



Scalable Cities

MY Smart Life Final Event Scalable Cities community

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What is Scalable Cities?

Scalable cities is a joint city-led initiative of the European Commission and smart city experts whose goal is to support the Smart Cities and Communities Project Cluster of projects with the aim to create an innovative, sustainable and citizen-led community of smart cities in Europe and beyond by networking and connecting all stakeholders and guide them towards Europe-wide replication, improving the overall performance, and contributing to the creation of a joint smart cities marketplace in Europe.

More info here → <https://smart-cities-marketplace.ec.europa.eu/scalable-cities>



What is Scalable Cities?

European Commission
CINEA & DG ENER

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Expectations from EC

**Hybrid outcome-driven
collaboration**

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Bottom-up strategic steering

**Board of Coordinators
& Task groups**

Three objectives

Develop knowledge transfer

Foster upscaling & replication
through financial engagement

Increase outreach of projects

Portfolio of services

Expert studies & publications

Peer-to-peer learning

Screening of Smart Cities development

Scalable Cities Action Grant

City Coordinators Group

Mapping demand across cities

Roadshows & financial support

Joint events

Branding & joint communication



Cities

Lighthouse cities

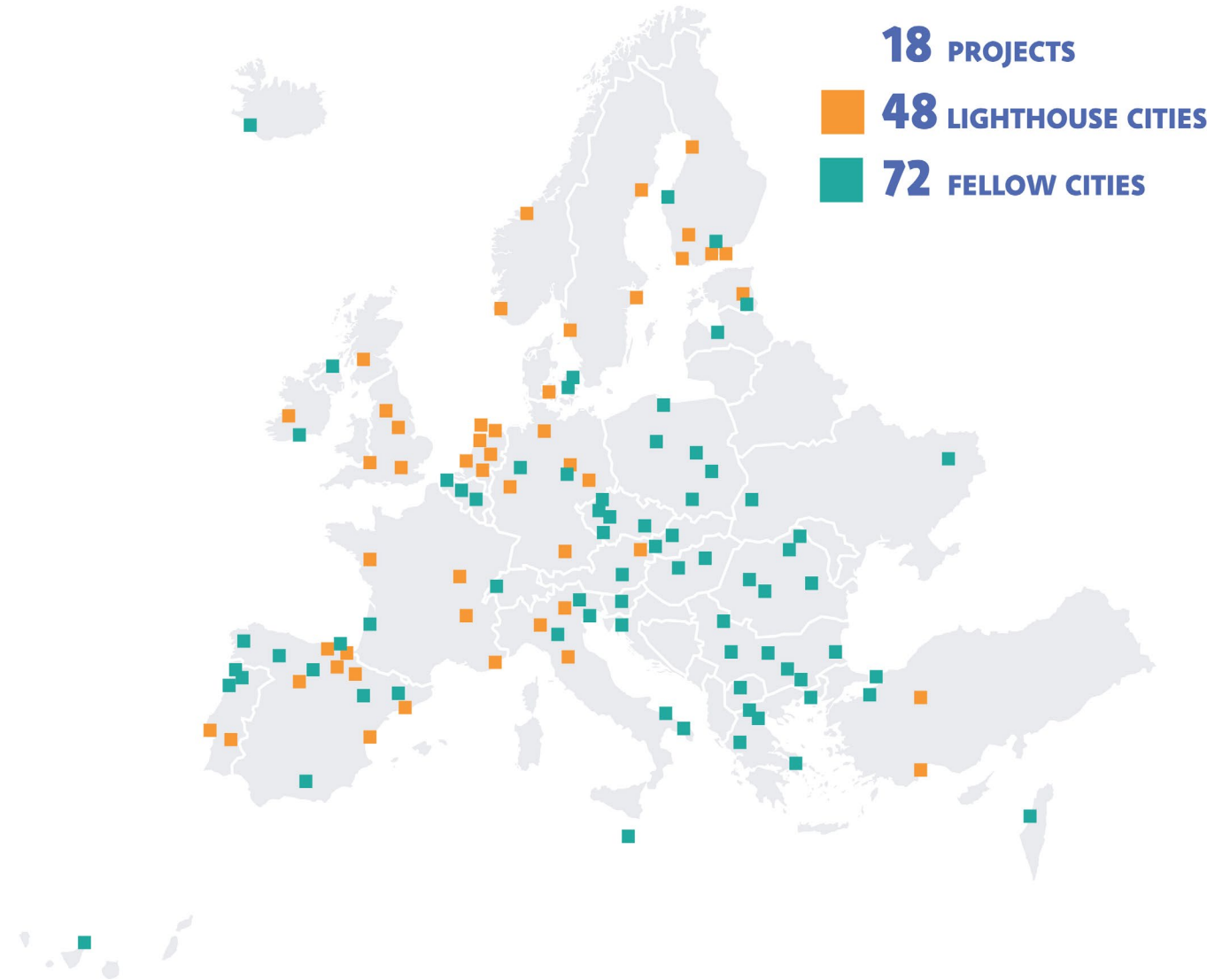
- Key cities that are piloting and deploying the most advanced and innovative solutions.

