and active citizen engagement*
Liepāja *Urban regeneration: learning on introducing principles of new European Bauhaus in project management*
Rēzekne *Elderly empowerment and care exchange*

Malta : **Rabat** *Exploring Alternative Mobility Rewarding as a bridge to Carbon-Zero Communities*

Poland : **Rybnik** *Exchange of experience in the field of transformation of post-mining areas*

Portugal : **Beja** *Strengthening cross-sectoral integration for urban regenaration*
Coimbra *Boosting biowaste management towards circular economy*
Oeiras *Be path cities, creating cities that are good for pollinators and therefore good for people*

Romania : **Piatra Neamt** *Urban Mobility implementation and infrastructure development*
Bucarest *Exchange on developing a local food strategy for Bucharest district 6 for Bergamo*
Vaslui *Exchange: Sharing expertise in selective sorting - Learning from Pavlos Melas recycling journey*
Bârlad *Sharing Expertise in mobility and urban regeneration*

Slovenia : **Trbovlje** *Exchanging experience in culture & sustainable tourism between cities with a similar mining history*
Nova Gorica *Enhancing risk preparednes, Climate change mitigation & Community safety in the light of the ECoC 2025*

Spain : **Sueca** *How redevelop industrial areas into new creative and vibrant urban spaces*
Villanueva de la Cañada *Maximising EU opportunities for Sustainable Urban Development*
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Sweden : **Trelleborg** *Empowering participation budgets & information sharing*
Södertälje *How Brygge solving climadaptation, concerning graywater and cloudburst problem, and using NBS*
Gothenburg *Space to grow: Designing a city for future generations*

The Netherlands : **Den Helder** *Building blocks for the area-oriented approach to quality of life and safety in vulnerable areas*