



The 2006 CIVITAS Forum



The CIVITAS Forum 2006 will be hosted by the Spanish city of Burgos on 25–27 September 2006. This year's CIVITAS Forum will again bring together the CIVITAS Community for an annual meeting. Cities are the centres of Europe's economy, but are faced with ever increasing transport problems. Innovative solutions for urban transport are required, and CIVITAS is central to a reorientation of urban transport policy for cities. Therefore this year's Forum is entitled: "Cities in Motion: Towards a New Role for Cities in European Transport Policy".

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European Commission announces possible new CIVITAS call



During a meeting of the CIVITAS Policy Advisory Committee on 30 May 2006 in Göteborg, Sweden, the European Commission announced that it is considering to launch a new call for proposals under the CIVITAS Initiative late 2006, early 2007.

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Malmö LBC wins award for security, quality and environment through CIVITAS SMILE



Photo: Malmö LBC

The city of Malmö and Malmö Lorry Central, LBC, cooperates in the CIVITAS SMILE project, focusing on the creation of a better traffic environment in Malmö, Sweden. In April 2006 Malmö LBC got awarded as the first Lorry Central in Sweden for their ambitious work in security, quality and environment.

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Tallinn and Malmö working jointly together towards tomorrow's public transport



Photo: Daniel Nilsson

Within CIVITAS SMILE, Tallinn and Malmö follow each others measures to exchange experiences in the best way and also avoid each others mistakes. To achieve this, measure leaders from the different projects will meet up several times during the project to exchange information.

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CIVITAS SMILE cities attend a workshop on how to run a successful transport awareness raising campaign



No matter how many new public transport initiatives are implemented, their impact will be minimal if the public is not aware of them and if they are not promoted effectively. With this message in mind, Transport & Travel Research Ltd organised a training workshop for the CIVITAS SMILE cities on 7 June 2006. The target audience were the Local Dissemination Managers for those cities, whose role is to promote the CIVITAS transport initiatives in their cities to their citizens.

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CIVITAS CARAVEL Political Meeting



On the 5 and 6 of June 2006, the Mayors of the cities of Genoa, Burgos, Kraków and Stuttgart, as the political leaders of the CIVITAS CARAVEL Project, have met in Kraków in order to sign the CIVITAS CARAVEL Accord 2006 Creating Consensus for Clean Access.

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Krakow: Bike meets bus!



On Friday, 7 July 2006 the CIVITAS CARAVEL measure „New Leisure Related Mobility Services” was officially opened by MPK, the local public transport operator, in Krakow. 15 new bike carry facilities were installed on buses. Additionally a detailed map of Krakow was published showing the bus lines on which the new service will be offered.

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Burgos has inaugurated the Bicycle Renting System!



Local and Regional Politicians attended the inauguration of “BiCiBUR”, the completely new bicycle renting system in the region of Burgos. This initiative is part of the CIVITAS CARAVEL project.

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CIVITAS SUCCESS political meeting in Preston



The 2nd political committee meeting of CIVITAS SUCCESS took place in Preston on 29 March 2006. The importance of a strong cooperation on the political level was intensely discussed. It will ensure that the main CIVITAS objectives and EU policies in relation to transport and environment are appropriately considered.

Preston / CIVITAS SUCCESS / Milena Perpelea / 2006-09-08

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The European Mobility Show



The European Mobility Show was held in Paris in June 2006. On the stand of the partner Tisséo SMTC, the CIVITAS MOBILIS consortium presented their project to a wide audience of public transport actors. A highlight was the meeting between Mr. Jean-Luc Moudenc, Mayor of Toulouse and President of Tisséo-SMTC and Mr. Jacques Barrot, Vice-President of the European Commission in charge of transport.

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