

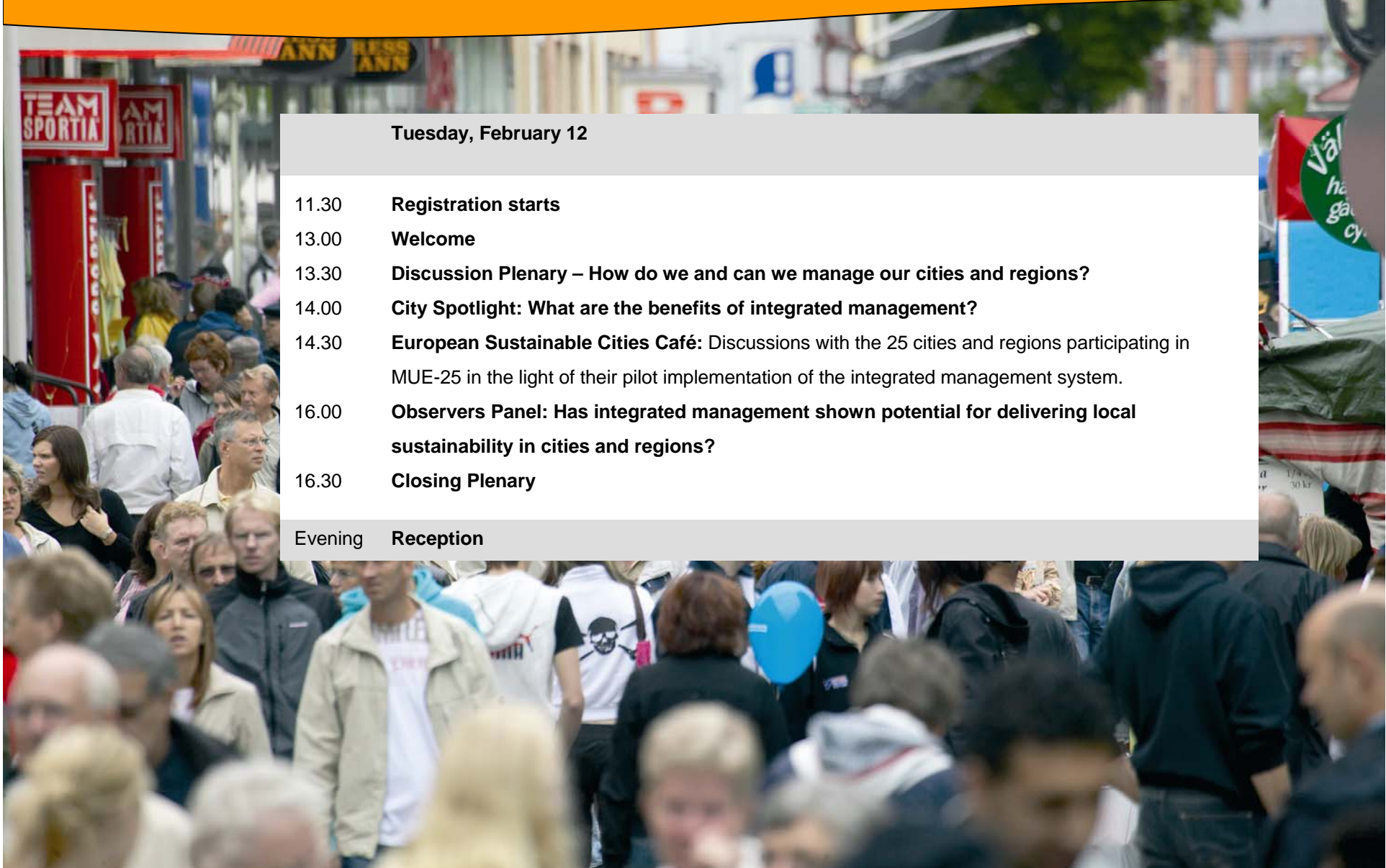


# Managing a Sustainable Future for Cities and Regions

Managing Urban Europe-25 Conference, 12-13 February 2008, Draft Programme

## Tuesday, February 12

- 11.30 **Registration starts**
- 13.00 **Welcome**
- 13.30 **Discussion Plenary – How do we and can we manage our cities and regions?**
- 14.00 **City Spotlight: What are the benefits of integrated management?**
- 14.30 **European Sustainable Cities Café:** Discussions with the 25 cities and regions participating in MUE-25 in the light of their pilot implementation of the integrated management system.
- 16.00 **Observers Panel: Has integrated management shown potential for delivering local sustainability in cities and regions?**
- 16.30 **Closing Plenary**
- Evening **Reception**





**Wednesday, February 13**

09.00 **Opening Plenary**

09.30 **Intro to parallel workshops – Session A: From climate change to equity**

**A1:** Climate/ Energy

**A2:** Natural Common Goods

**A3:** Responsible Consumption

**A4:** Sustainable Transport/Mobility

**A5:** Health and Equity

11.15 **Observers Panel:** Integrated management as an instrument to handle sustainability aspects

14.30 **Intro to parallel workshops – Session B: From Aalborg to Gothenburg & Lisbon**

**Parallel workshops - Session B:**

**B1:** Viable local economies

**B2:** Quality of Life in Cities and Regions

**B3:** The territorial agenda

**B4:** Education & Capacity Building for Sustainable Development

**B5:** Environmental Management Systems: Thematic Strategy on the Urban Environment & EMAS

16.00 **Observers Panel:** Integrated management as an instrument to fulfil EU policies on the local level

16.45 **Closing Plenary**

The launch of the MUE-25 cities' commitment for the future

17.30 **Closing of the Forum**