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**Questionnaire for partner search for ROOF, a new URBACT exchange project on eradicating long term homelessness in European cities (URBACT call Jan 2019)**

Please fill in the questionnaire to help us understand why the topic is relevant for your city or region, what you have to offer and what you are looking for yourself. This will enable us to consider your city or region for our project and to form a balanced group of partners in a way that the project is valuable for every partner. The answers will also be helpful to write the application.

Please send back the filled in questionnaire to [patricia.vanderbauwhede@stad.gent](mailto:patricia.vanderbauwhede@stad.gent) and [Ariana.tabaku@stad.gent](mailto:Ariana.tabaku@stad.gent) no later than **20 February 2019**.

Should you have any questions, do not hesitate to e-mail or call.

Any relevant information is also welcome.

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| Details | |
| City/region and country |  |
| Type of organisation: | City, municipality, town  Infra-municipal tier of government e.g. city district, borough,…  Metropolitan authority and organised agglomerations  Local agencies as defined as public or semi-public organisations set up by a city, partially or fully owned by the city authority (max. 2 allowed per project). |
| Number of inhabitants |  |
| Estimated number of homeless people in your city/region |  |
| Status (In case you don’t know, you can look at it here: <http://ec.europa.eu/regional_policy/nl/information/maps/#1> ) | Less developed region  Developed region |
| Contact person: name, e-mail, telephone/mobile number |  |
| Role in the organisation |  |
| Have you applied to other URBACT projects? Which one/s? |  |

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| Questions | |
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| 1. Who are you: please give a short overview of your organisation and the city/region it covers, linked to the topic of the proposal |  |
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| 1. What are the main challenges your city is faced with concerning combatting homelessness |  |
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| 1. A) What is your city’s/region’s general approach to eradicating homelessness   B) Could you also give some specific /projects (ongoing or past) and insights |  |
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| 1. Is it feasible to strive for functional zero\* in your city   *(\*the situation in a community where homelessness has become a manageable problem. That is, the availability of services and resources match or exceed the demand for them from the target population. And emergency shelters are meant to be temporary. The goal is permanent housing.)* |  |
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| 1. Which effective and/or innovative instrument(s)/approach(es) does your city have that could be interesting for sharing with the network |  |
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| 1. A) On which topic(s) or subtopic(s) below do you   want to learn more? What are your expectations  and learning needs?   1. What learning experience regarding which (sub)topic below can you offer the other cities in the network?   *In our scope there are two main questions/topics:*   1. *innovative solutions for homelessness, specifically regarding*    1. *Policy development*    2. *New structures to ‘socialise’ the private housing stock*    3. *Examples of innovative practices*    4. *Cooperation models of public and private sector (commercial) and civil society organisations*    5. *Different solutions for different groups within the homeless population*    6. *humane models to work with groups without residence permit* 2. *improving data collection and analysis about the homeless population to steer policy* |  |
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| 1. How can the exchange of information on this topic contribute to addressing your local challenges |  |
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| 1. Please feel free to share comments, proposals,… on the formulated scope (see e-mail) e.g. a related topic that would fit the scope that you would like to suggest |  |
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