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## Horizon 2020

Call: H2020-LC-CLA-2018-2019-2020

(Building a low-carbon, climate resilient future: climate action in support of the Paris Agreement)

**Topic: LC-CLA-11-2020** 

Type of action: IA

Proposal number: SEP-210640245

**Proposal acronym: EVIDENCEcity** 

Deadline Id: H2020-LC-CLA-2020-2

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# 1 - General information

Topic	LC-CLA-11-2020	Type of Action IA
Call Identifier	H2020-LC-CLA-2018-2019-2020	Deadline Id H2020-LC-CLA-2020-2
Acronym	EVIDENCEcity	
Proposal title	EVIDENCE-BASED GOVERNANCE FOR THE EMISSIONS IN CITIES	DEPLOYMENT OF NBS TO REDUCE AIR
	Note that for technical reasons, the following characters are	e not accepted in the Proposal Title and will be removed: < > " &
Duration in months	48	
Fixed keyword 1	Air quality	
Fixed keyword 2	Climate change mitigation	
Fixed keyword 3	Urban studies (Planning and development)	
Fixed keyword 4	Social sciences, interdisciplinary	
Fixed keyword 5	Public and environmental health	
Free keywords	Urban air quality, urban carbon footprint, Nature engagement, Living Labs.	re-based solutions, urban planning, co-creation, citizen

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#### **Abstract**

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Air pollution is the biggest environmental health risk in Europe. Cleaner air together with no net emissions of greenhouse gases (GHGs) are targets of the European Green Deal towards a climate-neutral Europe that decouples economic growth from resource use by 2050. Nature-based solutions (NBS) are cross-sectoral integration strategies that can tackle decarbonization goals for transport, energy, buildings and agriculture, while addressing social, cultural, environmental and economic challenges. However, evidence on the capacity of NBS in mitigating air pollution while reducing GHG emissions is still limited since they depend on complex processes and interlinkages, and could promote unwanted impacts.

EVIDENCEcity will explore the frontiers of NBS and their potential for the improvement of urban air quality and reduction of the urban carbon footprint. This will be achieved through co-creation processes at city level, actively involving all relevant actors from the government, community, businesses and academia. Five Living Labs will be set up in the urban areas of Krakow, Oslo, Essen, Toulouse and Barcelona, which represent different environmental challenges in terms of air pollution and GHG emissions, and diverse geographic, socio-economic and cultural conditions. City-specific challenges will be addressed by defining and implementing pilot NBS in partners cities to gather scientific evidence and knowledge (e.g. air quality modelling, health assessment, citizen engagement). Besides the consortium partners, EVIDENCEcity will engage with other cities and stakeholders to equip them with guidelines and methods that will promote the upscaling and wide deployment of NBS focused on improving urban air quality and reducing GHG emissions. The EVIDENCEcity outcomes will inspire future initiatives to make cities more sustainable through NBS, while ensuring citizen empowerment and innovative co-governance.

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Has this proposal (or a very similar one) been submitted in the past 2 years in response to a call for proposals under Horizon 2020 or any other EU programme(s)?

Yes No

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Please give the proposal reference or contract number.	

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1) The coordinator declares to have the explicit consent of all applicants on their participation and on the content

#### **Declarations**

of this proposal.	
2) The information contained in this proposal is correct and complete.	$\boxtimes$
3) This proposal complies with ethical principles (including the highest standards of research integrity — as set out, for instance, in the <u>European Code of Conduct for Research Integrity</u> — and including, in particular, avoiding fabrication, falsification, plagiarism or other research misconduct).	$\boxtimes$
4) The coordinator confirms:	
- to have carried out the self-check of the financial capacity of the organisation on <a href="http://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/portal/desktop/en/organisations/lfv.html">http://ec.europa.eu/research/participants/portal/desktop/en/organisations/lfv.html</a> or to be covered by a financial viability check in an EU project for the last closed financial year. Where the result was "weak" or "insufficient", the coordinator confirms being aware of the measures that may be imposed in accordance with the H2020 Grants Manual (Chapter on Financial capacity check); or	С
- is exempt from the financial capacity check being a public body including international organisations, higher or secondary education establishment or a legal entity, whose viability is guaranteed by a Member State or associated country, as defined in the H2020 Grants Manual (Chapter on Financial capacity check); or	•
- as sole participant in the proposal is exempt from the financial capacity check.	$\circ$
5) The coordinator hereby declares that each applicant has confirmed:	
- they are fully eligible in accordance with the criteria set out in the specific call for proposals; and	
- they have the financial and operational capacity to carry out the proposed action.	$\boxtimes$
The coordinator is only responsible for the correctness of the information relating to his/her own organisation. Earnemains responsible for the correctness of the information related to him and declared above. Where the proposal	

According to Article 131 of the Financial Regulation of 25 October 2012 on the financial rules applicable to the general budget of the Union (Official Journal L 298 of 26.10.2012, p. 1) and Article 145 of its Rules of Application (Official Journal L 362, 31.12.2012, p.1) applicants found guilty of misrepresentation may be subject to administrative and financial penalties under certain conditions.

retained for EU funding, the coordinator and each beneficiary applicant will be required to present a formal declaration in this

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# 2 - Participants & contacts

#	Participant Legal Name	Country	Action
1	BARCELONA SUPERCOMPUTING CENTER - CENTRO NACIONAL DE SUPERCOMPUTACION	ES	
2	UNIVERSIDAD AUTONOMA DE BARCELONA	ES	
3	NORSK INSTITUTT FOR LUFTFORSKNING STIFTELSE	NO	
4	AREA METROPOLITANA DE BARCELONA	ES	
5	Institut de l'Innovation Durable - Sustainable Innovation Institute	France	
6	TOULOUSE METROPOLE	FR	
7	FUNDACION PRIVADA INSTITUTO DE SALUD GLOBAL BARCELONA	Spain	
8	HELMHOLTZ-ZENTRUM GEESTHACHT ZENTRUM FUR MATERIAL- UND KUSTENFORSCHUNG GMBH	DE	
9	STICHTING WAGENINGEN RESEARCH	NL	
10	EUROCITIES ASBL	BE	
11	UNIVERSITE DE VERSAILLES SAINT-QUENTIN-EN-YVELINES.	FR	
12	INSTYTUT OCHRONY SRODOWISKA - PANSTWOWY INSTYTUT BADAWCZY	PL	
13	STOWARZYSZENIE METROPOLIA KRAKOWSKA	PL	
14	Trescientosmilkilometrosporsegundo S.L.	ES	
15	CAPGEMINI TECHNOLOGY SERVICES	FR	
16	FUNDACJA SENDZIMIRA	PL	
17	city2science GmbH	DE	
18	EUSEA - EUROPAISCHE GESELLSCHAFT FUR WISSENSCHAFTSVERANSTALTUNGEN	AT	
19	Origins SAS	FR	
20	OSLO KOMMUNE	NO	
21	STADT ESSEN	DE	

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Short name BSC

# 2 - Administrative data of participating organisations

PIC Legal name

999655520 BARCELONA SUPERCOMPUTING CENTER - CENTRO NACIONAL DE SUPERCOMPUTACION

Short name: BSC

Address of the organisation

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Town BARCELONA

Postcode 08034

Country Spain

Webpage www.bsc.es

#### Legal Status of your organisation

#### Research and Innovation legal statuses

Public body ......yes Legal person .....yes

Non-profit .....yes

International organisation ......no

International organisation of European interest ......no
Industry (private for profit).....no

Secondary or Higher education establishment ......no

Research organisation .....yes

#### **Enterprise Data**

SME self-declared status......01/03/2005 - no

SME self-assessment ...... unknown

SME validation sme..... unknown

Based on the above details of the Beneficiary Registry the organisation is not an SME (small- and medium-sized enterprise) for the call.

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Department(s) carrying out the proposed work						
Department 1						
Department name	Earth Science Department	not applicable				
	Same as proposing organisation's address					
Street	NEXUS II building, Jordi Girona 29					
Town	Barcelona					
Postcode	08034					
Country	Spain					
Dependencies with other proposal participants						
Character of depo	pendence Participant					

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## Person in charge of the proposal

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Position in org.	Earth System Services G	oup Coordir	nator			
Department	Earth Science Departmen	t				Same as organisation name
	☐ Same as proposing organisation's address					
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Town	Barcelona		Post code 0	08034		
Country	Spain					
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Acronym

**EVIDENCE**city

Short name UAB

PIC Legal name

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Short name: UAB

Address of the organisation

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Postcode 08290

Country Spain

Webpage http://www.uab.es

#### Legal Status of your organisation

#### Research and Innovation legal statuses

Public body .....yes Legal person .....yes

Non-profit .....yes

International organisation ......no

International organisation of European interest ......no Industry (private for profit).....no

Secondary or Higher education establishment ......yes

Research organisation .....yes

#### **Enterprise Data**

SME self-declared status......01/12/2008 - no

SME self-assessment ...... unknown

SME validation sme......01/12/2008 - no

Based on the above details of the Beneficiary Registry the organisation is not an SME (small- and medium-sized enterprise) for the call.

