

CLIMATE
SUMMIT
FOR
MAYORS
COPENHAGEN 09



WELCOME TO COPENHAGEN

Dear participants at the Copenhagen Climate Summit for Mayors,

The Conference of Parties of the International Climate Convention is meeting right here in Copenhagen to discuss further action to mitigate global climate change and to adapt to the consequences hereof.

We, the cities of the world, represent more than half the world's population. We also represent many of the world's largest economies. Up to 75% of the world's greenhouse gas emissions come from urban areas. We therefore must take and are taking responsibility for fighting climate change.

This is why Copenhagen, C40 and ICLEI are inviting the largest cities in the world to attend the Copenhagen Climate Summit for Mayors. It is the first time this many cities meet to deliver the important message to national governments that cities act and our actions can change the world.

We now urge national governments to seal the deal in Copenhagen and acknowledge the pivotal role of cities in fighting climate change. The future of the planet depends on it.



Ritt Bjerregaard

A handwritten signature in black ink, which appears to read 'Ritt Bjerregaard'.

Lord Mayor
City of Copenhagen

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CLIMATE CAPITAL
COPENHAGEN

Monday 14 December Royal Reception and Study Tours

10:00 - 16:00

Study Tours:

Departure from Copenhagen City Hall

10:00 - 14:30

City of Copenhagen: Climate in public schools

11:00 - 15:30

E.ON: Excursion to Malmö

12:00 - 15:45

Philips: Don't wait for solutions

13:30 - 16:00

University of Copenhagen: Green Lighthouse

11:30 - 15:00

Siemens: Environmental city-solutions

16:30

Joint transportation to Royal reception

Departure from Copenhagen City Hall

17:00 - 19:00

Royal Reception (Mayors only)

Amalienborg Castle, Copenhagen

This reception is hosted by HRH The Crown Prince at the Royal Castle.

19:00

Joint transportation to US Conference of Mayors reception

Departure from Amalienborg Castle

19:00 - 21:30:

US Conference of Mayors reception and dinner honoring Lord Mayor Ritt Bjerregaard

Axelborg Building, Banquet Hall

All participants registered for the Climate Summit for Mayors are invited to a reception and dinner hosted by the US conference of Mayors in the beautiful halls of the Axelborg Building.



Tuesday 15 December Cities Act

09:00 - 11:00

Press conference:

09:00 - 09:20

Welcome
Future City Pavilion on City Hall Square

09:20 - 10:00

Cities Act!
Future City Pavilion on City Hall Square
Presentation of the Copenhagen Climate Communiqué.

10:00 - 11:00

Future City
Future City Pavilion on City Hall Square

The mayors of a few leading cities will tell you HOW their cities are already pioneering programmes to reduce greenhouse gas emissions. Together with the world press, you will be able to see clearly that cities are acting NOW.

11:00 - 11:30

Coffee break

11:30 - 12:15

Which path will cycling take in the future?

Future City Pavilion on City Hall Square

A number of mayors will be showcasing future developments in urban cycling. This event will be held in partnership with the SENSEable City Lab from the Massachusetts Institute of Technology (MIT) who will unveil an innovative hybridbicycle wheel that can sense and map real-time environmental conditions in cities.

Welcome - speaker:

Mayor Bjerregaard (Copenhagen)

Cities Act! - speakers:

Moderator: Mayor Miller (Toronto, Chairman C40 Cities)

Mayor Bjerregaard (Copenhagen)

Mayor Bloomberg (New York City)

Environmental Minister Tang-wah Yau (Hong Kong)

Mayor Kimbisa (Dar Es Salaam)

Mayor Macri (Buenos Aires)

Future City - speakers:

Moderator: Executive Editor Alex Steffen (Worldchanging.com)

Mr. David Cadman (President, ICLEI Executive Committee)

Mayor of Environment Bondam (Copenhagen)

Mayor Villaraigosa (Los Angeles)

Mayor Kassab (São Paulo)

Mayor Ebrard (Mexico city)

Mayor Bloomberg (New York City)

Mayor Masondo (Johannesburg)

Mayor Johnson (London)

Mayor Bjerregaard (Copenhagen)

Mayor Miller (Toronto, Chairman C40 Cities)

Governor Bowo (Jakarta)

12:15 - 13:00

Photo shoot and lunch buffet

*Photo shoot: In front of the Future City Pavilion
Lunch: Banquet Hall of Copenhagen City Hall*

13:00 - 16:00

Roundtable discussion – Cities act and show HOW!

