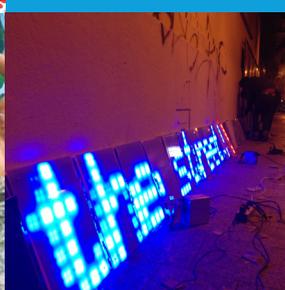




# European Citizens' Laboratory for Empowerment: CiTles Shared

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## Questioning the role of cultural and creative actors in strengthening citizens' empowerment in urban making.

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A cooperation between 11 European and international partners from 9 countries. Cultural and creative actors working on links between culture, creation and social innovation. A transverse, structured and sustainable approach to:

- Empower citizens to drive local change for long-term impacts
- Encourage creativity and appropriation of urban space
- Enhance European urban space diversity

### Experimentations

**Laboratories in 6 European cities** are implemented through **artistic** residences and workshops based on local, **participative and crossways approach**, integrating complementary fields: art, urban planning, architecture, new uses and new technologies.

Multidisciplinary artists and creative actors, citizens, local and European authorities are invited to share and answer **local issues**, through innovative and artistic projects, **experimenting and analysing** various approaches, methods and tools to **favour citizens' knowledge and action potential** on urban environment.

### Open artistic participatory events and debates

are organised to mobilise **citizens, local stakeholders and authorities** on urban issues, raising awareness and action capacity, enabling innovative forms for consultation and favouring a co-diagnosis and co-design for European urban development.

### Observation & recommendations

The partners will lead an **observation and analysis of the processes** and actions initiated, to evaluate and put them into perspective, in an integrated approach - from local to political levels - in order to **identify tools and draft political recommendations**, during a final symposium, to be disseminated in Europe and beyond.

**ECLECTIS action will be extended by the development of a European network on Citizens' empowerment in urban context.**

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