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Department(s) carrying out the proposed work							
Department 1							
Department name	Institute of Environmental Science and Technology (ICTA)	☐ not applicable					
	Same as proposing organisation's address						
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Town	Cerdanyola del Vallés						
Postcode	09193						
Country	Spain						
Dependencies with other proposal participants							
Character of depe	pendence Participant						

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Position in org.	Associate Professor							
Department	Institute of Environme	ental Science and	d Technology	(ICTA)				Same as organisation name
	Same as proposing organisation's address							
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Town	CERDANYOLA DEL	VALLES		Post code	e 08	3290		
Country	Spain							
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Acronym

**EVIDENCE**city

Short name NORWEGIAN INSTITUTE FOR AIR RESEAR

PIC Legal name

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Short name: NORWEGIAN INSTITUTE FOR AIR RESEARCH NILU

Address of the organisation

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Postcode 2027

Country Norway

Webpage www.nilu.no

Legal Status of your organisation

#### Research and Innovation legal statuses

Public body .......no Legal person ......yes

Non-profit .....yes

International organisation ......no

International organisation of European interest ......no
Industry (private for profit).....no

Secondary or Higher education establishment ......no

Research organisation ......yes

**Enterprise Data** 

SME self-declared status...... unknown

SME self-assessment ...... unknown

SME validation sme..... unknown

Based on the above details of the Beneficiary Registry the organisation is not an SME (small- and medium-sized enterprise) for the call.

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**EVIDENCE**city

Short name NORWEGIAN INSTITUTE FOR AIR RESEAR

Department(s) carrying out the proposed work						
Department 1						
Department name	Urban Environment and Industry					
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Street	INSTITUT	TVEIEN 18				
Town	KJELLER					
Postcode	2027					
Country	Norway					
Dependencies with other proposal participants						
Character of dependence Participant						

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Short name NORWEGIAN INSTITUTE FOR AIR RESEAR

## Person in charge of the proposal

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Acronym

**EVIDENCE**city

Short name AMB

PIC Legal name

937664954 AREA METROPOLITANA DE BARCELONA

Short name: AMB

Address of the organisation

Street CARRER 62 NUM 16-18

Town BARCELONA

Postcode 08040

Country Spain

Webpage www.amb.cat

#### Legal Status of your organisation

#### Research and Innovation legal statuses

Public body ......yes Legal person .....yes

Non-profit .....yes

International organisation ......no

International organisation of European interest ......no
Industry (private for profit).....no

Secondary or Higher education establishment ......no

Research organisation ......no

#### **Enterprise Data**

SME self-declared status......30/06/2014 - no

SME self-assessment ...... unknown

SME validation sme..... unknown

Based on the above details of the Beneficiary Registry the organisation is not an SME (small- and medium-sized enterprise) for the call.

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Acronym

**EVIDENCE**city

Short name AMB

Department(s) carrying out the proposed work					
Department 1					
Department name	General M	Manager Bureau	not applicable		
	Same :     ■	as proposing organisation's address			
Street	CARRER	62 NUM 16-18			
Town	BARCELO	ONA			
Postcode	08040				
Country	Spain				
Department 2					
Department name	Internation	nal Relations department	not applicable		
	⊠ Same as proposing organisation's address				
Street	CARRER 62 NUM 16-18				
Town	BARCELONA				
Postcode	09040				
Posicode	ode 08040				
Country	Spain				
Dependencies with other proposal participants					
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Position in org.	Head of International Re	elations			]
Department	International Relations of	department			Same as organisation name
	Same as proposing of the second control of the second con	organisation's address			
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Town	BARCELONA		Post code (	08040	
Country	Spain				
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Acronym

**EVIDENCE**city

Short name Sustainable Innovation Institute

PIC Legal name

898499652 Institut de l'Innovation Durable - Sustainable Innovation Institute

Short name: Sustainable Innovation Institute

Address of the organisation

Street 14 RUE ANDRE DEL SARTE

Town Paris

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Country France

Webpage

Legal Status of your organisation

#### Research and Innovation legal statuses

Public body .......no Legal person ......yes

Non-profit .....yes

International organisation ......no

International organisation of European interest ......no

Secondary or Higher education establishment ......no

Research organisation ......no

Industry (private for profit).....no

#### **Enterprise Data**

SME self-declared status...... unknown

SME self-assessment ...... unknown

SME validation sme..... unknown

Based on the above details of the Beneficiary Registry the organisation is not an SME (small- and medium-sized enterprise) for the call.

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Short name Sustainable Innovation Institute

Department(s) carrying out the proposed work						
Department 1						
Department name	Innovation Department	not applicable				
	⊠ Same as proposing organisation's address	J				
Street	14 RUE ANDRE DEL SARTE					
Town	Paris					
Postcode	75018					
Country	France					
Dependencies with other proposal participants						
Character of dependence Participant						

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Short name Sustainable Innovation Institute

## Person in charge of the proposal

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Department	Institut de l'Innovation Durable - Sustainable Inno	Same as organisation name	
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Town	Paris	Post code 75018	
Country	France		
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**EVIDENCE**city

Short name TOULOUSE METROPOLE

PIC Legal name

928347716 TOULOUSE METROPOLE

Short name: TOULOUSE METROPOLE

Address of the organisation

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Town TOULOUSE

Postcode 31500

Country France

Webpage www.toulouse-metropole.fr

#### Legal Status of your organisation

#### Research and Innovation legal statuses

Public body \_\_\_\_\_\_\_\_yes Legal person \_\_\_\_\_\_yes Non-profit \_\_\_\_\_\_yes

International organisation .....no

International organisation of European interest ......no
Secondary or Higher education establishment ......no

Research organisation ......no

#### **Enterprise Data**

SME self-declared status......24/04/2015 - no

SME self-assessment ...... unknown

SME validation sme..... unknown

Based on the above details of the Beneficiary Registry the organisation is not an SME (small- and medium-sized enterprise) for the call.

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**EVIDENCE**city

Short name TOULOUSE METROPOLE

Department(s) carrying out the proposed work						
Department 1						
Department name	European, International and partnerships office	not applicable				
	⊠ Same as proposing organisation's address					
Street	6 RUE RENE LEDUC					
Town	TOULOUSE	TOULOUSE				
Postcode	31500					
Country	France					
Dependencies with other proposal participants						
Character of dependence Participant						

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**EVIDENCE**city

Short name TOULOUSE METROPOLE

## Person in charge of the proposal

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Position in org.	European project officer		]
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Country	France		
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Acronym

**EVIDENCE**city

Short name ISGLOBAL

Industry (private for profit).....no

PIC Legal name

951414122 FUNDACION PRIVADA INSTITUTO DE SALUD GLOBAL BARCELONA

Short name: ISGLOBAL

Address of the organisation

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Postcode 08036

Country Spain

Webpage www.isglobal.org

#### Legal Status of your organisation

#### Research and Innovation legal statuses

International organisation .....no

International organisation of European interest ......no

Secondary or Higher education establishment ......no

Research organisation ......yes

#### **Enterprise Data**

SME self-declared status......unknown

SME self-assessment ...... unknown

SME validation sme..... unknown

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Department(s) carrying out the proposed work							
Department 1	anymg co						
Department name	Air Pollutio	on and Urban Environment Research Programme	not applicable	Э			
	☐ Same	as proposing organisation's address					
Street	Doctor Aig	guader 88					
Town	Barcelona	Barcelona					
Postcode	08003						
Country	Spain						
Dependencies with other proposal participants							
Character of depe	endence	Participant					

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Acronym

**EVIDENCE**city

Short name HZG

PIC Legal name

999507401 HELMHOLTZ-ZENTRUM GEESTHACHT ZENTRUM FUR MATERIAL- UND KUSTENFORSCHUNG G

Short name: HZG

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Country Germany

Webpage www.hzg.de

Legal Status of your organisation

#### Research and Innovation legal statuses

Public body .......no Legal person ......yes

Non-profit .....yes

International organisation ......no

International organisation of European interest ......no
Industry (private for profit).....no

Secondary or Higher education establishment ......no

Research organisation .......yes

Enterprise Data

SME self-declared status......07/07/2008 - no

SME self-assessment ...... unknown

SME validation sme......07/07/2008 - no

Based on the above details of the Beneficiary Registry the organisation is not an SME (small- and medium-sized enterprise) for the call.

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Department(s) carrying out the proposed work					
Department 1					
Department name	Chemistry	Transport Modeling	not applicable		
	Same a	as proposing organisation's address			
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Town	GEESTHA	ACHT			
Postcode	21502				
Country	Germany				
Dependencies with other proposal participants					
Character of dependence Participant					

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**EVIDENCE**city

Short name HZG

## Person in charge of the proposal

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Title	Dr. S	Sex				
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Town	GEESTHACHT Post code 215	502				
Country	Germany					
Website	https://www.hzg.de/chemistry_transport_modelling					
Phone	+49 4152 87 2368 Phone 2 +xxx xxxxxxxxx	Fax	+XXX XXXXXXXX			

First Name	Last Name	E-mail	Phone
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Laura	Schwabe	laura.schwabe@hzg.de	+49 4152 87 1670

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Acronym

**EVIDENCE**city

Short name WR

PIC Legal name

999547365 STICHTING WAGENINGEN RESEARCH

Short name: WR

Address of the organisation

Street DROEVENDAALSESTEEG 4

Town WAGENINGEN

Postcode 6708 PB

Country Netherlands

Webpage http://www.wur.nl

#### Legal Status of your organisation

#### Research and Innovation legal statuses

Public body ......yes

Non-profit .....yes

International organisation ......no

International organisation of European interest ......no
Industry (private for profit).....no

Secondary or Higher education establishment ......no

Research organisation .....yes

#### **Enterprise Data**

SME self-declared status.......09/12/1997 - no

SME self-assessment ...... unknown

SME validation sme..... unknown

Based on the above details of the Beneficiary Registry the organisation is not an SME (small- and medium-sized enterprise) for the call.