Fellow cities

- Cities that follow the lead of Lighthouse cities and engage in replication of already deployed solutions.















Outcomes

- 550 solutions demonstrated or under demonstration
- 421 M€ of EU Grant





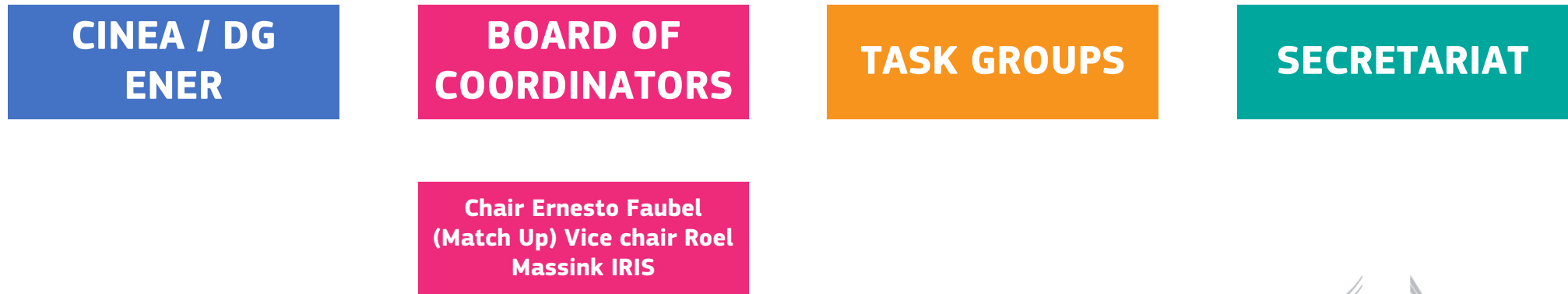
Projects

2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020
  	   	 	  	 	  	



The Governance

Scalable Cities is governed and coordinated by decision-making, implementation, and support bodies in order to create a transparent, fair and effective organizational model and processes delivering and achieving specific goals and missions.





The Governance

Task Groups / TGs

- working groups implementing decisions made by coordinators from each project.
- carry out decision-making processes and implement their choices while still adhering to the strategic guidelines of BoC.

**REPLICATION
(ATELIER)**

**COMMUNICATION &
DISSEMINATION**
Secretariat

**BUSINESS MODELS &
FINANCING**
Secretariat

**MONITORING &
EVALUATION**
Sparcs

**CITY COORDINATORS
GROUP**
Energy Cities



The Scalable Cities Secretariat

Our mission

- Providing **support for joint actions** led by the Scalable Cities community on behalf of the European Commission / CINEA
- Delivering **concrete outcomes** to the European Commission / CINEA

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Information on the different services are available on our website:

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Upcoming

- Barcelona Smart City Expo World Congress: Scalable Cities leading the coordination of the European Smart cities initiatives and projects (29 in total)
- State of the European Smart cities: joint publication with the 18 SCC projects, including upcoming papers on *Systematic Changes in Governance and Innovative Financial Schemes*
- Action Grant: selection of the proposals on going
- P2P (*see next slide*)
- Next joint event : March 2023 under the joint lead of Making cities and MatchUp