Grand Hall of the Copenhagen City Hall

Several mayors will present case studies from their own cities. Future urban challenges and solutions will be debated in sessions moderated by well-known political journalists. The challenges and opportunities for carbon financing for developing cities will also be discussed.

16:00

Joint transportation to Bella Center

Departure from Copenhagen City Hall

17:30 - 18:30

COP15 high level opening ceremony at the Bella Center (Mayors only)

Bella Center

The Climate Summit for Mayors has been successful in securing a limited number of reserved seats for mayors at the official COP high level opening ceremony. There will be numerous other activities at the Bella Center which will be relevant for the remaining participants during the high level opening.

18:30 - 19:30

”Seal the deal in Copenhagen” – reception

Bella Center

Attend this joint reception which is being organised in cooperation with the UN. It will be attended by mayors and national delegation leaders at COP15. Open to all summit participants and their national delegations.

Roundtable discussion - themes:

*Energy efficient buildings; chaired by Mayor Doyle (Melbourne)
Adaptation; chaired by Vice-Governor Inose (Tokyo)
Waste management; chaired by Mayor Kassab (São Paulo)
Low carbon transport - bikes; chaired by Mayor Ebrard (Mexico City) and Mayor Wammen (Århus)
Low carbon transport – Mass transit/green vehicles; chaired by Mayor Johnson (London)
Citizen engagement; chaired by Mayor Nickels (Seattle)
Energy efficiency; chaired by Mayor Villaraigosa (Los Angeles)
Carbon and climate financing; chaired by Governor Bowo (Jakarta)
Climate action plans; chaired by Mayor Robertson (Vancouver)
Clean energy; chaired by Mayor Røsland (Oslo)*

Seal the deal - speakers:

*Mayor Bloomberg (New York City)
Mr. Achim Steiner (UN Under-Secretary-General and Executive Director, UNEP)*

- 19:30** **Joint transportation to the National Museum of Denmark**
Departure from Bella Center
- 20:30 - 23:30** **Gala dinner at the National Museum of Denmark**
National Museum of Denmark
- Entertainment by The Royal Danish Theatre.
- 23:30** **Joint transportation**
Departure from the National Museum of Denmark



Wednesday 16 December

Partnerships, dialogue and research

- 09:00 - 11:00** **Opening plenary and panel discussion:**
public-private partnerships
Grand Hall of Copenhagen City Hall
- Leading examples of innovative partnership between cities and private partners will be presented.
- 11:15 - 11:45** **Green vehicles parade**
City Hall Square
- At this parade, mayors will be presenting different models of electric and hybrid vehicles.

Opening plenary - speakers:
Moderator: Rosie Boycott (Journalist and editor)

Governor Arnold Schwarzenegger (California)
Mr. Angel Gurría (Secretary-General of OECD)
Mr. Robert B. Zoellick (World Bank President)
Sir Richard Branson (Chairman of Virgin Group)
Ms. Barbara Kux (Member of Managing Board of Siemens AG)
Mayor Kimbisa (Dar Es Salaam)
Mr. Shai Agassi (CEO, Better Place)
Mayor Delanoë (Paris)
Mayor Villaraigosa (Los Angeles)
Mayor Røslund (Oslo)

- 11:30** **Joint transportation to University of Copenhagen**
Departure from Copenhagen City Hall
- 11:45 - 12:30** **Lunch buffet**
University of Copenhagen
- 12:30 - 13:30** **The cities' climate-solutions and research**
University of Copenhagen
- Be among the first to hear about how research is supporting the city agenda at the presentation of the UCCRN's 1st Assessment Report on Climate Change in Cities (ARC3).
- 13:45** **Joint transportation to the Bella Center**
Departure from University of Copenhagen
- 14:45 - 16:15** **Action now! Cities deliver their message to the heads of state at the Bella Center – organised by ICLEI**
Bella Center
- Be present when selected mayors present the cities' joint message to the national governments and participate in a panel debate. The press will be invited.
- 16:30** **Joint transportation to the City Hall Square**
Departure from Bella Center
- 17:00 - 18:00** **Sessions with the press**
City Hall
- Chance for mayors to have one-on-one interview sessions with representatives from international press and media.



