



LEAGUE OF HISTORICAL AND ACCESSIBLE CITIES 2010-2014 EVENTS

2010

19 February Madrid, SPAIN	LHAC kick-off meeting	Internal Meeting
11 May Brussels, BELGIUM	Meeting of LHAC members	Internal Meeting
8 October Avila, SPAIN	Meeting of LHAC members	Internal Meeting
6 December Galway, IRELAND	LHAC project presented to Irish local authorities at The Key Role of Local Government in Promoting Disability Inclusion - Ireland and the World conference.	National /Local Event
December	The city of Avila won the first edition of the Access City Award http://europa.eu/rapid/press-release_IP-10-1641_en.htm?locale=en	Campaign Mention/ Prize

2011

25 February Brussels, BELGIUM	LHAC Technical Meeting with Via Libre (now Ilunion) and ENAT	Internal Meeting
10 June Lucca, ITALY	LHAC and Lucca's project were presented to public authorities, local associations and citizens. http://www.fondazionebmlucca.it/attivita/propri/p3benef/luccac_c2.html	International Event
16-17 June Turin, ITALY	Presentation of the LHAC project at the Global Forum On Accessible Cities , organised by Fondazione Cassa Risparmio di Torino, Global Partnership for Disability and Development (GPDD) and the World Bank. http://www.accessibletourism.org/?i=enat.en.events.1160	International Event

3 March Paris, FRANCE	Presentation of the LHAC project during the event Communiquer positivement sur l'accessibilité (To communicate positively on accessibility) organized by Foundation Reunica and Communication Publique	National /Local Event
4 March Brussels, BELGIUM	Presentation of the EFC Consortium of Foundations on Human Rights and Disability including the project of the League of Historical and Accessible Cities at the Social Economy Europe Meeting	International Event
3-4 November Avila, SPAIN	The LHAC project was presented during the II Jornadas Accessibilidad y Patrimonio , a conference organized by the Spanish Network of Unesco Cultural Heritage Cities on Historical Heritage and Accessibility http://www.ciudadespatrimonio.org/agenda/eventos.php?id=49	National /Local Event
29 November Paris, FRANCE	Meeting of LHAC members	Internal Meeting

2012

January	LHAC took part in the Roadmap towards and beyond the European Year 2012 for Active Ageing and Solidarity between Generations . http://www.lhac.eu/resources/press-releases/league-project-included-in-the-roadmap-for-the-european-year-of-active-ageing.pdf	Campaign Mention/ Prize
19-20 January Mulhouse, FRANCE	Technical meeting with stakeholders organized by Mulhouse Municipality and the Reunica Foundation	Internal Meeting
9 February Istanbul, TURKEY	Presentation of the LHAC and Avila accessible project at the World Bank conference: Improving the Measurement of Disability and Ensuring Enabling Environment: Lessons from International Experience . http://siteresources.worldbank.org/TURKEYEXTN/Resources/361711-1328710573908/WorldGoodPracticesWorkshop-en.pdf	International Event
14 February Paris, FRANCE	Presentation of the LHAC project in EUROCITIES Barrier-free Cities for All group meeting. http://www.eurocities.eu/eurocities/home	Internal Meeting
July	The LHAC is registered in the European Commission's Sustainable Urban Mobility Campaign DO THE RIGHT MIX campaign action. http://www.lhac.eu/?i=accessible-cities.en.news-events.84	Campaign Mention/ Prize
27 August Montevideo, URUGUAY	LHAC was awarded as an example of good practice in the conference Turismo Accessible , organised by Via Libre, to the Sports and Tourism Ministry	International Event
7 September Brussels, BELGIUM	Meeting of LHAC members	Internal Meeting
16-17 September Milan, ITALY	The LHAC mid-term evaluation was presented at the Learning Lab organized by the EFC and Fondazione Cariplo. http://www.efc.be/programmes_services/professional-development/ell/l	International Event
21 September Mulhouse, FRANCE	Presentation of the cultural and accessible itinerary of Mulhouse and the LHAC project at the " Disability and Natural and Cultural Heritage " meeting.	National/ Local Event
22 September Lucca, ITALY	LHAC and Lucca's project presented at Rotary Club Lucca, as a result of a call of project proposals by young citizens initiated in the town. One of the winners participates in Lucca's accessibility project.	National/Local Event
1-4 October La Antigua, GUATEMALA	Avila's project was presented during the " Seminario Iberoamericano sobre Accesibilidad Universal " event organized by AECID, Via Libre/Once Foundation. http://www.aecid.es/ES/Paginas/Sala%20de%20Prensa/Noticias/	International Event