Peer-to-Peer Learning

Three P2P activities

More info here → <https://smart-cities-marketplace.ec.europa.eu/scalablecitiesp2learningprogramme>

Demand-driven

Expert Reviews

- **Cities** will get **expert advice** on **strategic documents** from external experts.
- Through the input/ review the city will receive a range of views and the best advice possible
- **Online format.**

Demand-driven

Expert Missions

- Cities can receive expert advice on a specific challenge, project or initiative.
- Up to **two experts** will be employed to visit the city and have an in-depth discussion with city.
- The duration of the activity in the city can **last up to 3 days.**

supply-oriented

Site Visits

- Cities can participate in peer-exchange activities visiting a Host City with experience on a topic.
- **Up to 5 visitor city representatives** will travel to a host city, with the goal to get firsthand insights and build their network.
- The duration of the activity in the city is **3 days.**

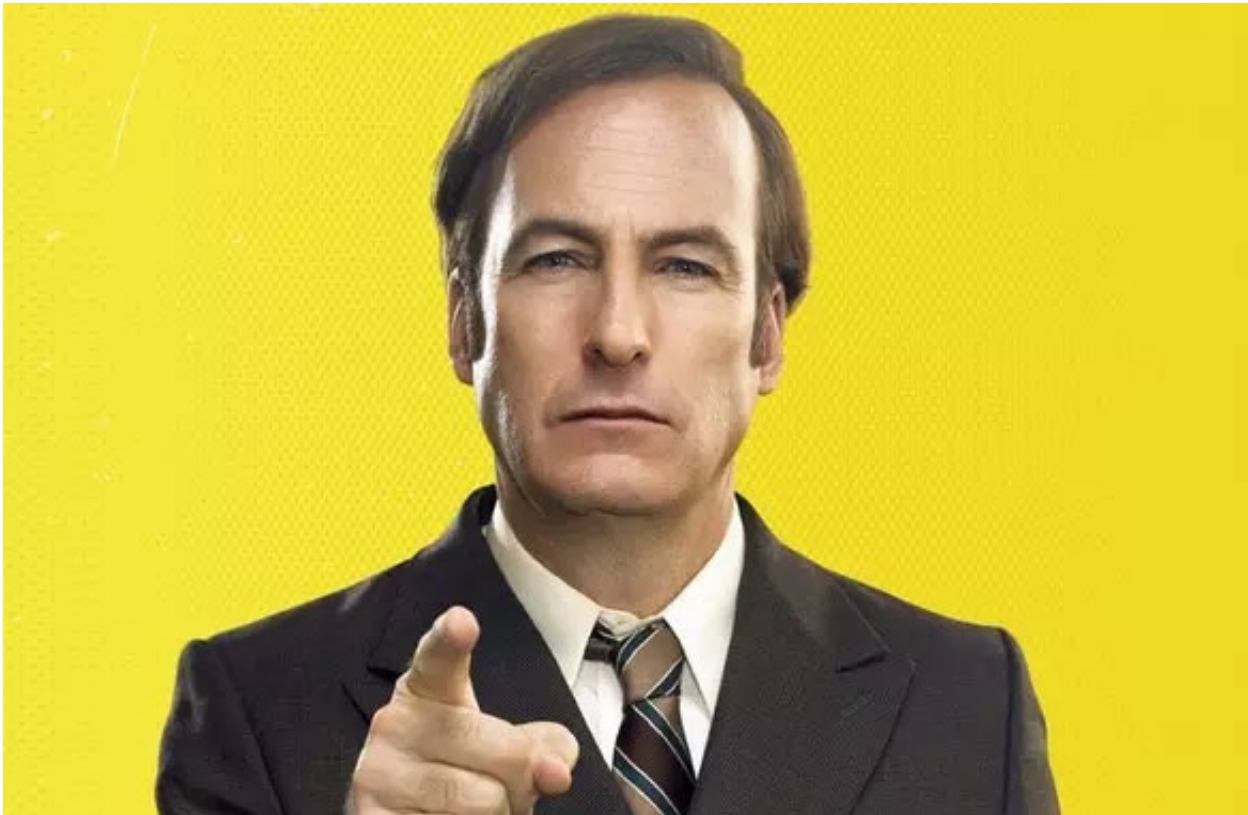
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