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Get ready for LUCI AGM Tartu

Key event of the LUCI calendar and the only international forum for cities on urban lighting, the **LUCI Annual General Meeting** (AGM) will be hosted by the City of Tartu (Estonia) on **27-30 October 2021**. It will feature conferences, panel discussions, and open conference sessions in a new hybrid online+onsite format. More details coming soon!

Explore Seoul's media facades in next LUCI Coffee Bre@k

How does the City of Seoul manage and curate its many media facades? Find out in the next LUCI Coffee Bre@k on 17 June 2021 on "Creative lighting in Seoul: managing and curating media facades". Don't miss this LUCI members-only online session!

Register for it here >>

City of Pessac joins LUCI

The City of Pessac in the urban area of Bordeaux in south-west France has just joined the LUCI network. The municipality aims to manage its 10 000 lighting points in the most optimised manner to fight against light pollution and energy waste.

CITIES IN ACTION

Light sketching in Eindhoven

LUCI members learnt about a new tool, currently being tested in Eindhoven, that aims to help find a balance between conflicting lighting demands (for humans and for nature) in urban green spaces. The City of Eindhoven and designer Philip Ross presented the Light Sketching system and its initial results so far.

LUCI members can see the replay on the LUCI Hub >>



The night is beautiful in Geneva

The City of Geneva celebrated the second edition of "La nuit est belle!" ("The Night is Beautiful") on 21 May. Launched in 2019, this initiative celebrates the darkness by inviting municipalities in the Greater Geneva region to switch off their public lighting for one night.

Read more >>











Call for projects: Vinterljus Linköping

You have only a few days left to propose a project for the Vinterljus (Winter Light) taking place on 13 December 2021 - 9 January 2022 in Linköping, Sweden. With this year's theme, "Harmony", artists are invited to illuminate the municipality's main public park with engaging and creative artworks. Deadline: 31 May 2021. Get more details >>

Attend webinar on creating a smart lighting system

Want to know more about implementing smart urban lighting? Join the webinar "Creating a smart light system: lessons learned from the SMART-SPACE project" on **3 June 2021** (10-11:30 CEST). This is the third of a series of free webinars organised by the project to help cities learn more about the potential of smart public lighting. Register here >>

Open call for abstracts on light for health & wellbeing

Researchers are invited to send abstracts for the international conference on "Shaping light for health and wellbeing in cities" organised by the ENLIGHTENme project online on 16-17 December 2021. The virtual event will bring together representatives from academia, industry and local administration from across Europe for discussions around latest findings on urban lighting in relation to citizen's health and wellbeing. Abstract deadline: 4 October 2021. More information here >>

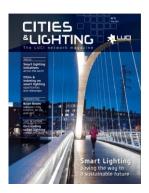
LUCI Quiz

Which French city is the latest to experiment with phosphorescent marking of cycling paths?

See the answer here >>

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From CITIES & LIGHTING



Coming next month: Cities & Lighting magazine n°9

Focusing on "Smart Lighting – paving the way to a sustainable future", the 9th issue of the Cities & Lighting magazine will be in your hands next month! It will also include perspectives on light in changing times and cocreation during COVID-19.

Stay tuned!



Re-watch the Lyon Light Festival Forum 2020!

SEEN IN THE NEWS

Dutch city gets GDPR fines for Wi-Fi counters

The Dutch Data Protection Authority (DPA) has fined the City of Enschede €600 000 for its use of Wi-Fi sensors to measure the number of people in the city centre. It is understood to be the first time the regulator has imposed a fine on a government body under the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR).

Read the article here

Solar streetlighting in Jinja City, Uganda

Jinja City in Uganda is the latest city in sub-Saharan Africa to embrace solar-powered street illumination. See the article here

Calendar

Next LUCI Coffee Bre@k

17 June 2021 - Online

LUCI Annual General Meeting Tartu

27-30 October 2021

See the complete calendar here



The City of Guangzhou (China)

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