	2013/2013_05/2013_04_25_seminario_iberoamericano_accesibilidad_universal_disenho_para_todos.aspx	
11 October Brussels, BELGIUM	The LHAC project was presented at the workshop eAccessibility for all – from words to action organised by the EPC European Policy Centre. http://www.lhac.eu/?i=accessible-cities.en.news-events.155	International Event
18 October Lucca, ITALY	LHAC and Lucca's project was presented as a best practice during the Lu.Bec. - Lucca Beni Culturali , a conference dedicated to sharing knowledge on cultural heritage, technology practices, and tourism (organised by Promo P.A. Fondazione). http://www.digitalmeetsculture.net/article/lubec-2012-knowledge-and-development-of-cultural-heritage-technology-tourism/	International Event
Autumn Viborg, DENMARK	Exhibition of the two winning proposals of the first round of the architectural competition regarding disability access in Viborg, Denmark. http://www.lhac.eu/resources/toolip/doc/2012/02/16/viborg_jury-report_long-summary-020212.pdf	National/ Local Event
23 October Montecatini Terme (Pistoia), ITALY	Presentation of Lucca's accessible project as a best practice model of collaboration between public and private bodies during a national conference aimed at presenting new research and technology on accessibility within Italian municipalities.	National/Local Event
25 October Paris, FRANCE	Presentation of the LHAC and the European projects at the Training Tools for Accessible Towns event. Organized by Foundation Reunica and ARVHA. http://arvha.asso.fr/actualites/2012.php?p=25octobre	National/ Local Event
31 October Rome, ITALY	Seminar addressing the LHAC's and Lucca's projects as successful developments during the Accessibility for All: a Goal for the City Training Tools for Accessible Towns Outcomes _event. http://www.abitareeanziani.it/aea/Portals/0/Allegati/LocandinaConvegno%20TTAT.pdf	National/ Local Event
7 NOVEMBER PARIS, FRANCE	The candidacy of the Mulhouse project at the Public Communicators 2012 award event which included a presentation of the LHAC project.	National/ Local Event
13 November Lyon, FRANCE	Presentation of the cultural and accessible itinerary of Mulhouse and LHAC projects' at the Quelles possibilités pour réussir l'accessibilité meeting ("how to make a success with accessibility?").	National/ Local Event

2013

	2013	
31 January Madrid, SPAIN	The LHAC was presented during on the occasion of the International Tourism Fair (FITUR) organized by the WTO in the workshop Accesibilidad: una ventaja competitiva en los destinos turísticos . to discuss good practices in tourism accessibility from across Europe and Latin America http://www.lhac.eu/?i=accessible-cities.en.news-events.87	International Event
21-22 March Paris, FRANCE	The LHAC and Mulhouse projets were presented during the European symposium Patrimoines et Accessibilité - Comment rendre accessibles aux personnes handicapées, les villes, les monuments et les sites protégés en Europe? http://archive.france.icomos.org/fr/comite_groupe/groupe_normes/colloque_accessibilitae.htm	International Event
10-14 April Lucca, ITALY	The LHAC and Lucca project's Città di Lucca... diventare accessibile was presented during Villaggio Solidale 2013 (a National event organized by voluntary organizations). http://www.centrovolontariato.net/2012/11/a-lucca-nel-2013-il-festival-del-volontariato/	National/ Local Event

