



LUCI Annual General Meeting 2022 in Busan is around the corner! 📅 19-22 October

The next LUCI AGM under the theme **Exploring the Future of Urban Lighting** starts on 19 October! For those who wish to watch the event from afar, be sure to register to get a link of the livestream ([live from Korea Standard Time, check your timezone!](#)). Recordings of most sessions will be available on the [LUCI Hub](#) after the event for LUCI Members only. [Register here to access the livestream >>](#)



Lyon Light Festival Forum 2022 - Register now - 📅 8-9 December

In conjunction with Lyon's world-renowned *Fête des Lumières* and in partnership with the City of Lyon, LUCI Association organises the **Lyon Light Festival Forum (LLFF)**. Cities and lighting professionals from around the world are invited to discuss and debate about new forms of creative lighting. Join us on **8 – 9 December 2022 in Lyon**. Check out [programme updates here](#) and be sure to [register here >>](#)



Beacon of Hope inaugurated in Jyväskylä, Finland 🌟

Beacon of Hope was inaugurated on 29 September in the **City of Light event** in Jyväskylä! A “ribbon weaving dance” workshop took place with 40 local participants, including artist Craig Morrison. Beacon of Hope is designed to be **created by the local people**, made from **sustainably sourced materials**, and enhanced by local artists and creative community. Beacon of Hope next destination is **GLOW** Festival in Eindhoven and Lyon for the **Fête des Lumières**.

[Discover Beacon of Hope - an international light art co-creation >>](#)



LUCI Charter on Urban Lighting - 12th Anniversary 🏰

While we are celebrating the LUCI 20 years anniversary, the **15th of September 2022** marked the 12th anniversary of the LUCI Charter on Urban Lighting! The Network is now collectively working towards the “**Declaration on the Future of Urban Lighting**” to be launched early 2023. Stay tuned & [read the LUCI Charter here >>](#)



Welcome to our new City member 🖐️

Situated in the South of France, **Montpellier Méditerranée Métropole** regroups 31 member municipalities. The Metropolis counts over 470.000 inhabitants. [Discover LUCI City Members >>](#)



Welcome to the LUCI Team, Jasmine! 🖐️

We are excited to welcome **Jasmine van der Pol** to develop and support knowledge exchange within the LUCI network. One of her main missions is to coordinate the LUCI contribution to the [ENLIGHTENme project](#) (Health & wellbeing in Urban Lighting). With her **deep expertise in the field of lighting**, she will also bring strong added value to our Working Groups and support LUCI's events and activities. [Get to know more about Jasmine! >>](#)

CALLS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Call for Artists - Leipzig light festival

For the 35th anniversary of the Peaceful Revolution on October 9, 2024, the Leipzig light festival is looking for outdoor artistic projects to be presented along Leipzig's inner-city ring road. Application deadline is January 31st, 2023. [More info >>](#)



Open Call for partners - Oulu 2026

The Oulu 2026 organisation is offering an opportunity in autumn 2022 for partners to become part of the capital of culture programme. This Open Call is specifically aimed at large-scale projects that can include light art and international partners. [More info >>](#)



CITIES IN ACTION

“La nuit est belle” on September 23rd 2022

This initiative aims to raise awareness about the consequences of light pollution. Hundreds of municipalities from Greater Geneva and beyond, including City of Lyon and its metropolis, switched off public lighting. Citizens were also invited to turn off their lights for this occasion! [Discover more here >>](#)



LUCI Quiz

When did the City of Lyon start to re-design their Lighting Plan? (We suggest you to dig in the Coffee Bre@k presentation recording ;-))

[See the answer here >>](#)

SEEN IN THE NEWS

New road lighting in Gladsaxe developed for bats

The reason for the special focus on bats is that research indicates that lighting affects the behaviour of this species. The City of Gladsaxe has carefully selected the lights so that it disturbs the bats and thus biodiversity as little as possible.

[Read more on gladsaxe.dk \(DK\) >>](#)

What can you do to reduce light pollution?

Local measures will cut down on light pollution but some worry that could make cities less safe. Pushed by a looming energy crisis, cities across Europe are switching off the lights.

[Read more on latimes.com >>](#)



CALENDAR

[LUCI 20 Years Gathering: Annual General Meeting Busan](#)

19-22 October 2022 - Busan, South Korea

[LUCI Coffee Bre@k](#)

The Art of Light, artistic research in progress

17 November 2022 - Online
(For LUCI Members only)

[Lyon Light Festival Forum](#)

8-9 December 2022 - Lyon, France

[LUCI Annual General Meeting 2023](#)

1-4 March 2023 - Jyväskylä, Finland

[And more to come...](#)

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