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# 11<sup>TH</sup> EUROPEAN URBAN AND REGIONAL PLANNING AWARDS 2015-2016

## CALL FOR ENTRIES & INFORMATION BROCHURE

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## Jury composition:

President of the Jury:

**Petter Wiberg**, ECTP-CEU – Norway

### Members:

**Hella Dunger-Löper**, Plenipotentiary of the Land of Berlin for Federal and European Affairs, Representative of the Committee of the Regions and the Commission for Territorial Cohesion Territorial Cohesion Policy, Germany

**Isabelle Maës**, Policy Officer European Commission DG Mobility and Transport (MOVE), Europe

**Pirouz Nourian**, Lecturer & Researcher of Urban Design Informatics at TU Delft, Faculty of Architecture and the Built Environment, the Netherlands

**Isabel Girault**, Directrice Générale de l'Office de l'urbanisme de la République et du Canton de Genève, Switzerland

**Hugh Ellis**, Spatial Planner from TCPA, United Kingdom

**Dominique Lancrenon**, ECTP-CEU Secretary General, France

## Selection process and criteria

### 3 categories of entries are considered:

1. Strategic Planning
2. Smart mobility within cities and territories
3. Energy efficiency and spatial planning

ECTP-CEU recommends first having your entry analysed by the national spatial planning association of your country who then endorse it.

Deadline of reception of all entries: **31 March 2016**.

Entries should be sent to ECTP-CEU in electronic format: [secretariat@ectp-ceu.eu](mailto:secretariat@ectp-ceu.eu)

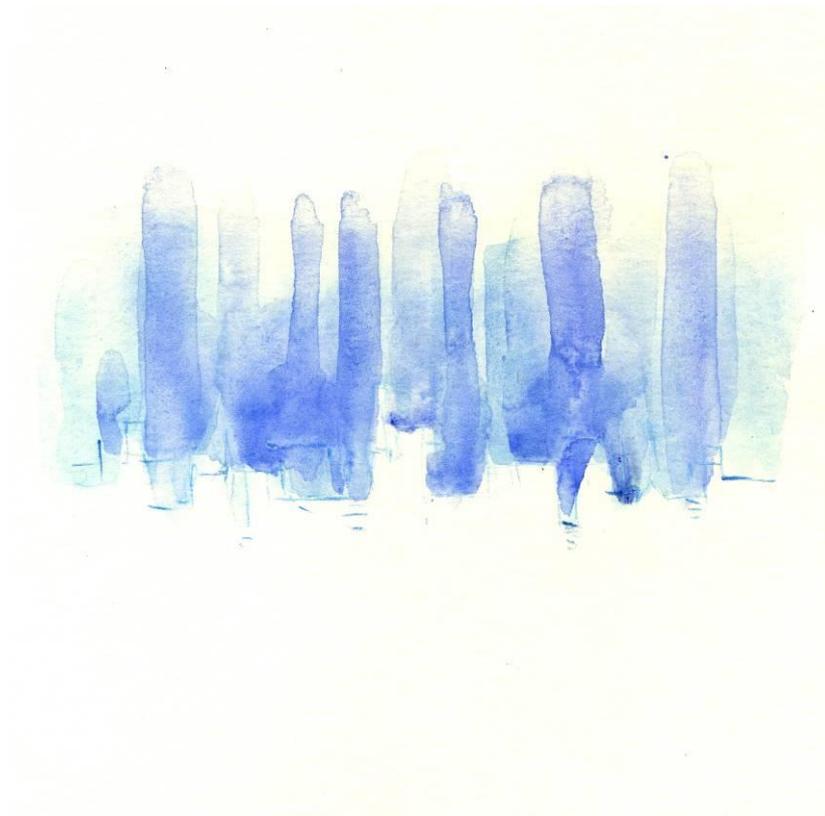
The Celebration Ceremony takes place at the Committee of the Regions (Brussels) late spring 2016

**For each category:**

1. Strategic Planning
2. Smart mobility within cities and territories
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<b>1-Strategic Planning</b>	<b>2- Smart mobility within cities and territories</b>	<b>3- Energy efficiency and spatial planning</b>
<b><i>CONTENT</i></b>		
<p>Quality and innovation in the Planning process between achievements and goals.</p> <p>How hurdles were overcome during the process.</p> <p>Adapting to planning policies and citizen participation development leading to better efficiency in the planning process.</p> <p>Demonstrating strategic planning efficiency enhancing economic development in and quality of life for the whole community.</p>	<p>Demonstrating the role of spatial planning in enhancing accessibility within cities and territories.</p> <p>Enhancing opportunities for pedestrian, cyclists and public transport.</p> <p>Enhancing energy efficiency and better public spaces sharing.</p> <p>Enhancing real innovations or new insights with real alternatives to get away from conventional traffic management.</p>	<p>Demonstrate the role of spatial planning in proactively supporting the uptake/ deployment of renewable/ sustainable energy solutions through embedding climate-change mitigation into decisions.</p> <p>Quality of integration between energy, management and planning.</p>
<p>Application of sustainable development principles; development and delivery of sustainable solutions; enhancement of the environment and any recognisable social and economic benefits in terms of human well-being or greater efficiency.</p>		
<p>The originality and innovation in terms of; new methods and approaches, planning funding, participation in the integration of planning policies and delivery and sustainable solutions (methods).</p>		

