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# **UITP Sustainable Development Commission Work Programme**

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**Connecting the world of public transport**

# UITP Sustainable Development Commission

***Mission:** Promote the positive contribution public transport makes to sustainable development*

## **Objectives:**

- Create a platform which allows a greater exchange of ideas, experience and best practice
- Develop the Sustainable Development Charter programme
- Integrate best practices into tools
- Support UITP's lobbying activities



# UITP Sustainable Development Commission

## Work Programme: 2012 - 2013



### Objectives:

- A) Developing and Influencing Policies
- B) Raising Awareness
- C) Sharing and Improving Knowledge

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## ***A. Develop and Influence Policy***

### **Climate Change EU Policy Working Group**

- Provide expertise for commenting, reacting and preparing opinions on climate change and energy related EU policies
- Act as a sounding board for international lobbying efforts

### **ISO 26000 Working Group**

- Develop a position on an EU Communication in relation to the standard
- Develop voluntary guidelines for the public transport sector and align with the SD Charter

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## *B. Raise Awareness*

### **Breakthroughs**

- Showcase best practices in publications and events to illustrate how the public transport sector is making sustainable development a reality

### **Campaigns and Initiatives**

- Forge campaigns with international and European partners

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## ***C. Share and Improve Knowledge***

### **Analysis and Development**

- Identification of best practice through analysis of sustainable development reporting data

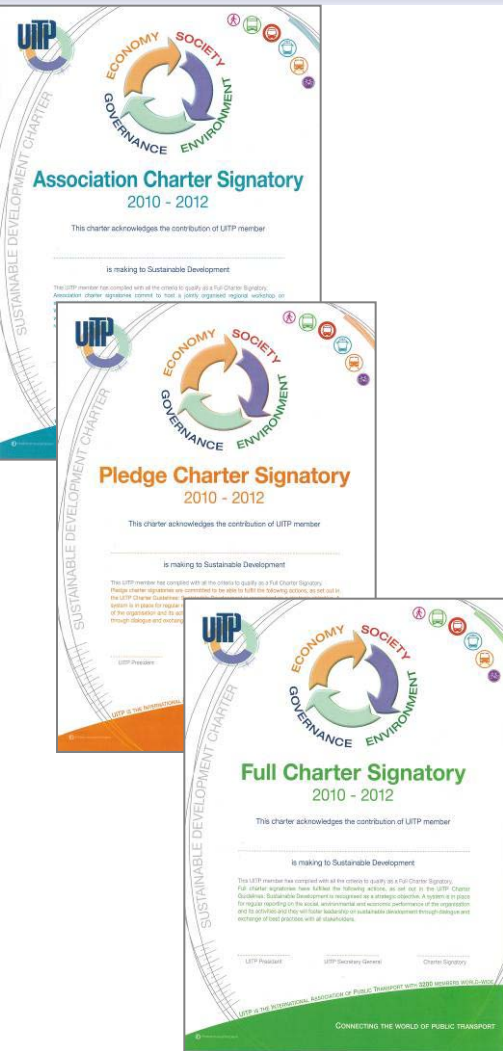
### **Training and Coaching**

- Develop a training programme which introduces examples of best practice and Charter tools

### **Collaborative Working**

- Develop a pilot programme where members work together so as to build capacity through the exchange of ideas and experiences

# UITP Sustainable Development Charter Planned developments



- Tool for organisations to manage, measure and report their sustainability performance:
  - Integrate the Charter with best practices and sustainability standards – ISO 26000
  - Training programme - identifying best practice and introducing tools of the Charter
- Continue to increase the number of signatories
  - Raise awareness through lobbying activities

# Questions