The cities' climate-solutions - speakers:

- Vice Dean, Professor Katherine Richardson (University of Copenhagen)*
- Dr. Steven A. Hammer (Columbia University)*
- Mayor of Environment Bondam (Copenhagen)*
- Mayor Doyle (Melbourne)*
- Mayor Robertson (Vancouver)*

Action Now! - speakers:

- Mr. David Cadman (President, ICLEI Executive Committee)*
- Mayor Bjerregaard (Copenhagen)*
- Professor Nicholas Stern (London School of Economics)*
- Mayor Masondo (Johannesburg)*
- Mayor Sain (Delhi)*
- Mayor Doyle (Melbourne)*
- Mayor Ebrard (Mexico City)*
- Mayor Villaraigosa (Los Angeles)*
- Ms. Bärbel Dieckmann, former Mayor of Bonn, Chair of the World Mayors Council on Climate Change*
- Mayor Delanöe (Paris; President of United Cities and Local Governments)*
- Dr. Kajumulo Tibaijuka (UN Under-Secretary-General and Executive Director, UN-HABITAT)*

18:00 - 19:00

Closing ceremony

Future City Pavilion and City Hall Square

After keynote speeches from the Mayors Summit and an official countdown, lights will be turned off. This event will be transmitted by Earth Hour and WWF to the national delegation leaders and the world. Messages from citizens will be shown on the big globe.

19:15 - 21:30

VIP reception at Tivoli

Tivoli, Nimb restaurant

After the closing event on the City Hall Square, Tivoli and DONG invite the Mayors to a reception taking place in the spectacular settings of the Nimb restaurant in the famous Tivoli gardens.

Closing ceremony - speakers:

Mayor Bjerregaard (Copenhagen)

Mayor Miller (Toronto, Chairman C40 Cities)

Mr. David Cadman (President, ICLEI Executive Committee)

Ms. Connie Hedegaard, Danish Minister for The U.N.

Climate Change Conference in Copenhagen 2009 and future European Commissioner for the Climate.

Thursday 17 December Study Tours

09:00 - 21:00

Study Tours:

Departure from the Future City Pavilion on City Hall Square

09:00 - 12:50

Nordhavn, climate exhibition and VIP-boat tour hosted by Lord Mayor Ritt Bjerregaard (Mayors only)

09:00 - 11:30

City of Copenhagen: Copenhagen Recycling Centre

09:30 - 12:30

Copenhagen Energy: Delivering modern climate solutions

10:00 - 13:30

City of Copenhagen: Environmental Science Centres for Schools in Copenhagen

16:00 - 21:00

Philips: Don't wait for solutions



Study Tours

■ Monday 14 December

Departure by bus from City Hall. Meeting point inside the City Hall at the help desk.

10:00 - 14:30 Explore how “climate” schools and day care facilities are working to reduce CO2 emissions.

11:00 - 15:30 E.ON will tell the story of Malmö’s 100% renewable biogas and locally renewable energy system.

12:00 - 15:45 Meet with representatives from Philips and see examples of LED lighting projects in Copenhagen where energy savings of up to 80% have been realized.

11:30 - 15:00 On this tour Siemens presents electric cars and charging stations, water cleaning systems and solar powered parking ticketing.

13:30 - 16:00 The University of Copenhagen offers you a guided tour of the first carbon neutral public building in Denmark - Green Light House.

Sign up and get more information on
www.climatesummitformayors.dk

■ Thursday 17 December

Departure by bus from City Hall. Meeting point in the Future City Pavilion on the City Hall Square.

09:00 - 12:50 All mayors are invited by the Lord Mayor of Copenhagen to an exclusive boat tour and a visit to the climate exhibition at Northern Europe’s largest urban development project.

09:00 - 11:30 Visit Copenhagen recycling centre, which deals with some of the largest environmental challenges in Copenhagen.

09:30 - 12:30 Copenhagen Energy offers you an on site visit to a district cooling station and underground water reservoir in the city centre.

10:00 - 13:30 Explore environmental science centres for schools in Copenhagen based on public-private partnerships.

16:00 - 21:00 LED lighting projects in Copenhagen (Philips).

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ARE OPEN TO ALL
DELEGATES AND
THE PRESS**

Keynote Speakers



Ritt Bjerregaard Lord Mayor of Copenhagen

Ritt Bjerregaard was born in 1941 in Copenhagen. She obtained a degree in teaching in 1964. However, her extensive political work and career has played the predominant role in her professional life. She has held numerous high level political posts at international, national and local level. She has been minister for Education (1973, 1975 – 1978), Social Affairs (1979-1981) and Agriculture (2000-2001). From 1995 to 1999, she was EU Commissioner for the Environment. In 2006, she took up office as Lord Mayor of Copenhagen, the capital of Denmark, after having been elected to the city Council.