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Department(s) carrying out the proposed work					
Department 1					
Department name	Wagening	en Economic Research	not applicable	e	
	☐ Same	as proposing organisation's address			
Street	Prinses B	eatrixlaan 582			
Town	The Hagu	e			
Postcode	2595 BM				
Country	Netherlands				
Dependencies with other proposal participants					
Character of depe	endence	Participant			

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**EVIDENCE**city

Short name WR

## Person in charge of the proposal

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Title	Dr.				Sex	<ul><li>Male</li></ul>	○ Female
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Position in org.	Researcher						
Department	Wageningen Economi	c Research					Same as organisation name
	Same as proposing	organisation's a	ddress				
Street	Prinses Beatrixlaan 58	2					
Town	The Hague			Post code	2595 BM		
Country	Netherlands						
Website	www.wur.nl						
Phone	+31703358290	Phone 2	⊦XXX XXXXXXX	XX	Fax	+XXX XX	XXXXXXX

First Name	Last Name	E-mail	Phone
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Acronym

**EVIDENCE**city

Short name EUROCITIES ASBL

PIC Legal name
999450559 EUROCITIES ASBL

Short name: EUROCITIES ASBL

Address of the organisation

Street SQUARE DE MEEUS 1

Town BRUXELLES

Postcode 1000

Country Belgium

Webpage www.eurocities.eu

Legal Status of your organisation

#### Research and Innovation legal statuses

International organisation of European interest ......no

Industry (private for profit).....no

Secondary or Higher education establishment ......no

Research organisation ......no

**Enterprise Data** 

SME self-declared status......unknown

SME self-assessment ...... unknown

SME validation sme..... unknown

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Department(s) cornains out the proposed work							
Department(s) ca	Department(s) carrying out the proposed work						
Department 1	Department 1						
Department name	Environm	ent Department	not applicable	9			
	⊠ Same a	as proposing organisation's address					
Otro ot	COLLABE	DE MEELIO 4					
Street	SQUARE	DE MEEUS 1					
Town	BRUXELL	ES					
Postcode	1000						
_							
Country	Belgium						
Dependencies with other proposal participants							
Character of dependence		Participant					

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**EVIDENCE**city

Short name EUROCITIES ASBL

## Person in charge of the proposal

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Title	Mrs			Sex	Male	<ul><li>Female</li></ul>
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Position in org.	Projects & knowledge	e sharing director				
Department	Environment					Same as organisation name
	Same as proposir					
Street	SQUARE DE MEEUS	§ 1				
Town	BRUXELLES		Post code 1	000		
Country	Belgium					
Website	www.eurocities.eu					
Phone	+32 2 552 08 76	Phone 2 +XXX X	XXXXXXXX	Fax	+32 2 55	52 08 89

First Name	Last Name	E-mail	Phone
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Acronym

**EVIDENCE**city

Short name UNIVERSITE DE VERSAILLES SAINT-QUE

PIC Legal name

999837104 UNIVERSITE DE VERSAILLES SAINT-QUENTIN-EN-YVELINES.

Short name: UNIVERSITE DE VERSAILLES SAINT-QUENTIN-EN-YVELINES.

Address of the organisation

Street Avenue de Paris 55

Town VERSAILLES

Postcode 78035

Country France

Webpage www.uvsq.fr

Legal Status of your organisation

#### Research and Innovation legal statuses

Public body ......yes Legal person .....yes

Non-profit .....yes

International organisation ......no

International organisation of European interest ......no
Industry (private for profit).....no

Secondary or Higher education establishment ......yes

Research organisation .....yes

#### **Enterprise Data**

SME self-declared status......29/08/1991 - no

SME self-assessment ...... unknown

SME validation sme..... unknown

Based on the above details of the Beneficiary Registry the organisation is not an SME (small- and medium-sized enterprise) for the call.

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Acronym

**EVIDENCE**city

Short name UNIVERSITE DE VERSAILLES SAINT-QUE

Department(s) carrying out the proposed work						
Department 1						
Department name	Laboratoire des Sciences du Climat et de l'Environnement (LSCE)	not applicable				
Street	Avenue de Paris 55					
Town	VERSAILLES					
Postcode	78035					
Country	France					
Dependencies with other proposal participants						
Character of dependence Participant						

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Acronym

**EVIDENCE**city

Short name UNIVERSITE DE VERSAILLES SAINT-QUE

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First name	Philippe			Last name	e <b>Ciais</b>		
E-Mail	philippe.ciais@lsce	ipsl.fr					
Position in org.	Research Director					]	
Department	Laboratoire des Scie	nces du Climat et	de l'Environi	nement (LSCE	≣)		Same as organisation name
	Same as proposir	ng organisation's a	address				
Street	Avenue de Paris 55						
Town	VERSAILLES			Post code	78035		
Country	France						
Website	https://www.lsce.ipsl.	fr/					
Phone	+XXX XXXXXXXX	Phone 2	+XXX XXXXXX	XXX	Fax	+XXX XX	XXXXXXX

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Acronym

**EVIDENCE**city

Short name IOS-PIB

PIC Legal name

998750316 INSTYTUT OCHRONY SRODOWISKA - PANSTWOWY INSTYTUT BADAWCZY

Short name: IOS-PIB

Address of the organisation

Street ULICA KRUCZA 5/11D

Town WARSZAWA

Postcode 00 548

Country Poland

Webpage www.ios.edu.pl

## Legal Status of your organisation

#### Research and Innovation legal statuses

Public body ......yes Legal person .....yes

Non-profit .....yes

International organisation ......no

International organisation of European interest ......no
Industry (private for profit).....no

Secondary or Higher education establishment ......no

Research organisation ......yes

#### **Enterprise Data**

SME self-assessment ...... unknown

Based on the above details of the Beneficiary Registry the organisation is not an SME (small- and medium-sized enterprise) for the call.

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Department(s) ca	arrying ou	t the proposed work			
Department 1					
Department name	Departme	nt of Atmospheric and Climate Modelling	not applicable	•	
	☐ Same	as proposing organisation's address			
Street	Kolektors	a 4			
Town	Warsaw				
Postcode	01-692				
Country	Poland				
Dependencies with other proposal participants					
Character of depe	endence	Participant			

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Acronym

**EVIDENCE**city

Short name IOS-PIB

# Person in charge of the proposal

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First name	Pawel		Las	t name	Durka		
E-Mail	pawel.durka@ios.e	du.pl					
Position in org.	Head of Department						
Department	Department of Atmos	spheric and Climate	Modelling				Same as organisation name
	☐ Same as proposir	ng organisation's ad	dress				
Street	Kolektorska 4						
Town	Warsaw		Post	code 0	1-692		
Country	Poland						
Website	http://ios.edu.pl						
Phone	+48 503011439	Phone 2 +	XXX XXXXXXXXX		Fax	+XXX XXX	XXXXXXX

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Acronym

**EVIDENCE**city

Short name KRAKOW METROPOLIS ASSOCIATION

PIC Legal name

904515107 STOWARZYSZENIE METROPOLIA KRAKOWSKA

Short name: KRAKOW METROPOLIS ASSOCIATION

Address of the organisation

Street UL. WLADYSLAWA STANISLAWA REYMONTA

Town KRAKOW

Postcode 30 059

Country Poland

Webpage http://metropoliakrakowska.pl/

Legal Status of your organisation

#### Research and Innovation legal statuses

Public body .......no Legal person ......yes

Non-profit .....yes

International organisation .....no

International organisation of European interest ......no
Industry (private for profit).....no

Secondary or Higher education establishment ......no

Research organisation ......no

#### **Enterprise Data**

SME self-declared status......unknown

SME self-assessment ...... unknown

SME validation sme..... unknown

Based on the above details of the Beneficiary Registry the organisation is not an SME (small- and medium-sized enterprise) for the call.

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Acronym

**EVIDENCE**city

Short name KRAKOW METROPOLIS ASSOCIATION

Department(s) carrying out the proposed work						
No department involved						
Department name	Name of the department/ir	nstitute carrying out the work.				
	Same as proposing orga	anisation's address				
Street	Please enter street name	and number.				
Town	Please enter the name of	the town.				
Postcode	Area code.					
Country	Please select a country					
Dependencies with other proposal participants						
Character of dependence Participant						

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Short name KRAKOW METROPOLIS ASSOCIATION

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First name	Daniel		Last name	Wrzoszc	zyk	
E-Mail	biuro@metropoliak	rakowska.pl				
Position in org.	Office Director					
Department	STOWARZYSZENIE	METROPOLIA KRAKOWSKA	4			Same as organisation name
	Same as proposit	ng organisation's address				
Street	UL. WLADYSLAWA	STANISLAWA REYMONTA, N	NR 20, LOK			
Town	KRAKOW		Post code 3	80 059		
Country	Poland					
Website	http://metropoliakrak	owska.pl/				
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Acronym

**EVIDENCE**city

Short name 3000.000 Km/s

PIC Legal name

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Short name: 3000.000 Km/s

Address of the organisation

Street Passeig de Sant Joan 5

Town Barcelona

Postcode 08010

Country Spain

Webpage www.300000kms.net

## Legal Status of your organisation

#### Research and Innovation legal statuses

Public body	no	Legal	personves
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Non-profit ......no

International organisation ......no

International organisation of European interest ......no

Secondary or Higher education establishment ......no

Research organisation ......no

Industry (private for profit).....yes

#### **Enterprise Data**

SME self-declared status31/12/2017 - ves
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SME self-assessment ......31/12/2017 - yes

SME validation sme..... unknown

Based on the above details of the Beneficiary Registry the organisation is an SME (small- and medium-sized enterprise) for the call.

