

Learning session on “Localizing the SDGs”

The session will be held in the context of the UCLG Executive Bureau meeting, in Plaza de la Villa, Madrid, Spain, **on 18 April 2017, from 9:00 - 14:00, please note this is a closed session by invitation only.**

During the formulation of the global agenda, it became evident that Local and regional government are key actors to achieve the global agenda and the Sustainable Development Goals, SDG. Part of our commitment to localizing the SDG, is the mobilisation and support of local and regional governments to evidence and review their strategies and alignment to the global agenda. Therefore, we are developing a global learning toolkit on how to train member governments and associations’ experts on the SDG framework.

The objective of this workshop is to share and test the tools and receive feedback of selected members in order to finalise it. The workshop will bring together selected representatives from national local and regional governments associations and cities from Europe, Latin America and other regions, that are interested in assisting their members on a process of localisation of the Agenda 2030 / Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) and use the SDG frame to better structure their knowledge management and advocacy. The toolkit wants to provide our members and partners with hands-on material to enable them to facilitate interactive learning sessions with their members and communities.

The activity is organized jointly by the [city of Madrid](#), [UCCI](#), [PLATFORMA](#), the [Province of Barcelona](#), [UNDP](#), [UN Habitat](#), and UCLG and is supported by the [European Commission](#). It will use a “train the trainers” format and aims to collect feedback that will be incorporated into the final tool that is to be launched in different regions of the world in several events – Starting with the joint [PLATFORMA-CEMR](#) experts event on 29 May 2017 in Brussels and during the Regional Forum on Local Economic Development in Bolivia in 27 of June 2017.

The UCLG World Secretariat and PLATFORMA remain at your disposal for further questions regarding the workshop. For more information, please contact: consultations@uclg.org