David Miller Chair of C40 Cities

In November 2003, Torontonians chose David Miller as their new mayor and in November, 2006 he was re-elected for a second four-year term. His mandate is to make Toronto a city of prosperity, opportunity and liveability for all residents. In addition to advocating for the city of Toronto, Mayor Miller has also become one of the dominant voices for the national urban agenda. Mayor Miller has also worked to make Toronto a world-leading city on environmental issues and on June 4 2008, he was appointed chair of the influential C40 Group of World Cities leading the fight against Climate Change.



David Cadman President, ICLEI Executive Committee

David Cadman is a three-term Vancouver City Councillor . He represents Vancouver on the Greater Vancouver Regional District and Metro Vancouver Board of Directors. A social and environmental activist for over 30 years, he is since 2006 the President of ICLEI, an international organization of 1100 local governments who have made a commitment to local sustainability. In this function, he heads ICLEI's Executive Committee, representing the organization to other international organisations and institutions.



Arnold Schwarzenegger Governor of California

Governor Schwarzenegger's most notable accomplishments in his first five years in office include the nation-leading Global Warming Solutions Act of 2006 - a bipartisan agreement to combat global warming by reducing California's greenhouse gas emissions. In addition, Governor Schwarzenegger is the first governor in decades to make major investments in improving California's aging infrastructure through his Strategic Growth Plan, helping to reduce congestion and clean the air. He established the Hydrogen Highway and Million Solar Roofs Plan, continuing his leadership in creating a greener environment.



Angel Gurría OECD Secretary-General

As Mexico's Minister of Foreign Affairs from December 1994 to January 1998, Angel Gurría made dialogue and consensus-building one of the hallmarks of his approach to global issues. From January 1998 to December 2000, he was Mexico's Minister of Finance and Public Credit. As OECD Secretary-General, since June 2006, he has reinforced the OECD's role as a 'hub' for global dialogue and debate on economic policy issues while pursuing internal modernization and reform. The OECD is now an active participant in both the G-8 and the G-20 Summit processes.



Robert B. Zoellick World Bank President

Prior to joining the World Bank, Mr. Zoellick served as Vice Chairman, International of the Goldman Sachs Group, Managing Director, and Chairman of Goldman Sachs' Board of International Advisors from 2006-07. In 2005-06, Mr. Zoellick served as the Deputy Secretary of the U.S. State Department. From 2001 to January 2005, Mr. Zoellick served in the U.S. cabinet as the 13th U.S. Trade Representative. He forged an activist approach to free trade at the global, regional, and bilateral levels, while securing support for open markets. He worked with Ministers from nearly 150 economies to launch the Doha Development Agenda in the World Trade Organization (WTO) in 2001.



Dr. Anna Kajumulo Tibaijuka UN Under-Secretary-General and Executive Director, UN-HABITAT

Anna Tibaijuka is the first African woman elected by the UN General Assembly as Under-Secretary-General of a United Nations programme. She is currently a member of the World Health Organization Commission on the Social Determinants of Health, and is also a member of the Advisory Board of the Commission on the Legal Empowerment of the Poor. Most recently, Mrs Anna Tibaijuka received the prestigious Goteborg award known as the “Nobel Prize for the Environment” for sustainable development for her work in raising the profile of sustainable urbanization.



Shai Agassi Founder and Chief Executive Officer, Better Place

Shai Agassi is the founder and chief executive of Better Place, a company focused on one of this century’s biggest challenges – building a scalable and sustainable personal transportation system that ends oil dependence. He works directly with government leaders, auto manufacturers, energy companies and others to make his vision of zero-emission electric vehicles powered by renewable energy a reality in countries around the world. Agassi founded Better Place and, in 2007, officially launched the company.



Nicholas Stern Lord Stern of Brentford, Kt, FBA

Nicholas Stern is the chairman of LSE’s new Grantham Research Institute on Climate Change and the Environment. He is also Special Adviser to the Group Chairman of HSBC on Economic Development and Climate Change. From 2005-2007, he was adviser to the UK Government on the Economics of Climate Change and Development, reporting to the Prime Minister and Head of the Stern Review on the Economics of Climate Change.



Sir Richard Branson Chairman of Virgin Group

Sir Richard Branson was born in 1950 and founded Virgin in 1970. In 1977, Virgin signed the Sex Pistols and went on to sign many household names from Culture Club to the Rolling Stones, helping to make Virgin Music one of the top six record companies in the world. With around 200 companies in over 30 countries, the Virgin Group has now expanded into leisure, travel, tourism, mobile, broadband, TV, radio, music festivals, finance and health and through Virgin Green Fund, Virgin is investing in renewable energy and resource efficiency. In February 2007, Virgin Earth Challenge was announced- a \$25 million prize to encourage a viable technology which will result in the net removal of anthropogenic, atmospheric greenhouse gases.