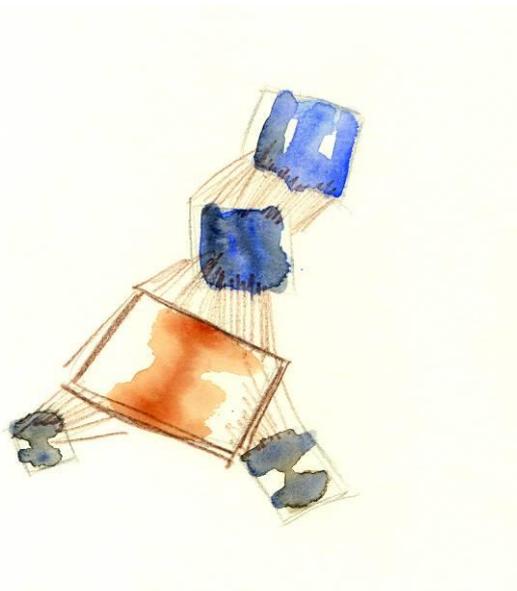
<b><i>SKILLS</i></b>
The quality of the professional work involved in design, communication, cooperation, development of planning concepts or in the application of planning techniques directly related to creating sustainable efficiency.
<b><i>REFERENCE TOOL</i></b>
The extent to which the scheme may serve as a transferable knowledge to other plans elsewhere (in the same country or across Europe), or as a base for the development of further related schemes.
The effective involvement of town planners to involve young planners in the project and demonstrate the added value brought to the project by doing so.
The effective engagement by town planners with community groups, politicians and local stakeholders leading to better awareness and support for sustainable development.



## Entry Requirements:

Each entry should include:

1. A detailed written description of the entry in English and in French. The description must be no longer than four A4 pages (in each language) including the title, tables and references.
2. Electronic versions of two A1 colour panels, providing a clear explanation, detailed location and illustration in English. High quality print versions are required.
3. All material (electronic versions of the A1 panels, written descriptions, all info) should be placed in a downloadable zip file and the web address (url) provided at submission. Sending by 'wetransfer' is also accepted.
4. The Submission Form, containing:
  - a. All project information
  - b. A named contact (with contact details) for the planners - the team or the team leader - responsible for the planning input into the selected project; a named contact for the local authority or agency which financed/commissioned the work; and the name of the chief officer (eg chief executive or mayor) and the chief planning officer
  - c. An summary expert CV
  - d. A summary description of the project
  - e. Information about any young planners (aged 37 or less) who were involved
5. The bank evidence of the entry fees.



## **Deadline:**

All entries must be received by **31<sup>st</sup> March 2016**.

The Awards are open to spatial planners and municipalities from the 47 European Countries of the Council of Europe.

## **Entry Fee:**

The Entry fee to the 11th European Urban and Regional Planning Awards varies depending if it is sent directly or if it is endorsed by an ECTP-CEU member (national spatial planner association).

If sent directly: 500,00 €

If endorsed by an ECTP-CEU member: 250,00 €

Any endorsement from the ECTP-CEU member relevant national spatial planning association should be included in the Submission form or confirmed by email exchange.

The payment should be made by bank transfer to:

Bank Name: ING Banque  
Account number (IBAN): BE56 3100 0708 1288  
Account name: Conseil Européen des Urbanistes  
BIC code: BBRUBEBB



## The Awards

ECTP-CEU will present Certificates of Achievement to the winners. Awards will be given to those entries considered outstanding according to the assessment criteria. The Awards will be made to the authority or body responsible for the commissioning or production of the scheme and to the professional planners involved.

The Award ceremony will take place late July 4th 2016. The ECTP-CEU and the Committee of Regions will ensure a large media coverage for this event and of its winners.

Each winner will have his or her project published in the newsletter of the Committee of Regions.

The ownership of results of the awards shall lie with the ECTP-CEU and their publication shall be exclusively managed by the executive committee of the ECTP-CEU.

## Further Information

For further information about past awards, and for nomination forms, please contact the national spatial planning organisations that are members of ECTP-CEU.

Addresses to be found at: [www.ectp-ceu.eu](http://www.ectp-ceu.eu)

ECTP-CEU e-mail: [secretariat@ectp-ceu.eu](mailto:secretariat@ectp-ceu.eu)

## Statutes

Approved by (Belgian) Royal Decree 8 March 1988 Modified by the General Assembly 24 October 2008

CHAPTER 1: NAME, OFFICE, OBJECTIVE, DURATION

ARTICLE 1: In accordance with the law of 2 May 2002, the international association with a scientific purpose 'Conseil Européen des Urbanistes - European Council of Town Planners' whose Statutes were approved by Royal Decree on 8 March 1988 is transformed into an «association internationale sans but lucratif» [international not-for-profit association] entitled:

ECTP - CEU EUROPEAN COUNCIL OF SPATIAL PLANNERS - CONSEIL EUROPÉEN DES URBANISTES (aisbl)

ARTICLE 3: The association, which is devoid of any profit motive, has the objective of collecting, studying and promulgating information related to the exercise of the profession of planner in the Member States of the Council of Europe and across their Institutes and Associations, the defence of the rights of planners and research into a definition of their obligations.

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