Dear members,

On behalf of the Committee on Social Inclusion, Participatory Democracy and Human Rights of UCLG, we are pleased to invite you to the 5th Human Rights World Forum, to be held in Nantes (France) from 22 to 25 May 2013. This edition main topic will be: 'Human Rights – Sustainable Development: the same fight?'. Enclosed you will find the invitation letter from Ms Maite Fandos, Chair of the Committee and Deputy Mayor of Barcelona, and Ms Delphine Bouffenie, Vice Chair of the Committee and Municipal Councillor of Nantes.

Since its creation in 2004, the Nantes Human Rights World Forum aims to promote the implementation of human rights at the local level, being fully part of the thinking and the actions within the commission. In 2010, 2800 participants representing a hundred different nationalities assisted to the event.

The Forum is a privileged space that offers to the local authorities’ representatives the possibility to present their politics, projects and programs of human rights guarantee and to know experiences from other municipalities.

To the meeting are also called to participate all categories of actors in the field of human rights throughout the world (experts, civil society representatives, international organisations...) with the goal to ensure that these actors work together to define and implement collectively public policies aimed to make human rights come true for the inhabitants of cities.
We invite you to download to 5th Human Rights World Forum invitation and presentation through the following links:

- Invitation letter
- Forum presentation and programme

We would like to take this opportunity to kindly invite you to follow the latest news of the UCLG Committee on Social Inclusion, Participatory Democracy and Human Rights through Facebook and Twitter.

Best regards,

The UCLG World Secretariat
on behalf of the Committee on Social Inclusion, Participative Democracy and Human Rights