Barbara Kux Member of the Managing Board of Siemens AG
Head of Supply Chain Management and Chief Sustainability Officer

Mrs. Kux was born on February 26, 1954 in Zurich, Switzerland. She has been marketing manager at Nestlé Germany, ABB Vice President for Eastern Europe - President ABB Power Ventures. In 2005, she became responsible for sustainability and green business at Royal Philips Electronics N.V, Amsterdam, Netherlands. Mrs. Kux has since 2008 been member of the Managing Board of Siemens AG as well as Head of Supply Chain Management and Chief Sustainability Officer.



Alex Steffen Executive Editor, Worldchanging.com

Alex Steffen has been the Executive Editor of Worldchanging since he co-founded the organization in 2003, as the next phase in a lifetime of work exploring ways of building a better future. In a very short time, Worldchanging has become the most widely-read sustainability-related publication on the Internet, with an archive of over 8,000 articles by leading thinkers around the world.

A sustainable summit

We have made great efforts to minimise our environmental impact and reach our sustainability goals for the summit...

- All meals will be prepared using organic and locally produced food wherever possible. The groundwater in Denmark is very high quality, so all water drunk at the venue will be tap water.
- All printed materials have been appropriately certified and will be recycled at the end of the summit.
- We encourage the use of public transport, as being the most environmentally friendly as well as being efficient and reliable. It will be available free of charge to all accredited participants.
- The summit organisers will offset CO2 emissions related to the summit by investing in a CDM project.