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Acronym

**EVIDENCE**city

Short name 3000.000 Km/s

Department(s) carrying out the proposed work					
No department inv	olved				
Department name	Name of	the department/institute carrying out the work.	⊠ not applicable	)	
	☐ Same	as proposing organisation's address			
Street	Please el	nter street name and number.			
Town	Please er	nter the name of the town.			
Postcode	Area cod	<del>)</del> .			
Country	Please se	elect a country			
Dependencies with other proposal participants					
Character of dependence Participant					

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Acronym

**EVIDENCE**city

Short name 3000.000 Km/s

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E-Mail	pablo@300000kms.	net					
Position in org.	Co-founder and scier	ntific director					
Department	Trescientosmilkilome	trosporsegundo	S.L.				Same as organisation name
	Same as proposir	g organisation's	address				
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Town	Barcelona			Post code	08010		
Country	Spain						
Website	www.300000kms.net						
Phone	+34600840828	Phone 2	+XXX XXXXXXX	(XX	Fax	+XXX XX	XXXXXXX

## Other contact persons

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Acronym

**EVIDENCE**city

Short name CAPGEMINI TS

PIC Legal name

947643150 CAPGEMINI TECHNOLOGY SERVICES

Short name: CAPGEMINI TS

Address of the organisation

Street 5-7 RUE FREDERIC CLAVEL

Town SURESNES

Postcode 92287

Country France

Webpage http://www.capgemini.com

#### Legal Status of your organisation

#### Research and Innovation legal statuses

Public body .....no Legal person .....yes Non-profit ......no

International organisation ......no

International organisation of European interest ......no Secondary or Higher education establishment ......no

Research organisation ......no

Industry (private for profit).....yes

#### **Enterprise Data**

SME self-declared status......07/12/2004 - no

SME self-assessment ...... unknown

SME validation sme..... unknown

Based on the above details of the Beneficiary Registry the organisation is not an SME (small- and medium-sized enterprise) for the call.

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Department(s) carrying out the proposed work					
Department 1					
Department name	Space De	partment	not applicable	)	
	Same	as proposing organisation's address			
Street	109 Aven	ue du General Eisenhower			
Town	Toulouse				
Postcode	31100				
Country	France				
Dependencies with other proposal participants					
Character of dependence		Participant			

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**EVIDENCE**city

Short name CAPGEMINI TS

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Position in org.	Business Developer		
Department	Space Department		Same as organisation name
	☐ Same as proposing organisation's address		
Street	109 Avenue du General Eisenhower		
Town	Toulouse Post of	code 31100	
Country	France		
Website	www.capgemini.com		
Phone	+33 7 62 73 81 19 Phone 2 +xxx xxxxxxxxx	Fax	+XXX XXXXXXXXX

## Other contact persons

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Acronym

**EVIDENCE**city

Short name FUNDACJA SENDZIMIRA

PIC Legal name

951517330 FUNDACJA SENDZIMIRA

Short name: FUNDACJA SENDZIMIRA

Address of the organisation

Street WIARUSA 11/3

Town ZIELONKI

Postcode 32 087

Country Poland

Webpage www.sendzimir.org.pl

#### Legal Status of your organisation

#### Research and Innovation legal statuses

Non-profit .....yes

International organisation .....no

International organisation of European interest ......no
Industry (private for profit).....no

Research organisation ......yes

#### **Enterprise Data**

SME self-declared status......unknown

SME self-assessment ...... unknown

SME validation sme..... unknown

Based on the above details of the Beneficiary Registry the organisation is not an SME (small- and medium-sized enterprise) for the call.

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Acronym

**EVIDENCE**city

Short name FUNDACJA SENDZIMIRA

Department(s) carrying out the proposed work						
No department involved						
Department name	Name of the department/institute carrying out the work.					
	☐ Same a	as proposing organisation's address				
Street	Please en	ter street name and number.				
Town	Please enter the name of the town.					
Postcode	Area code.					
Country	Please select a country					
Dependencies with other proposal participants						
Character of dependence		Participant				

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**EVIDENCE**city

Short name FUNDACJA SENDZIMIRA

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Title	Prof.				Sex	<ul><li>Male</li></ul>	○ Female
First name	Tomasz			Last nam	e Bergier		
E-Mail	tbergier@agh.edu.p	ı					
Position in org.	www.sendzimir.org.p	I					
Department	FUNDACJA SENDZI	MIRA					Same as organisation name
	Same as proposir     Same as proposir	ng organisation's	address				
Street	WIARUSA 11/3						
Town	ZIELONKI			Post code	32 087		
Country	Poland						
Website	www.sendzimir.org.p	I					
Phone	+48 507 98 47 18	Phone 2	+XXX XXXXXXX	(XX	Fax	+XXX XXX	XXXXXXX

## Other contact persons

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Acronym

**EVIDENCE**city

Short name city2science - Science Communication and

PIC Legal name

936318982 city2science GmbH

Short name: city2science - Science Communication and Strategy Consulting

Address of the organisation

Street Unter den Linden 31

Town Herford

Postcode 32052

Country Germany

Webpage www.city2science.de

Legal Status of your organisation

#### Research and Innovation legal statuses

Public bodyno	Legal personyes
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Non-profit .....no

International organisation ......no

International organisation of European interest ......no

Secondary or Higher education establishment ......no

Research organisation ......no

Industry (private for profit).....yes

#### **Enterprise Data**

SME self-declared status	18/12/2014 - ves	
Sivile sell-declared status	10/12/2014 - 765	

SME self-assessment ...... unknown

SME validation sme..... unknown

Based on the above details of the Beneficiary Registry the organisation is an SME (small- and medium-sized enterprise) for the call.

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**EVIDENCE**city

Short name city2science - Science Communication and

Department(s) carrying out the proposed work						
No department involved						
Department name	Name of the department/institute carrying out the work.					
	Same as proposing organisation's address					
Street	Please enter street name and number.					
Town	Please enter the name of the town.					
Postcode	Area code.					
Country	Please select a country					
Dependencies with other proposal participants						
Character of dependence Participant						

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Short name city2science - Science Communication and

# Person in charge of the proposal

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Position in org.	CEO		
Department	city2science GmbH		Same as organisation name
	Same as proposing organisation's address		
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Town	Herford Post code 32052		
Country	Germany		
Website	www.city2science.de		
Phone	+49 151 2300 6370 Phone 2 +xxx xxxxxxxxx Fax	+XXX XX	OXXXXXXX

Proposal ID SEP-210640245

Acronym

**EVIDENCE**city

Short name EUSEA - EUROPEAN SCIENCE EVENTS AS

PIC Legal name

999779292 EUSEA - EUROPAISCHE GESELLSCHAFT FUR WISSENSCHAFTSVERANSTALTUNGEN

Short name: EUSEA - EUROPEAN SCIENCE EVENTS ASSOCIATION

Address of the organisation

Street ANTON BAUMGARTNERSTRASSE 44/C2/3/2

Town WIEN

Postcode 1230

Country Austria

Webpage www.eusea.info

Legal Status of your organisation

#### Research and Innovation legal statuses

Public body .......no Legal person ......yes

Non-profit .....yes

International organisation .....no

International organisation of European interest ......no
Industry (private for profit).....no

Secondary or Higher education establishment ......no
Research organisation ......no

Enterprise Data

SME self-declared status......unknown

SME self-assessment ...... unknown

SME validation sme..... unknown

Based on the above details of the Beneficiary Registry the organisation is not an SME (small- and medium-sized enterprise) for the call.

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**EVIDENCE**city

Short name EUSEA - EUROPEAN SCIENCE EVENTS AS

Department(s) carrying out the proposed work				
No department inv	rolved			
Department name	Name of the department/institute carrying out the work.	⊠ not applicable		
	☐ Same as proposing organisation's address			
Street	Please enter street name and number.			
Town	Please enter the name of the town.			
Postcode	Area code.			
Country	Please select a country			
Dependencies with other proposal participants				
Character of depe	endence Participant			

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**EVIDENCE**city

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# Person in charge of the proposal

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Title	Dr.	Sex	○ Male
First name	<b>Annette</b> Last	name Klinkert	
E-Mail	annette.klinkert@eusea.info		
Position in org.	Executive Director		
Department	EUSEA c/o Verein ScienceCenter-Netzwerk		Same as organisation name
	☐ Same as proposing organisation's address		
Street	Landstraßer Hauptstraße 71/1/309		
Town	Vienna Post co	ode A-1030	
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# EVIDENCE-BASED GOVERNANCE FOR THE DEPLOYMENT OF NBS TO REDUCE AIR EMISSIONS IN CITIES



#### 1. Excellence

The European Green Deal will only be successful if supported and adopted by city governments and citizens. Around 75% of Europeans live in cities, contributing more than 70% of CO<sub>2</sub> emissions in Europe. At the same time, a significant proportion of city dwellers are exposed to concentrations of certain air pollutants exceeding the EU limit and target values<sup>1</sup>, and vulnerable to climate risks<sup>2</sup>. Cities are melting pots where decarbonisation goals for transport, energy, buildings and even agriculture co-exist alongside ambitions for greener and more liveable cities with high levels of well-being. The density of use and infrastructures in cities entails a higher potential for cross-sectoral integration of complex solutions, such as Nature Based-Solutions (NBS). In addition, cities have access to more capital and know-how to create economies of scale, which is necessary for the piloting and scaling up of innovative new concepts.

NBS have a multi-functional role, with a potential to address social, cultural, environmental and economic challenges. NBS have been mainly utilised to address challenges such as water management, climate change mitigation, and land use. Yet, **their application for the mitigation of air pollution and Greenhouse Gas (GHG) emissions still faces important challenges,** since they depend on complex processes and interlinkages, and could promote unwanted impacts. For NBS to be effective in tackling these issues, they need to: 1) **create an opportunity for optimising resources and reducing emission sources**; and 2) **be aligned with specific policy goals** (local or regional) in terms of their design, evaluation and implementation.

## 1.1 Objectives

The main objective of EVIDENCEcity is to assess the contribution of NBS to the improvement of urban air quality and reduction of the urban carbon footprint by providing: 1) science-based evidence on the effectiveness of NBS, collected from monitoring and modelling studies; and 2) experience-based evidence on the implementation of NBS, derived from governance, business and finance models in a co-creation process with the involvement of citizens and relevant societal stakeholders. In the long term, the EVIDENCEcity results will contribute to economic regeneration and social wellbeing, while reducing air pollution and GHG emissions in European urban areas.

