

Advancing Collaborative Innovation: CitiVerse Coordination Meeting

On Monday, 31 March, the coordinators of four EU-funded CitiVerse projects — x-CITE, SENSE, CU, and 3DxVERSE — came together for their first operational coordination meeting, hosted by Open & Agile Smart Cities (OASC).

This meeting marked the beginning of practical collaboration among the project leaders, following a formal session with the European Commission in January. The primary goal was to align strategies, share insights, and enhance their collective impact.

Despite their diverse focus areas, the projects share a common ambition: to co-create a citizen-centric, immersive, and interoperable CitiVerse. This vision aims to empower individuals to better understand, engage with, and shape their urban environments.

During the meeting, several areas of synergy were identified, including technical architecture, citizen engagement, standardization, and joint participation in upcoming events. The coordinators agreed to launch dedicated working groups and maintain ongoing coordination in the months ahead.

This gathering represents a significant milestone in developing a unified CitiVerse approach for Europe — one that is inclusive, forward-thinking, and rooted in collaboration.