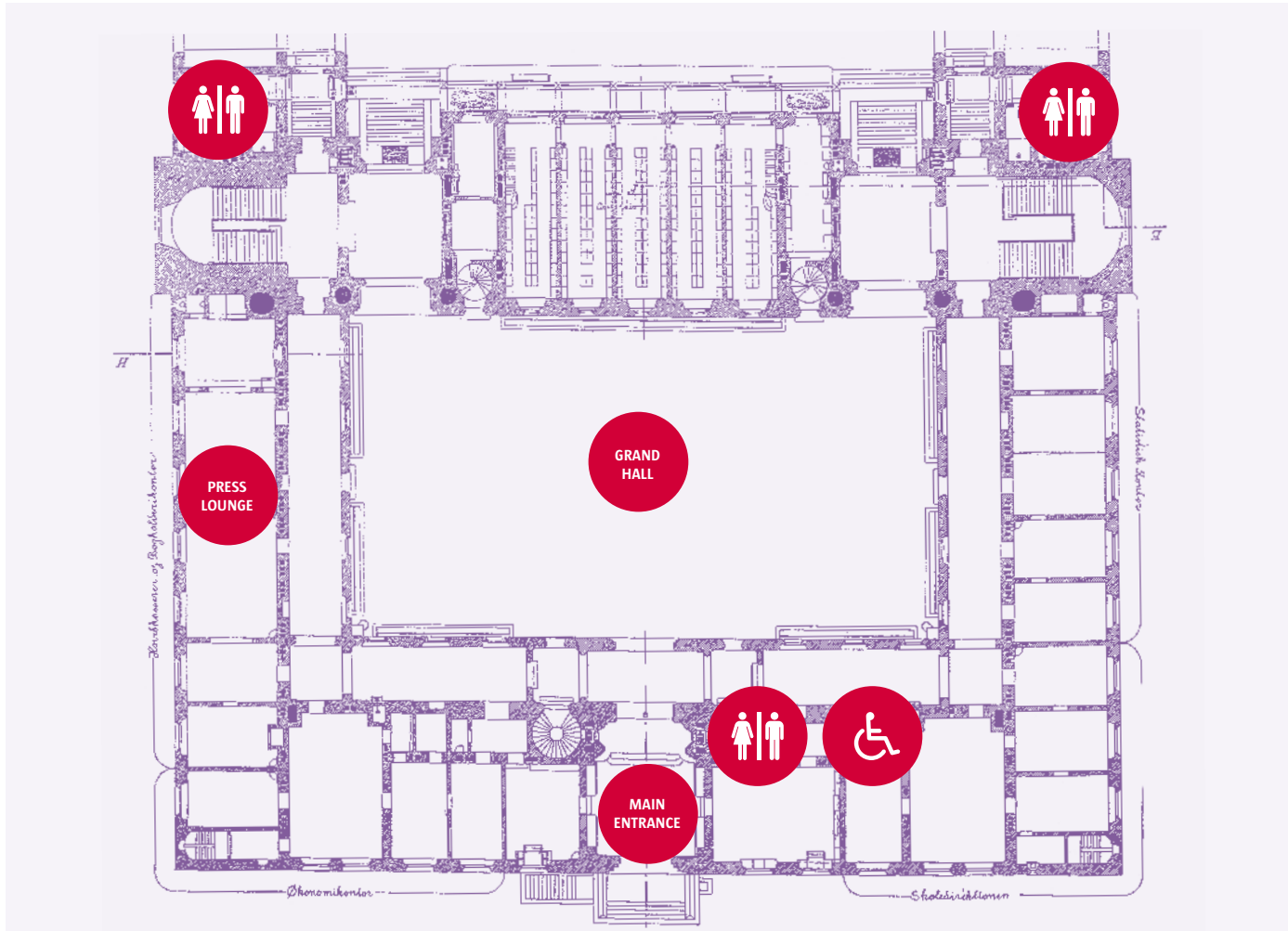


A summit of short distances

Since we want to minimize transportation both for practical and environmental reasons, the main venues will be located in and around City Hall Square in the centre of Copenhagen. City Hall, Copenhagen is easily recognisable because of its tall tower. Inside this impressive building, you will find the Grand Hall, with two main staircases on each side of the middle of the building leading to the Banquet Hall and the Council Hall, both on the second floor.