18 April Caceras, SPAIN	Avila's project was presented during the " Jornadas Accesibilidad y Movilidad al Patrimonio " conference organized by the Spanish Network of Unesco Cultural Heritage Cities on Historical Heritage and Accessibility. http://www.tribunaavila.com/noticias/avila-estara-presente-en-las-iii-jornadas-de-accesibilidad-y-movilidad-en-el-patrimonio/1366195699	International Event
22-26 April Lima, PERU	Avila's project discussed during the " Seminario Iberoamericano sobre Accesibilidad Universal " organized by the AECID, ACS Foundation, and Spanish Disability Royal Patronage. http://periodico.laciudadaccesible.com/educacion/item/3523-avila-esta-presente-en-el-seminario-iberoamericano-sobre-accesibilidad-universal	International Event
31 May-2 June Viborg, DENMARK	Handicap Idrætsfestival (handicap sportsfestival), Organized by the Danish Handicap Sports Union, the Municipality of Viborg and Viborg's local association. http://www.dhif-festival.dk/FrontPage/?id=1438	International Event
14 June Turin, ITALY	The LHAC participated at the conference organized by the Fondazione CRT: Accessible Tourism and Piedmont for All – From Piedmont to Europe: Opportunities in the Market for Sustainable and Accessible Tourism The conference offered regional administrators and national and international tourism operators the opportunity for discussion regarding progress made and strategies implemented in recent years in Piedmont, Italy and Europe. http://www.lhac.eu/resources/news/accessible-tourism-and-piedmont-for-all.jpg	International Event
26-28 June Avila, SPAIN	The LHAC was presented during the IV International Congress on Tourism For All , which was organized by Via Libre (now Ilunion)/Fundacion Once/ENAT. The conference's purpose was to improve the participation in the tourism sector, with the objective of establishing the <i>Accessibility and Design for All</i> initiative. This project focuses on promoting the inclusion of people with special needs. http://www.lhac.eu/?i=accessible-cities.en.news-events.89	International Event
4-5 July Mulhouse, FRANCE	Meeting of LHAC members	Internal Meeting
6 September Hambourg, GERMANY	The LHAC was presented during The Annual Future of Cities Forum . The forum's purpose was implement a cross-sectorial approach that balances pressing ecological needs with economic demands in city environments. The LHAC proposed their vision with the aspect of disability access in cities with an improved outlook on ecological needs. http://www.lhac.eu/?i=accessible-cities.en.news-events.115	International Event
18 October Lucca, ITALY	The LHAC project was presented at the workshop The City For All: Live, Learn And Accessible To Move in the framework of LuBeC 2013. On that occasion the LHAC BEST PRACTICE GUIDE was launched. http://www.lhac.eu/?i=accessible-cities.en.news-events.106	International Event
3-4 December Brussels, BELGIUM	The LHAC project was presented at the joint conference Accessible Tourism in Europe , organized by the European Commission on the occasion of the "European Day of Persons with Disabilities" and the "European Tourism Day." http://www.lhac.eu/?i=accessible-cities.en.news-events.108	International Event

2014

12 February Paris, FRANCE	The LHAC Cities project has been selected as a Good Practice in the International Design for All Foundation Awards 2014 under the category: products, services and environments. http://www.lhac.eu/?i=accessible-cities.en.news-events.113	Campaign Mention/ Prize
27-28 February Vienna, AUSTRIA	The LHAC project was presented during the Zero Project Conference 2014 . Organized by the ESSL Foundation, EFC and World Future Council. http://www.lhac.eu/?i=accessible-cities.en.news-events.118	International Event
June	Some of the LHAC members won a project proposal submitted to the European Commission and start a collaboration together with other partners under the PROJECT STRING (Smart Tourist Routes for Inclusive Groups) http://www.lhac.eu/?i=accessible-cities.en.news-events.135	Campaign Mention/ Prize
2-5 June Sozopol, BULGARIA	Sozopol Foundation demonstrated its active participation in the LHAC project during the forum: Sozopol – Ancient and Eternal, Alive and Accessible to Everyone and its efforts to make the city an attractive and accessible place for people with disabilities an even better accessibility to the unique history of Bulgaria. http://sozopol-foundation.com/?p=2581&lang=en	National/ Local Event
19-22 October Montreal, CANADA	Avila's project was presented during the First World Summit Destinations for All http://www.lhac.eu/?i=accessible-cities.en.news-events.130	International Event
19-20 November SAN MARINO	Sozopol Accessible Itinerary was presented as part of the LHAC project during the First UNWTO Conference on Accessible Tourism in Europe to discuss the challenges urban areas pose with significant heritage asset to travellers with disabilities. http://www.lhac.eu/?i=accessible-cities.en.news-events.131	International Event
4 December Brussels, BELGIUM	Meeting of LHAC members	Internal Meeting
5 December Brussels, BELGIUM	LHAC closing conference, Accessible Tourism: Innovative approaches between accessibility and heritage protection , organized by EFC at the European Economic and Social Committee. http://www.lhac.eu/?i=accessible-cities.en.news-events.129	International Event