The EVIDENCEcity objective will be achieved through the co-design and co-development of **five Living Labs** in the urban areas **of Krakow**, **Oslo**, **Essen**, **Toulouse and Barcelona**. These urban areas have different environmental challenges in terms of air pollution and GHG emissions, and they represent different geographic, socio-economic and cultural conditions. Within the project's timeline, each of the five cities will establish and develop a participatory Living Lab to assess the optimal NBS under diverse scenarios and conditions. In EVIDENCEcity, Living Labs are defined as locally based, user-centred open innovation ecosystems that integrate current research and innovative processes within government, academia, local community, and business partnerships. The Living Lab methodology will be continuously developed, tested, monitored and evolved through collaboration between the five cities throughout the project.

The project is designed to encompass a wide range of methodological approaches, including scientific methods and tools, citizen engagement processes, assessment of socio-economic impacts, and social, business and governance innovation. To this end, the project includes a coalition of research centres, local authorities and stakeholders for each Living Lab, building up an interdisciplinary consortium that consists of: **cities and metropolitan authorities** (Krakow Metropolis, City of Oslo, City of Essen, Toulouse Metropole, and Barcelona Metropolitan Area), **research centres** (BSC, NILU, HZG, IOS-PIB, UAB, LSCE, ISGLOBAL, and WR), **SMEs** with experience in **urban planning** (300.000Km/s), **climate mitigation services** (Origins.earth) and **citizen engagement** (city2science), **non-profit associations** working on social innovation (SII and Sedzimira), city and public engagement **networks** (EUROCITIES and EUSEA), and an expert **consulting firm** on satellite data (CAPGEMINI).

<sup>2</sup> IPCC, 2019. Global Warming of 1.5 °C. https://www.ipcc.ch/sr15/

 $<sup>^1</sup>$  EEA, 2019. Air quality in Europe — 2019 report. https://www.eea.europa.eu/publications/air-quality-in-europe-2019

EVIDENCEcity has the following five specific objectives (related work packages are given in parenthesis):

#### Objective 1: To evaluate the role of NBS in improving air quality and reducing carbon footprints (WP4)

EVIDENCE will produce solid knowledge on maximising the effectiveness of NBS that are specially designed to reduce air pollution and GHG emissions at the source, considering different urban designs and climatic, environmental and socio-economic conditions, as well as promoting resource circularity. <u>Tangible outputs</u>: Quantification of potential changes in air quality levels and GHG emissions by implementing the NBS scenarios planned for each city. Related impact indicators (see section 2.1): I2A and I3B

#### Objective 2: To provide an integrated assessment of the socio-economic impacts of NBS (WP6)

EVIDENCEcity will perform an integrated assessment beyond air quality improvement and GHG emission reduction to evaluate the impacts of NBS on: human well-being (mental and physical health); resilience of the urban area (ecological connectivity, integrity, and degree of resource optimisation); social justice (social inequalities, vulnerability, equity, and stakeholder preferences); and cost-effectiveness (economic impact indicators). Tangible outputs: Report on the impacts of NBS on well-being, resilience, social justice, cost-effectiveness and cultural determinants. Related impact indicators (see section 2.1): I2A and I3B

## Objective 3: To deliver a validated methodology for co-creating and implementing NBS (WP3/5)

EVIDENCEcity will create and implement a methodology that integrates stakeholders from the local/regional governments and administrations, academia, community and business sector in participatory decision-making processes. These processes will take place in innovative co-creation spaces, referred to as Living Labs, which will enable collaborative innovation and serve as test beds to refine and adapt the methodology for NBS implementation according to the specific conditions of each city. <u>Tangible outputs</u>: Methodology and guidelines for cities to codevelop and implement NBS for improved air quality and reduced GHG emissions. <u>Related impact indicators (see section 2.1)</u>: I2B, I4A, I4B and I4C.

#### Objective 4: To enhance clustering and cross-project cooperation (WP2/4)

EVIDENCEcity will promote knowledge exchange and clustering between ongoing and past initiatives and taskforces, facilitating the integration of this knowledge. In doing so, the project will pave the way for the use of NBS to reach the air quality and GHG emission targets. <u>Tangible outputs</u>: Dissemination actions, such as seminars, workshops, online tools and webinars, to connect EVIDENCEcity with other on-going H2020 projects (e.g. NATURVATION, ThinkNature, Nature4Cities); creation of synergies with activities undertaken by relevant initiatives and platforms (in particular, the Covenant of Mayors); use of European platforms for knowledge exchange and networking (e.g. Climate-ADAPT, Oppla). <u>Related impact indicators</u> (see section 2.1): I3A and I3B.

## Objective 5: To enhance the impact and promote the upscaling and wide deployment of marketable NBS (WP7/8)

The project will design workshops and bootcamp sessions dedicated to business model development and upscaling of NBS to be implemented in the pilot cities. Capacity-building activities at European level and the involvement of "companion cities" will enhance the expertise of local and regional administrations on NBS implementation, and on co-governance mechanisms for new and existing NBS. These activities are linked to an effective communication and dissemination strategy, such as specific campaigns at a local level. <u>Tangible outputs</u>: A learning environment for companion cities and businesses; a carefully designed deployment strategy to leverage wide upscaling potential; visits of companion cities to the five partner cities where the NBS are implemented to promote upscaling and enhance the impact. Related impact indicators (see section 2.1): I1A-D, I3A, I3B and I5A and I5B.

#### 1.2 Relation to the work programme

EVIDENCEcity responds to the H2020 LC-CLA-11-2020 call, "Innovative nature-based solutions for carbon neutral cities and improved air quality". The main goal of EVIDENCEcity is well aligned with the overall scope of the call, namely to fill the knowledge and evidence gaps regarding the contribution of NBS in tackling air quality and GHG mitigation in cities. The scope of the call will be addressed by EVIDENCEcity as follows:

"assess the direct and indirect contribution of nature-based solutions (…) to combating air pollution, reducing allergy potential and mitigating GHG (…) including future scenarios"

EVIDENCEcity will achieve this scope by performing numerical modelling studies assessing the impacts of NBS on GHG emissions and concentration levels of airborne pollutants. Model simulations will be evaluated against data available from each city. The combination of modelling and monitoring results will allow the consortium to obtain a comprehensive evaluation of baseline scenarios, in order to understand the role of NBS in mitigating air pollution and GHG emissions. Besides this, allergy potential will be assessed by combining conventional pollen observations (analysed in the laboratory for Barcelona and Toulouse) with novel aerosol spectrometer measurement devices. In addition, future air pollution patterns in urban areas will be analysed at a

European scale. Regional climate projections will be derived from Copernicus C3S. (Objective 1, WP4)

Benefits and co-benefits (...), synergies (...) and trade-off (...) must be evaluated

The EVIDENCEcity co-creation process will include an assessment of the main local beneficiaries and actors of the NBS selected for each case study, e.g. local businesses, insurance companies, and local (neighbourhood) associations. The methodology will include the mapping and prioritisation of benefits and co-benefits related to each action in order to evaluate the most adequate business and financial models to address specific needs at each location. Particular attention will be given to citizens' health and well-being (mental and physical), as well as social inequalities, exclusions and gentrification. (Objective 2, WP6)

"continuous monitoring (...) the improvement of relevant modelling capacity, deploying indicators enabling easy assessment (...) comparison and sharing best practices on the ground as well as observational programmes"

In the five Living Labs, this scope will be achieved by using and combining (Objective 1, WP4):

- air quality monitoring: ground-based monitoring data and production of new high-resolution products based on the Copernicus Sentinel satellites (NO<sub>2</sub>, CO and SO<sub>2</sub> column concentrations from Sentinel 5P TROPOMI)
- CO<sub>2</sub> data (OCO-2, OCO-3 and Copernicus Sentinel 5P)
- estimates of annual carbon sequestration in biomass over green areas by means of combining visible and radar satellite imagery data (Copernicus Sentinel-1 and Sentinel-2)

"test innovative governance, business and finance models promoting participatory co-creation processes"

Co-creation and innovative techniques will be the basis of the decision-making process in the Living Labs. Four main inputs will be used for this process: 1) the existing governance model and stakeholders' map for each city; 2) best practices of previous participatory processes on NBS and other sectors; 3) previous NBS projects working on governance innovation and new business models, such as EdiCitNet, Phusicos, Nature4Cities and NATURVATION; and 4) main barriers to effective NBS deployment in terms of different climatic and environmental challenges, socio-economic conditions and urban typologies. This will allow us to design the governance camps, and financial and business model workshops with sufficient information to allow the participants to make informed decisions and select the most adequate NBS. The co-created NBS will be implemented in the five Living Labs, and their impact will be measured to retrofit the EVIDENCEcity methodology. (Objective 3, WP3)

## 1.3 Concept and methodology

#### 1.3.1 Concept underpinning EVIDENCE city

European cities have policy plans and programmes in place towards reducing GHG emissions, improving air quality, and re-naturalising cities in connection with climate mitigation and adaptation, well-being and biodiversity, among others. When these plans require changes in infrastructures, identifying cost-effective alternatives to grey and technology-based infrastructures is key for decision-makers. NBS have demonstrated financial advantages compared to conventional infrastructures; however, wide implementation of NBS to improve urban air quality and reduce GHG emissions still faces three main challenges that will be tackled by EVIDENCEcity:

- Bringing science-based evidence to fill the knowledge gap regarding the real effects of NBS on air pollution reduction and carbon sequestration.
- Assessing the socio-economic impacts of NBS.
- Providing evidence-based co-creation methods that engage all relevant actors, including citizens, in order to design and implement more inclusive NBS.