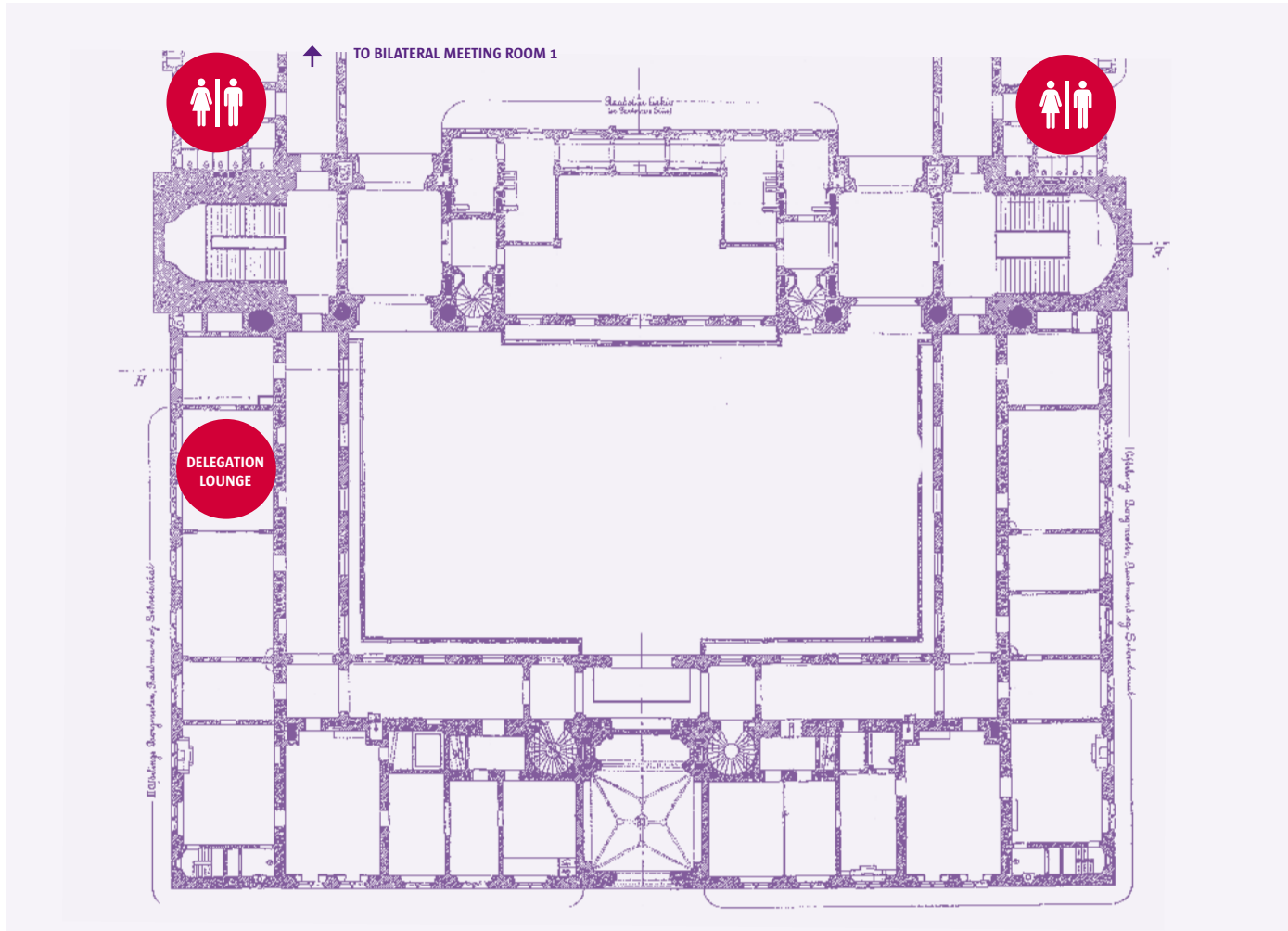
The other main venue of the summit is the Future City Pavilion. This is located on City Hall Square, outside the main entrance of City Hall. Apart from hosting several events during the summit, the Future City Pavilion is home to an exhibition where ten cities will be presenting some of the solutions which they have already implemented in the combat against climate change. If the existing climate solutions of the cities were implemented worldwide; all cities would become more climate-friendly. This is FUTURE CITY!