ARTICLES AND PUBLICATIONS

September 2011	Alliance vol. 16 n. 3 First EFC operational project making headway http://www.lhac.eu/?i=accessible-cities.en.reference-documents.151
June 2011	Effect vol 5 Issue 1 (Spring 2011) Public-private partnership to open historical city centre to all http://www.lhac.eu/?i=accessible-cities.en.reference-documents.152
October 2011	L'Echo mulhousien n° 338 Accessibilité Mulhouse Grand Centre remarqué au niveau européen http://www.lhac.eu/?i=accessible-cities.en.reference-documents.157
2011	Rum'lighed Tilgængelighed – også i historiske bykerner (Accessibility – also in historical city centres)
2012	Livtag no. 6 (grapple) Viborg bliver foregangsby inden for tilgængelighed (Viborg is a pioneer city within accessibility) Viborg Folkeblad Various articles in Viborg Folkeblad (Viborg's local magazine)
December 2012	By og Land no. 97 (City and Countryside) Viborgs kulturarv – et stærkt potentiale (Viborg's cultural heritage – a great potential)
January-February 2013	Etre Handicap Information n° 123-124 Villes européennes : éliminons les situations de handicap!

	http://www.lhac.eu/?i=accessible-cities.en.reference-documents.153
May 2013	Effect vol. 7 n.1 Issue 1(Spring 2013) Making cities socially sustainable http://www.lhac.eu/?i=accessible-cities.en.reference-documents.154
October 2013	Accessible Routes In Historical Cities: a best practice guide for the planning, design, implementation and marketing for accessible routes in historical urban environment http://www.lhac.eu/resources/toolip/doc/2013/11/20/2013_lhac-best-practice-guide-accessible-routes-in-historical-cities.pdf

CITIES IN THE MEDIA

LHAC	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2e6YS8xDvOQ https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=DiDgwGbwCfU
Turin, ITALY	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=e-gVabonDLo https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1GW_v3lojsE&feature=youtu.be
Lucca, ITALY	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=CToTZQOJUQA
Avila, SPAIN	https://vimeo.com/45247141
Viborg, DENMARK	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Nh47M9e8jL8
Sozopol, BULGARIA	http://www.lhac.eu/resources/toolip/doc/2014/06/10/presentation-lhac-june-2014-en.pdf

FOUNDATION PARTNERS

Avila (Spain)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fundación ONCE http://www.fundaciononce.es/
Lucca (Italy)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fondazione Banca Monte di Lucca http://www.fondazionebmlucca.it/
Mulhouse (France)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Foundation Réunica, http://www.fondationreunica.com/Fondation/ • Fondation de France http://www.fondationdefrance.org/ • Centre Français des Fonds et Fondations http://www.centre-francais-fondations.org/
Torino (Italy)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Fondazione CRT http://www.fondazionecrt.it/
Viborg (Denmark)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Realdania Foundation http://www.realdania.org/ • Bevica Foundation http://www.bevica.dk/forside • The Danish Disability Foundation http://www.vanfoerefonden.dk/ • The Labour Market Holiday Fund http://www.aff.dk/
Sozopol (Bulgaria)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sozopol Foundation http://sozopol-foundation.com/?lang=en