#### Science-based evidence: NBS and air quality links

NBS can remove airborne pollutants through different mechanisms, such as short-term removal with subsequent resuspension back to the atmosphere, long-term removal when the pollutant is incorporated into structures and sequestrated, or by transfer to another medium (e.g. soil or water). Moreover, NBS can increase the resilience to climate change effects (i.e. reduction of urban heat islands). The efficiency of each NBS type depends on multiple factors, including the type of pollutant, type of vegetation and location of green areas with respect to pollutant concentrations, configuration of the urban structure and design, meteorological conditions, and atmospheric processes governing the city. Recent studies have concluded that there is little empirical evidence that NBS affecting only specific air quality-related processes (e.g. pollutants deposited onto vegetation surfaces or green

roadside barriers to reduce downwind pollution exposure) are effective<sup>3,4</sup>. Moreover, there is an increasing consensus that implementing NBS in urban areas can lead to potential unintended consequences, such as: 1) the trapping of air pollutants in street canyons due to the presence of trees; 2) the possible increase in aeroallergens (i.e. pollen) and biogenic volatile organic compounds; and 3) the formation of secondary pollutants (ozone and secondary organic aerosols)<sup>3</sup>. Finally, as a result of climate change, the problem of the formation of secondary pollutants, which is especially relevant now in Mediterranean cities, may be extended to other latitudes.

EVIDENCE city aims to establish to what extent and under which conditions NBS can effectively contribute to the improvement of urban air quality and reduction of GHG emissions under multiple urban scenarios. We will carry out emission and air pollution modelling using state-of-the-art models available for each pilot city, combined with available monitoring networks and observational programs. Modelling tools will allow us to define what-if scenarios according to the policy goals of each Living Lab, to predict the potential effects of NBS (both positive and negative) before implementing new infrastructure and to better adapt NBS implementation.

#### NBS to tackle air quality and GHG reduction

Several NBS have a potential role in improving urban air quality and reducing urban GHG emissions. The NBS listed below will be analysed in EVIDENCEcity, together with the main process involved to mitigate atmospheric emissions:

- Green corridors and dense green infrastructure → Impact on fossil fuel-based mobility
- Green roofs → Impact on building energy efficiency and reduction of residential energy consumption
- Urban and peri-urban agriculture → Reduction of food mileage and associated transportation emissions
- Other greening interventions (e.g. street trees) → Deposition and increase of carbon sequestration

Special focus will be placed on **green corridors and dense green infrastructure** designed to affect mobility. These two NBS enable a large reduction in fossil fuel-based mobility and a shift in mobility patterns (e.g. walking and cycling). At the same time, these solutions face governance-citizen discussions that will highly benefit from the EVIDENCEcity Living Labs.

## Integrated impact assessment: evaluating the socio-economic impacts of NBS

New policy measures implemented to improve urban air quality and reduce GHG emissions can be beneficial on different socio-economic aspects, but also bring about some unwanted impacts. NBS are complex as they rely on ecosystem functioning that evolves and varies in space and time. Thus, NBS should be explored holistically, assessing socio-economic links to enable policymakers and urban planners to make better-informed decisions.

EVIDENCEcity will evaluate the link between the proposed NBS and different socio-economic aspects. This integrated assessment will have three main lines of work. First, the benefits and co-benefits of NBS, including citizens' health and well-being, biodiversity and climate change adaptation will be assessed. Second, synergies and trade-offs, including impacts on social inequalities, will be evaluated. Finally, the cost-effectiveness and welfare benefits of NBS measures and strategies at the urban and peri-urban landscape scale will be assessed.

### Living Labs: building co-creation platforms

Citizens and businesses experience unavoidable changes when NBS are implemented in a city. Regardless of the scientific evidence and socio-economic benefits that could come from the reduction of air pollution or GHG emissions, we must understand the trade-offs for all relevant actors to successfully implement NBS. Sorting these trade-offs with engagement and empowerment of citizens is necessary to trigger behavioural change and reach mature NBS that can be scaled up, achieving changes towards sustainable future cities.

Co-creation is a cross-cutting issue that EVIDENCEcity will tackle with the creation of a Living Lab for each pilot city. Living Labs will be based on the Quadruple Helix framework<sup>5</sup>, which ensures the active involvement of all relevant actors from the government, community, businesses and academia. Each Living Lab, designed as an open innovation platform, is a loose coalition of local and regional authorities, citizens, civil society, NGOs, community groups, SMEs, businesses, consultancies, universities, research institutes and knowledge networks. Together, they will work through different participatory activities in an interdisciplinary and iterative manner to design, assess and adopt the pilot NBS in each city. After initial testing and co-creation in each cycle, the next step can be to improve, reject, or upscale and replicate the NBS.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> Kumar et al., 2019. The nexus between air pollution, green infrastructure and human health. DOI: 10.1016/j.envint.2019.105181

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Rafael, et al., 2020. Re-Naturing Cities: Evaluating the effects on future air quality in the city of Porto. 10.1016/j.atmosenv.2019.117123

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> Carayannis, et al., 2010. Triple Helix, Quadruple Helix and Quintuple Helix and How Do Knowledge, Innovation and the Environment Relate To Each Other?. DOI:10.4018/jsesd.2010010105

**Table 1.** Main characteristics of the EVIDENCE city Living Labs defined by the city partners, all of which have proven experience in Living Labs processes. The pilot cities have different climatic, geographic, cultural and socioeconomic conditions, and have been selected to represent different environmental challenges regarding air pollution and GHG emissions. This selection ensures a broad perspective on NBS effectiveness at European level.

LIVING LAB

Climate / Geography

City population / Metropolitan area

KRAKOW



Central Europe, Continental

771,069 in city

1.1 million in metropolitan area

**Environmental and socio-economic challenges:** Poor air quality, and major problems with particulate matter (PM) and benzo(a)pyrene levels, mainly caused by household emissions (coal combustion) and poor ventilation conditions. Intensive urbanisation and suburbanisation, investment pressure on green areas and their fragmentation.

**NBS priorities/policy goals:** Create a blue-green network in Krakow and metropolitan area, providing a variety of key ecosystem services to improve air quality, sustainable heavy rain management, urban heat island mitigation, areas for relaxation and recreation, and alternative transport modes.

NBS pilot and location: Blue-green network in Krakow city and the metropolitan area.

**OSLO** 



Northern Europe, Coastal



690,335 in city

1.2 million in metropolitan area

**Environmental and socio-economic challenges:** Poor air quality during the winter due to inversion episodes, rapid urbanisation and densification, growing socio-economic divide between east and west Oslo with large health impacts (e.g. lifestyle diseases, reduced life expectancy), cultural and economic divide between citizens using active modes of transport.

**NBS priorities/policy goals:** Increase amount of green networks, green corridors and vegetation in central parts of the city by 2030. Reduction of 95% in GHG emissions by 2030 (2009 baseline).

**NBS pilot and location:** Green corridors and other green initiatives in conjunction with the extension of *Car Free City* in the neighbourhoods of: Hovinbyen, Kampen, Fagerborg, Torshov and Grünerløkka.

ESSEN



Central Western Europe,

Continental



591,018 in city

5.1 million in metropolitan area

**Environmental and socio-economic challenges:** Exceeding the air quality limits for NO<sub>2</sub>, mainly due to traffic emissions. The city and region are heavily influenced by former industrialisation, and transformation of land use and infrastructure is still in progress. There is still a social and economic divide between the south (Ruhr Valley) and north (Emscher Valley), with an average unemployment of 10.2%.

**NBS priorities/policy goals:** Reform the mobility structure to define a green and blue network, including walking and cycling ways. Reduction of 95% in GHG emissions by 2050 (1990 baseline). Creation of 25,000, green jobs by 2025.

**NBS pilot and location:** Cycling routes within the green-blue (north-south) corridors.

**TOULOUSE** 



Southern Europe, Continental



475,438 in city

762,956 in metropolitan area

**Environmental and socio-economic challenges:** Recurrent overruns of NO<sub>2</sub>. Road transport is the main source of NO<sub>x</sub> emissions in the region, while domestic combustion represents up to 38% of PM emissions. Increase of extreme heatwaves. Population density: increased by more than 20,000 inhabitants per year.

**NBS priorities/policy goals:** *Tree-planting programme* (100,000) for revegetation of the urban landscape, ensuring ecological continuity and enabling the development of green areas in dense urban areas.

**NBS** pilot and location: Green space on the outskirts of the city to restore the degraded ecosystem.

**BARCELONA** 



Mediterranean, Coastal

1.6 million in city

3.2 million in metropolitan area

**Environmental and socio-economic challenges:** High obligatory urban mobility due to imbalances in the location of uses, air pollution (exceeding air quality levels for NO<sub>2</sub>), and increased GHG emissions. Dense and complex territory with 48% of the land urbanised (20% intended for roads), fragmentation of the territory and lack of ecological and social connectivity, social segregation between nearby neighbourhoods, increase in the older population and immigration.

**NBS priorities/policy goals:** Reform the road system to promote active mobility and a shift towards safer, more sustainable, efficient and equitable transportation that helps reduce GHG emissions (40% reduction by 2030, compared to 2005 levels).

**NBS pilot and location:** Transformation of certain roads into green metropolitan avenues in the Llobregat river area and neighbouring areas.

#### 1.3.1.1 Technology Readiness Level (TRL) and positioning of EVIDENCE city

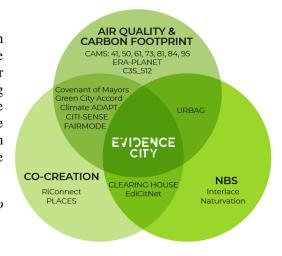
Understanding air pollution dynamics in cities is crucial for decision-making on urban air quality management matters. However, at a regional and/or city scale, local air quality experts often lack access to modelling tools and/or expertise in using these tools to assess the impact of various strategy options on air quality<sup>6</sup>. Air quality management plans typically include measures based on statistical methods that do not sufficiently account for the complex processes affecting urban air quality, which limits the potential effects of these measures, such as in the case of low emission zones for improving urban air quality in European cities<sup>7</sup>.