Copenhagen City Hall Ground Floor

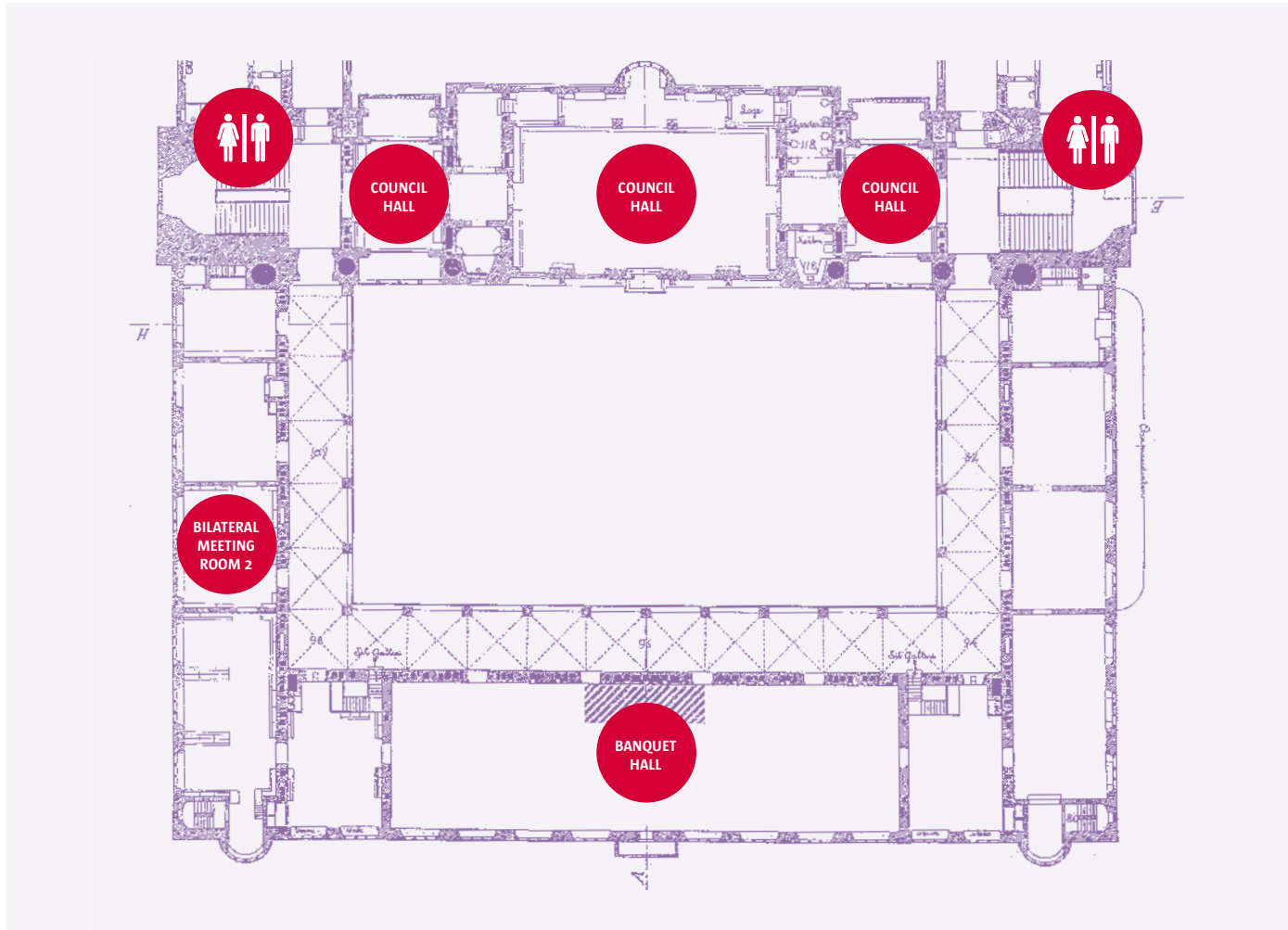


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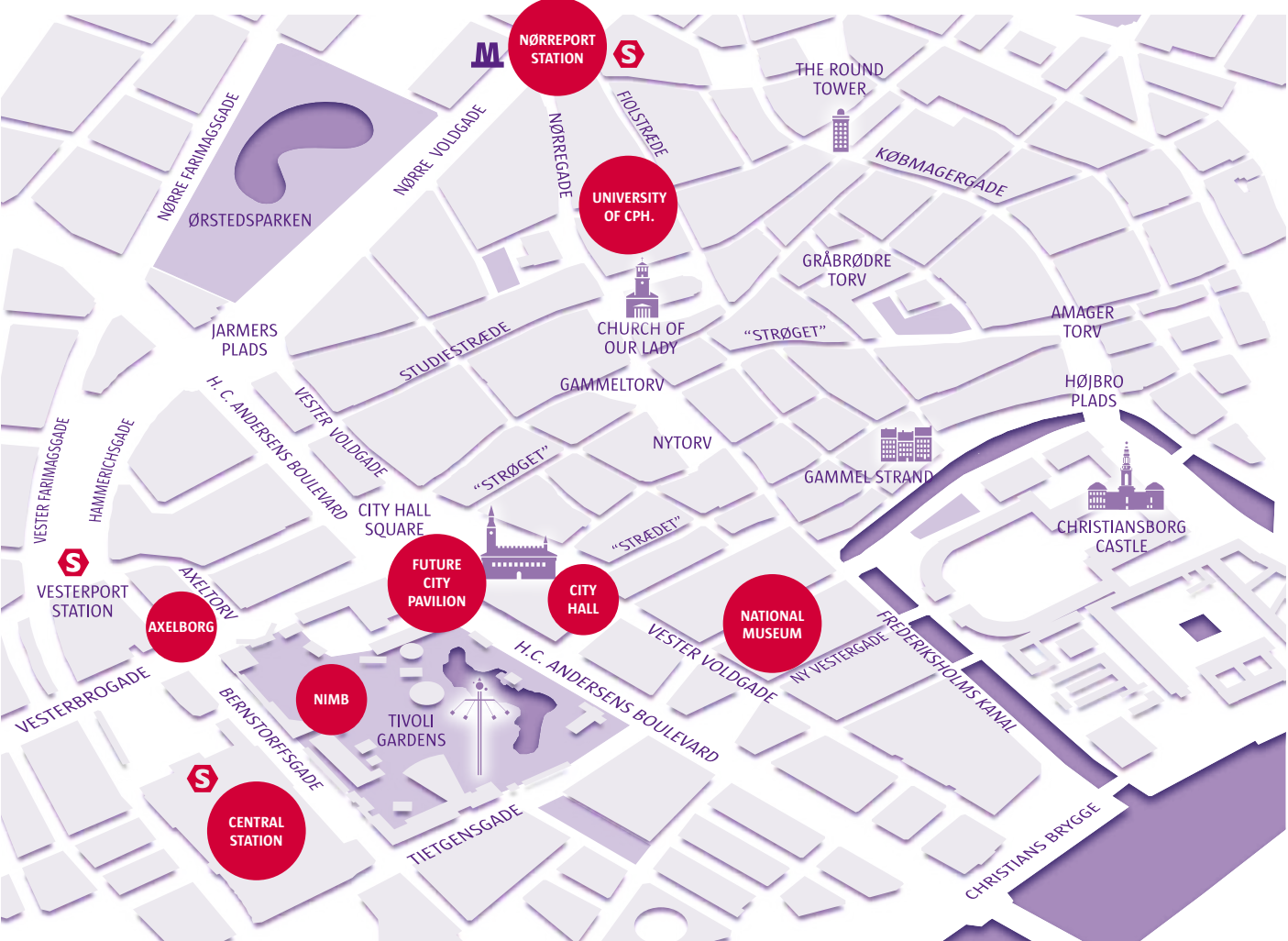
Copenhagen City Hall First Floor



Copenhagen City Hall Second Floor



Summit venues



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