

HIGH LEVEL CONFERENCE AND PRESENTATION OF THE STUDY

**Addressing the metropolitan challenge in Barcelona Metropolitan Area
Lessons from five European metropolitan areas: Amsterdam, Copenhagen, Greater
Manchester, Stuttgart and Zürich**

Barcelona, Friday 15 June 2018

VENUE: IBEI - INSTITUT BARCELONA D'ESTUDIS INTERNACIONALS
c. Ramon Trias Fargas 25-27
08005 Barcelona

AGENDA:

08:30 – 09:00 Registration and welcome coffee

09:00 – 09:15 Welcome address

Alfred Bosch, Vice-president for International Relations and Cooperation,
Barcelona Metropolitan Area (AMB)
Jacint Jordana, Director of the Institut Barcelona d'Estudis Internacionals (IBEI)

**09:15 – 10:00 Presentation of the Study “Addressing the metropolitan challenge in
Barcelona Metropolitan Area. Lessons from five European metropolitan
areas: Amsterdam, Copenhagen, Greater Manchester, Stuttgart and
Zürich”**

Iván Tosics, Metropolitan Research Institute

**10:00 – 11:00 Panel Discussion - How can we implement the policy recommendations
learned from the five Metropolitan Areas analysed?**

Alfred Bosch, Vice-president for International Relations and Cooperation,
Barcelona Metropolitan Area
Udo Kock, Deputy Mayor of Amsterdam
Alan Harding, Chief Economic Adviser to the Greater Manchester Combined
Authority (GMCA)
Thomas Kiwitt, Senior Technical Director, Verband Region Stuttgart

11:00 – 11:30 Discussion with the audience and Conclusions

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