**Guangzhou International Award for Urban Innovation 2014**

With the cooperation of United Cities and Local Governments (UCLG) and the World Association of Major Metropolises (Metropolis), the city of Guangzhou will hold the second edition of the International Award for Urban Innovation 2014.

The first edition has been launched on November 15th-17th 2012 in Guangzhou, China where approximately 150 cities participated in many activities which covered many topics such as Urban Planning and Management, Environment, Housing, Mobility, Social Services and Citizen Participation. The aim of this international event is to promote innovation in urban sustainability and resilience for improving the quality of life of citizens.

All cities and local governments are invited to participate to the second edition of the Guangzhou Award 2014, including members of UCLG and Metropolis, to submit several initiatives. They can apply their initiative in several fields such as Public Services, Organization and Administration, Partnership and Citizen Involvement, Smart City, Sustainable City, and others which should represent an original undertaking in a city or region such as a new policy, a practice, a project or a business model, even those which are implemented in collaboration with private and civil partners. There will be 5 winners which will be awarded with USD 20,000, apart from a trophy and a certificate. Winners will also be invited to attend side events including the Guangzhou International Conference on Urban Innovation, seminars and exhibitions on urban innovation and the award ceremony.

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