

## EVENT DESCRIPTION SHEET

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PROJECT	
Participant:	4 – Stadt Gütersloh - Gütersloh
PIC number:	9538980 01
Project name and acronym:	C-City – Europe is next door — C-City

EVENT DESCRIPTION			
Event number:	4		
Event name:	DJK-Run, Gütersloh, Germany		
Type:	Workshop and Running event		
In situ/online:	in-situ		
Location:	Gütersloh/Germany		
Date(s):	1 – 3 November 2024		
Website(s) (if any):	See below, please		
Participants			
Female:	38		
Male:	37		
Non-binary:	0		
From country 1 [Germany]:	50		
From country 2 [France]:	9		
From country 3 [Sweden]:	7		
From country 4 [Poland]:	9		
Total number of participants:	75	From total number of countries:	4
Description			
<i>Provide a short description of the event and its activities.</i>			

C-City aims to empower citizens in five European cities (Châteauroux/France, Gütersloh/Germany, Grudziądz/Poland, Falun/Sweden, Broxtowe/United Kingdom) for joint projects with their European partner cities. Through local running events in EU cities - combined with facilitated roundtables on the theme of this call - this project increased the understanding and inclusivity of the EU, and targeted under-represented groups in international running events, such as people with disabilities, young people and those with limited travel resources.

The core of this project is an annual conference, first held in 2022 (Gütersloh) and 2023 (Châteauroux), which brings together the C-City project steering group and civil society members for collaborative idea development in workshops. The 2024 conference, held in June in Grudziądz, supported more diverse workshop participation and implemented an inclusive sports concept of four local running events - the third of which is the event in question here.

The target groups for this event were athletes from the four cities of all ages, all genders, runners with and without disabilities.

Agenda of the event:

Day 1: Arrival to Gütersloh

Day 2: City tours, followed by public round table

Day 3: The DJK-Half marathon race, departure

Athletes from Chateauroux, Falun and Grudziadz travelled to Gütersloh to take part in the run. They were welcomed by their German hosts and together they became a visible and talked about (see press reactions below) C-City group in a running event with several hundred participants. EU funding made this kind of internationalization and diversification of a local, well-established running event possible.

<https://kulturportal-guetersloh.de/gestalten/europaeische-kulturarbeit/c-city-europa-liegt-nebenan/>

<https://www.c-city.eu/>

<https://carlmakesmedia.de/news/staedtepartnerschaftsprojekt-macht-djk-halbmarathon-international/>

<https://www.guetersloh.de/de/rathaus/presseportal/news/meldungen/archiv/2024/c-city-sportprojekt-in-guetersloh.php>

<https://www.die-glocke.de/lokalnachrichten/fuenf-nationen-bei-guetersloher-halbmarathon-am-start-1731429367>

<https://www.c-city.eu/workshop-sports-/>

**C-City Sports Projekt**  
**11. Gütersloher DJK-Halbmarathon**  
**01.11. - 03.11.2024**



**Welcome to Gütersloh and your participation at the 11. Gütersloher DJK- half marathon!**

**Friday 01 November 2024**

Arrival of the teams to Gütersloh

Check-in at Holiday Inn Express Gütersloh (Berliner Str. 106, 33330 Gütersloh)

18.45 Meeting at the lobby in the Hotel

19.00 Welcome Dinner (city high school of Gütersloh)

**Saturday 02 November 2024**

07.00-10.00 Breakfast at the Holiday Inn

10.00-11.00 guided city tour (group 1)

11.15-12.15 guided city tour (group 2)

Free time

16.00-17.30 round table discussion about EU at the town hall

18.00 Dinner (city high school of Gütersloh)

**Sunday 03 November 2024**

07.00-09.00 Breakfast at the Holiday Inn and Check out

From 09.00 transfers from the hotel to the running location (athletics centrum north)

- 5 KM (Start 10.15), 10 KM (Start 11.00), half marathon (Start 11.20) -


Departure of teams




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**Duration**  
06/2024 - 10/2024

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**Total budget**

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**EU funding**  
46500 EUR




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## CERV TT SPORT - 11. DJK Halbmarathon Round table



Round table on "The influence of EU on development of sport activities in member states" is co-organised within CERV TT - funded C-City projects.

**Saturday, November 2nd, 2024  
16.00-17.30  
Town Hall of Gütersloh**



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