UCLG working group

Task Force on Territorial Prevention and Management of crisis

Agenda

Strasbourg, 23th of May

13h30-17h00

Session I: 13h30 -15h30

- Quick round table:
  - Recap on the Task Force past activities
  - Round table on the current key project develop by members on the field of territorial prevention and management of crisis
- Define the agenda for 2018:
  - Key activities and deliverables to promote (some ideas):
    - Straighten the working group membership: activities to engage with uclg regional sections: seminars;
    - Define a uclg protocol of intervention: written document;
    - Prepare a draft policy paper on the UCLG “position” on “local authorities role territorial prevention and management of crisis”;
    - Discussion around the idea to build a “roster of rosters” for peer-to-peer cooperation and technical expertise mobilization in time of crisis;
    - Task Force implication on the GAUC activities (explain the working groups agendas and perspectives);
    - Organize a workshop seminar on “local authorities engagement on crisis and humanitarian action”
• Present the program “Strengthening humanitarian action in urban areas by promoting settlement approaches and effective engagement with local stakeholders”.

• Present the SPHERE handbook and standards for humanitarian intervention urban/local governance proof (how to take the budding commitment of humanitarian aid and local government to each other to the next level? What should be our next step to use in this opening space in the SPHERE project? What should we, as UCLG, give and what should we get?

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Session II: 15h30 - 17h00

15h30-15h45: Mayor of Strasbourg: welcome words

This session will be attended by mayors from Lebanon, Uganda, Haiti, Central African Republic.

15h45-17h00

We propose to have a common session with the Global alliance of urban crisis that is will have parallels to the UCLG executive bureau his annual “all members” meeting.

1. How the UCLG Task Force can better interact with the GAUC and their members?
2. What is the visible progress (from diverse panellist perspectives) over the last two years on key WHS issues, such as localisation and the nexus;

1 This program aims to build the capacity of local governance institutions and other local stakeholders, through trainings and mentoring during 5 deployments (the first 2 deployments are on-going in Haiti and Central African Republic), thereby ensuring local stakeholders have an increased capacity to respond efficiently to the needs of affected communities, in coordination with international stakeholders.