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# ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING MONTPELLIER | FRANCE

24-26 APRIL 2024

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# Join us in the radiant city of Montpellier!



We are delighted to invite the LUCI network to Montpellier for its Annual General Meeting. The 7<sup>th</sup> largest city in France is a dynamic, innovative city where culture plays an important role. That's why we have joined forces with 154 local authorities to apply to become the European Capital of Culture in 2028.

Montpellier is also known and recognised for its university teaching quality and world-class research ecosystem. Montpellier is a city steeped in history yet deeply committed to the future – a future built around the ecological transition of its territory. On December 21, 2023, at 7 p.m., Montpellier will become the largest European metropolis to provide free public transport for its inhabitants.

In Montpellier, we are also working on lighting and darkness policies in a cross-cutting way to understand various issues better. We must consider environmental issues such as reducing energy consumption and protecting biodiversity. As we develop dark infrastructures, we will reduce our carbon footprint and protect nature. Finally, the aesthetics of the city are of paramount importance when it comes to the lighting equipment in the public realm.

We are therefore delighted to invite you to LUCI's annual meeting to address the link between urban lighting and environmental issues through conferences, debates, and practical exercises.

*See you in Montpellier  
on April 24, 25, and 26, 2024!*

## Michaël Delafosse

Mayor of Montpellier  
President of Montpellier  
Mediterranean Metropolis

**Montpellier** is pleased to invite you to a sensory experience: tours, exhibitions, debates, board games, conferences, tastings... There will be something for everyone!

With its Lighting Plan, the Metropolis of Montpellier is committed to both sustainability and luminous aesthetics. That's why we invite you to reflect on preserving the sky and the environment while enhancing our quality of life.

We will work, study, and plan concrete cases to stimulate your brainpower during these spring days. Exchanging experiences, ideas, and themes will enrich us with your skills and knowledge.

We need you and look forward to meeting and exchanging with you soon in Montpellier.



## Clare Hart

Vice President of Montpellier  
Mediterranean Metropolis for  
International Outreach and  
European Cooperation



## Bruno Paternot

Municipal and Metropolitan  
Delegate Councillor  
Lighting Aesthetics, Sound  
Atmosphere, and Quality of  
the Visual Environment

# SAVE THE DATE AND EXPERIENCE THE TRANSFORMATION!

## Montpellier's Lighting Vision

**DISCOVER** Montpellier's new public lighting strategy, striking a balance between safety, economy, aesthetics, community, and the environment.

**PARTICIPATE** in the "work in progress" as Montpellier transforms its nightscape with a "less, yet better and marvellous" approach.

## Tackling Light Pollution

**ENGAGE** in global discussions to understand and prevent sky glow, build strategies to preserve biodiversity, and develop dark infrastructures.

**SHARE** good practices to address all forms of light pollution in collaboration with relevant stakeholders, including the private sector.



After Tartu (Estonia) in 2021, Busan (South Korea) in 2022, and Jyväskylä (Finland) in 2023, the LUCI Annual General Meeting 2024 takes place in Montpellier (France).

This key event of the LUCI calendar is designed for urban lighting professionals from cities across the world to exchange experiences and learn from each other.



### More information

- Free participation for LUCI members (accommodation included)
- 400 euros for non-LUCI members (accommodation not included)

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