In each EVIDENCEcity Living Lab, a research centre with experience in the specific air quality dynamics and emissions of the areas of study will work together with local and regional authorities, the community and the business sector to provide solid evidence for maximising the effectiveness of NBS in reducing air pollution and GHG emissions. EVIDENCEcity covers the whole spectrum from testing to the real implementation of NBS in selected cities. The project will advance NBS from TRL5 (technology validated in relevant environment) to reach TRL7 (system prototype demonstration in operational environment) as a result of the co-development process that involves city stakeholders and state-of-the-art research methods and approaches.

#### 1.3.1.2 Links with other research and innovation activities

Figure 1 presents a summary of other research and innovation activities linked to EVIDENCEcity, in which consortium partners are participating. These activities are organised in three key blocks: air quality and carbon footprint, co-creation process in cities (involving the community, businesses and policymakers), and NBS. During the whole duration of the project, we will explore and coordinate synergies between EVIDENCEcity and these (and other) initiatives in order to ensure an efficient use of resources, the highest possible impact and no overlapping with other projects.

Figure 1. Research and innovation activities linked to EVIDENCE city in which consortium members are participating.



### 1.3.2 Methodology

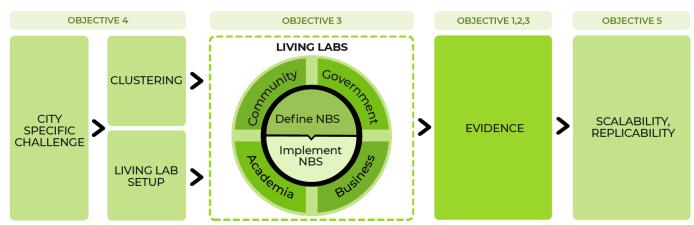


Figure 2. EVIDENCEcity project workflow and related objectives (see section 1.1).

In EVIDENCEcity, city-specific challenges in terms of air quality and GHG emissions will be addressed by building on previous experience (clustering) and setting up five Living Labs. In each Living Lab, the community, academia, businesses and government will work together to define the appropriate NBS to address each city's challenges. Following the NBS implementation, the evidence gathered at each case city will be assessed jointly to determine the scalability and replicability of these solutions. This methodology can then be used to select and implement the appropriate NBS in other cities according to their different environmental, geographic and socio-

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 $<sup>^6</sup>$  EEA, 2019. Europe's urban air quality, re-assessing implementation challenges in cities. DOI: 10.2800/214599

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>7</sup> Holman, et al., 2015. Review of the efficacy of low emission zones to improve urban air quality in European cities. DOI: 10.1016/j.atmosenv.2015.04.009

economic conditions. We describe the detailed methodology of EVIDENCEcity in 8 WPs, which will be coordinated in WP1:

WP1: Management of the project (BSC). Entails quality assurance of the project deliverables, internal communication, project planning, configuration management, reporting and administrative tasks.

WP2: Clustering and cross-project cooperation (EUROCITIES). WP2 aims to ensure the collaboration of EVIDENCEcity with ongoing and future NBS projects, H2020 NBS taskforces (established by DG RTD and EASME) and citizen observatories to create synergies both during and beyond the project's lifetime. Clustering activities will enable information exchange and mutual learning among cities and initiatives. The cooperation between the five EVIDENCEcity Living Labs will create a local community of practice that will be extended through clustering into an EU-wide community of practice, allowing the partner cities to build on each other's experience and outputs, and thus enhance the impact of the project. WP2 will build a 'cooperation matrix' centred on NBS targeting different challenges and using diverse methodological approaches. This matrix will include relevant initiatives (i.e. the Covenant of Mayors), and European platforms that contribute to knowledge exchange and networking (e.g. Climate-ADAPT, ThinkNature, Oppla).

WP3: NBS pilot implementation and governance innovation (SII). WP3 aims to design, test and implement the NBS co-created in the Living Labs. WP3 will use inputs from WP4 (environmental impact of NBS solutions), WP5 (stakeholder engagement) and WP6 (socio-economic impact of NBS solutions) to conceive the participatory decision-making process in each Living Lab. The Living Lab activities will include a set of workshops inspired by the design thinking approach (define, ideate, prototype & test), and academia will provide the necessary information and evidence to allow the participants to make informed decisions. This way, all actors in the Living Lab will work together to select the type of NBS to be implemented, identify innovative governance models, and test business and financial models. Based on this process, guidelines on how to apply the EVIDENCEcity methodology will be shared with municipalities, city planners, businesses and other stakeholders. The process will allow to identify specific policies that could ease the wide deployment of NBS and maximise their impact, and the main conclusions will be shared as policy recommendations to specific EU regulations (see Expected Impact 5).

WP4: Direct and indirect effects of NBS on achieving air pollution reduction and carbon-neutral cities (NILU). WP4 aims to produce solid knowledge on the effectiveness of NBS in improving air quality and reducing GHG emissions. Different scientific methods to support the participatory processes in the Living Labs will be used: Earth system modelling (i.e. emissions, air quality and climate projections), and observational data (i.e. continuous monitoring of atmospheric pollutants and pollen, and satellite information). The first step will be to design feasible scenarios of NBS implementation in the five Living Labs, assessing both direct and indirect effects of NBS by modelling activities. Direct effects include the increase in biogenic emissions, formation of ozone, particle filtering, carbon uptake and reduction of the urban heat island effect. Indirect effects include changes in anthropogenic emissions (e.g. traffic) and mobility pattern shifts as a result of the NBS design. The modelled scenarios will be combined with climate projections to evaluate the consequences under different climate change scenarios. The work will be complemented with an evaluation of the annual carbon budget in biomass and soils by combining visible and radar satellite imagery data, and satellite CO<sub>2</sub> information (OCO products) to demonstrate temporal and spatial variations of carbon stocks and fluxes.

WP5: Co-creation and stakeholder engagement (city2science). Human interaction, conflict, argument and debate are necessary for true innovation. WP5 aims to coordinate and facilitate the co-creation process in the Living Labs by engaging researchers, policy makers, businesses and citizens to enhance the stakeholder and citizen ownership of the NBS implemented in the pilot cities. Mackathons, science parliaments, urban think tanks and other engagement activities will be carried out in WP5 to foster demand-driven and user-led innovation, and inform back to WP3 for the implementation of the pilot NBS. The lessons learnt will be shared to provide practical evidence of successful and ineffective approaches that can be replicated or improved in other contexts.

**WP6:** Assessment of the socio-economic impacts (UAB). WP6 will deliver an integrated assessment of the NBS that are considered in the project, in order to share knowledge with other cities and support the implementation and monitoring of NBS. This assessment will be tailored to local city needs and conditions to gather evidence on the effects of NBS on: human well-being and health; resilience of the urban area (ecological connectivity, integrity, and degree of resource optimisation); social justice (social inequalities, vulnerability, equity, and stakeholder preferences); and cost-effectiveness (costs, benefits, and co-benefits).

**WP7:** Scalability, replicability and business model development (WR, EUROCITIES). WP7 aims to enhance the impact and promote the upscaling and replication of NBS. It will explore, characterise and assess constraints and enabling factors important for scalability, replicability and business model development in different contexts. We will develop scalable business models to capitalise NBS in relation to air quality and carbon-neutral cities (e.g. the

revenue sharing model relying on impact-based finance mechanisms). It will deliver conditions, causal factors and mechanisms describing how interventions work in context, offering insights to extend the results beyond the lifespan of the project. In addition, to support replication of the project results, up to 10 companion cities across Europe will be selected and matched with the pilot cities. Companion cities will be involved in capacity-building activities (e.g. replication workshops to discuss challenges, drivers and solutions), webinars, and peer-learning visits (e.g. study visits and/or mentoring visits), expanding the EVIDENCEcity community of practice.

WP8: Outreach, dissemination and training activities (BSC). WP8 will assess, integrate, and disseminate EVIDENCEcity findings to foster a broader understanding of the potential of NBS for achieving air quality and climate neutrality policy goals. WP8 will support capacity building in WP7 (training), and carry out a wide range of outreach and dissemination activities tailored to a diverse audience. An interdisciplinary approach will be used that takes into account different perspectives (natural, social and data sciences) and disciplines (economics, urban planning, architecture, design, governance and arts).

#### 1.3.2.1 Sex and gender analysis

In urban decision-making processes, gender equality is critical as women and men face different challenges in participation and representation. We will follow integrative models of engagement and foster gender-sensitive approaches in all phases of the project, from conceptualisation and implementation to reflection and recommendation. Setting up governance models will require equitable and sustainable partnerships, involving men and women, as well as partners from different age groups and social backgrounds. In the consortium, 7 out of the 8 WPs are led by women, and we will encourage the recruitment of women at equal technical merit. We will also promote a family-friendly organisation of the work by developing e-conference tools to limit travel and encourage working-time flexibility, which will be helpful for staff with young children.

#### 1.4 Ambition

#### 1.4.1 Advances beyond the state of the art and ambition

**EVIDENCEcity will support the transition towards zero GHG emissions and help transform Europe** in line with the European Green Deal objectives. To achieve the climate neutrality aim by 2050, cities will need to find fit-for-purpose solutions to target the specific challenges imposed by climate change and air pollution. Cities and metropolitan authorities should implement changes in the areas where they already have considerable policy influence, such as transport, infrastructure and land use. To support the transition to zero carbon emissions, EVIDENCEcity will co-develop and co-design NBS in five Living Labs, and support the upscaling and replication of NBS that promote the reduction of air pollution.

