

Baltic Sea Region Cities top of the World in Climate Ambition



INFORMATION PACKAGE ON UBC-CDP COOPERATION

UBC/CDP COOPERATION REACHES FOURTH YEAR!

After the good results of the first three years of our cooperation, we encourage all UBC member cities to get involved and **show initiative in climate leadership** in Baltic Sea Region.

From 2018 onwards, the new and improved CDP reporting platform brings together several previously separate surveys (C40 Cities, Covenant of Mayors and ICLEI), allowing cities to report their climate data in a simpler and more intuitive way.

Throughout the reporting period, both CDP and UBC will be offering **guidance and training for the member cities** to help cities collect and report their climate data.

The reporting period this year will be open from April 2020 till 26 August 2020.



DISCLOSURE CYCLE 2020

Improved functionality

Revised CDP Cities questionnaire



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of MAYORS for
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Joint reporting tool with Global Covenant of Mayors, ICLEI and C40 Cities no need to report separately, our partners receive your data automatically.



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WHY SHOULD YOUR CITY REPORT TO CDP?

10 great reasons:



A global network



Identify gaps in climate planning



Benchmark your results against others'



GCoM, C40 Cities & ICLEI questions integrated



Get guidance



Share and utilize Best Practices



Internal tool for tracking your climate efforts



Demonstrate improvement



Transparency and trustworthiness



Profile your climate projects with CDP's investor network

DISCLOSURE CYCLE 2020

- Better user experience when filling in the questionnaire
- "Local Government Emissions" section has been removed
- New "Waste" section has been added

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DISCLOSURE INSIGHT ACTION

HOW TO PARTICIPATE IN CLIMATE REPORTING?



DISCLOSURE CYCLE 2020

- **Unified reporting platform** – cities report to multiple initiatives at the same time, e.g. Global Covenant of Mayors or ICLEI’s carbonn Climate Registry and C40 Cities
- New questions for ICLEI’s Green Climate Cities, C40 Cities and Global Covenant of Mayors Cities
- Make sure **to report before the deadline** so that your City will receive a score for 2020 and your input will be used for the next UBC report!



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ABOUT CDP AND RESULTS FROM LAST YEAR

CDP, formerly Carbon Disclosure Project, is an international, not-for-profit organization providing a global system for companies, cities, states and regions to measure, disclose, manage and share vital information on their environmental performance. Over the past 17 years CDP has created a system that has resulted in unparalleled engagement on environmental issues worldwide.

CDP now holds the most comprehensive collection globally of primary environmental data and puts these insights at the heart of strategic business, investment and policy decisions. Follow [@CDP](https://twitter.com/CDP) on Twitter and www.cdp.net/en to find out more.

RESULTS FROM 2019

CDP and UBC co-campaigned in spring 2019 to get more cities in the Baltic Sea Region to join the reporting. The number of BSR cities that disclosed in 2019 is 62 of which 26 were UBC member cities. We are happy to announce that a number of cities continue reporting consistently and benchmark their own progress. **The goal for this year is to promote the value of the reported data by UBC cities involved, raise the awareness of the benefits for reporting cities and to increase the quality of questionnaire responses given by UBC cities.**



QUESTIONS? ASK AWAY!



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