**EVIDENCE**city will prepare cities for upcoming EU policy measures by providing evidence and guidelines to help them achieve cleaner air and better health for current and future generations in light of the planned Zero Pollution Action Plan and the European Green Deal. The project also aspires to create an opportunity for optimising the implementation of NBS with the final aim of improving urban air quality.

**EVIDENCE**city will inspire future initiatives to include citizen empowerment and innovative co-governance. The divisiveness surrounding improving urban air quality and reducing the carbon footprint at the various levels of government requires co-creation and co-governance, while citizens must have a substantial role, knowledge and resources in order to act as drivers for the transition to sustainable future cities. EVIDENCEcity will demonstrate this through sharing the lessons learnt in the Living Labs.

## 1.4.2 Innovation potential

There are several commercial and open access products covering: urban air quality modelling (e.g. ADMS-Urban), emission inventories and models (e.g. EMEP/CEIP emission inventory), satellite data (e.g. Sentinel missions), pollen observations (e.g. Point Information on Aerobiology), climate projections (e.g. Copernicus Climate Data Store), and monitoring stations (e.g. EIONET). However, there is not yet a tool that integrates all these aspects in combination with the co-development of new governance models. EVIDENCEcity is expected to enable innovations across the whole value chain, from the configuration of products, services and models, to the offering and experience of new NBS. To achieve this, we will make collaboration across disciplines and sectors a real practise. The engagement of cities both inside and outside the consortium will be sustained from the early phases of the project through their involvement in essential tasks, such as designing case studies and feasible scenarios and data source identification, which are crucial steps for the realisation of innovation and for producing outcomes relevant for policy making. We will test the cases within real decision situations, defining key challenges and possible solutions to adjust the plan if required. In that way, we will follow the conceptual model of innovation

**based on Invention–Application–Adaptation**. However, this high level of ambition also entails a risk. The complexity of social and natural scientific models may interact with the complex governance structure at city and metropolitan level. This is well known in the multidisciplinary consortium behind EVIDENCEcity; therefore, the project plan includes a research-policy interface supported by the communication with stakeholders and the society.

#### 2 Impact

## 2.1 Expected impacts

This section describes how EVIDENCEcity addresses the expected impacts of the call topic, and lists quantified impact indicators and their respective targets to be completed by the end of the project (2025):

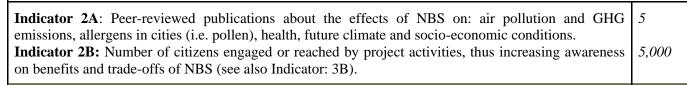
Expected impact 1: In the mid-term, the creation of an European reference framework and the establishment of EU leadership in a new global market (supply and demand) for NBS, new economic opportunities, new products, services, protocols and standards, planning approaches and methods, leverage of investments, reduced regulative and administrative barriers, and new local green jobs

EVIDENCEcity will create economic opportunities for combating air pollution and GHG emissions in European cities. The project will demonstrate how NBS have financial advantages due to their cost-effectiveness. Five **Living Labs** across Europe will act as testbeds to co-create innovative methodologies to implement NBS in urban innovation ecosystems. We will guide policymakers through their practical implementation, supporting them to tackle socio-economic and environmental challenges. The planning approaches and methods tested in the five Living Labs will enable replications and scale-ups of proven and optimal NBS for **carbon-neutral cities across Europe**. This will transform the market potential of NBS by identifying commercial opportunities, thereby supporting the creation of new local green jobs.

<b>Indicators 1A-C:</b> Number of EU stakeholders engaged for replication and scale-up efforts:	
1A: Private sector NBS service providers	15
<b>1B:</b> Urban planner, who can integrate NBS into city planning	20
1C: Local and regional authorities who can replicate and scale-up NBS implementation	30
Indicator 1D: Business models assessed and proposed for NBS for improved air quality	5

Expected impact 2: Increased evidence and awareness of the benefits of re-naturing cities for combating air pollution and mitigating climate change and for improving health, well-being and resilience to the impacts of climate change.

EVIDENCEcity will merge innovative and advanced **scientific evidence** (monitoring and modelling) with new **participatory and inclusive innovation models** (novel governance, business and finance models) through **cocreation** with businesses, local and regional governments, academia, and citizens. This transdisciplinary approach will allow partners to quantify and understand how NBS contribute to improve urban air quality and to reduce GHG emission in current and future climate conditions and in a wide variety of urban scenarios. By assessing how NBS benefit citizen health and well-being, the project will reduce existing uncertainties and enhance the uptake and implementation of NBS. The project will raise awareness on the benefits of NBS in all relevant sectors of society by applying: a) a series of **participatory processes** in the Living Labs, b) defined **capacity building** actions in urban environments and c) an **effective communication and dissemination** strategy (e.g. ad-hoc local campaigns).



Expected impact 3: Creation of 'communities of practice', more effective policy making and better informed decision making across Europe, based on an EU-wide evidence base regarding efficacy, efficiency, cost-benefiting and comparative advantages of a range of tested, well documented, up-scalable and marketable NBS

The five **Living Labs** will be the inception of **local communities of practice** to share the main problems, barriers and success stories in the process of greening our cities. The experience acquired in these five communities will be extended to a broader network of **companion cities**, building an **EU-wide community of** 

**practice**. This community will learn from each other through EVIDENCEcity capacity-building activities, dissemination of methodologies, guidelines and lessons learnt in the project. In addition, the project will enhance the market uptake of NBS for air quality and climate-neutral cities by engaging SMEs and other innovation-prone businesses in the conversation. The EU-wide evidence collected in the project will help policymakers to make better-informed decisions.

Indicator 3A: Minimum number of companion cities associated with EVIDENCEcity	10
<b>Indicator 3B:</b> Number of dissemination and engagement actions within the communities of practice: 4	30
replication workshops, 4 webinars, 5 factsheets, 10 peer-learning visits of companion cities, 6	
online/printed dissemination materials and 1 policy brief	

Expected impact 4: Enhanced stakeholder and citizen ownership of the solutions through their effective and systematic involvement in co-creation processes for the development, implementation, monitoring and testing of the solutions and their integration in sustainable urban planning and design;

Co-creation between stakeholders and citizens is at the core of the EVIDENCEcity approach. Based on the Quadruple Helix framework, the Living Labs will connect government, citizens, businesses and academia throughout all project stages from design to implementation and evaluation. This will allow the development of city-tailored solutions that will encourage technological innovation, improved urban planning and design and better-informed policies. In this framework, citizen and business involvement and behavioural change are essential in achieving exponential changes towards socially and environmentally sustainable future cities. Mackathons, science parliaments, urban think tanks and other engagement activities will empower citizens and businesses ensuring that they play a key role in the co-development of NBS implemented in EVIDENCEcity.

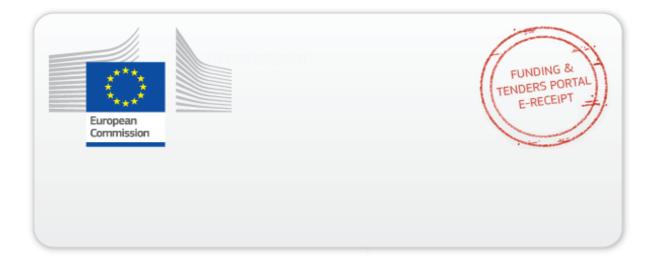
<b>Indicator 4A:</b> Number of stakeholders involved in development, monitoring and testing of NBS	150
<b>Indicator 4B:</b> Number of participatory and engagement activities within the Living Labs	40
<b>Indicator 4C:</b> Increase of perceived citizen ownership of NBS after participating in the Living Labs	30%

Expected impact 5: Enhanced implementation of relevant EU air quality regulations and environmental policies and programmes, such as the EU Water Framework Directive, the 7th Environment Action Programme, the Urban Agenda for the EU, the Clean Air Programme, the EU Biodiversity Strategy, the EU Climate Change Adaptation Strategy and the conclusions of the COP21 Paris Agreement, and the 'Communication on Green Infrastructures', and of the Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) – in particular SDG 11 'Make cities and human settlements inclusive, safe, resilient and sustainable'

The ultimate goal of EVIDENCEcity is to contribute to SDG 11 'making cities and communities more sustainable'. The project will establish direct links between NBS implemented in the Living Labs and their impact on air quality, GHG emissions, health, and well-being. By analysing these links and the impact generated, policy recommendations will be developed to support EU policies favouring NBS, helping to achieve the ambitious objectives of the European Green Deal. We will analyse all related EU policy documents and will use the Living Labs to organise science-policy workshops to determine the most adapted policies to ensure a successful implementation of NBS in the five cities of the consortium and beyond. Some concrete examples of EVIDENCEcity contribution to EU regulations are given below:

Clean Air programme: the evidence and data generated in the Living Labs will contribute to the implementation of EU air quality regulations and air pollution limit values. The Living Labs will also assess the contribution of their NBS to the cities' objectives set in their energy and/or climate action plans, contributing to reducing local GHG emissions and improving resilience to climate change. <u>EU Climate Change Adaptation Strategy</u>: the partner cities will contribute to strengthening Europe's resilience to the impacts of climate change. Four out of five are signatories of the Covenant of Mayors and they are working to include the climate adaptation aspects into the new plans, and two (Barcelona and Oslo) are members of the global C40 network. <u>EU Biodiversity Strategy to 2020</u>: EVIDENCEcity will contribute to maintain and restore ecosystems and their services, and create evidence for integration of NBS into urban planning for increasing biodiversity, also in the context of the upcoming new EU biodiversity strategy.

Indicator 5A: Number of EU policies addressed by the EVIDENCEcity policy recommendations	10
Indicator 5B: Number of organised science-policy workshops	3



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