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20-23 January 2019	European and International Affairs - 1 Officer	Lodz, Poland	EU Funded project: REMIX Visit fully funded and forms part of project grant agreement. • Project Steering Group meeting	EU FUNDED PROJECT - All expenses paid for by project	Outcome 1 Birmingham is an entrepreneurial city to learn, work and invest in. Priority 1 We will create opportunities for local people to develop skills and make the best of economic growth. Outcome 3 Birmingham is a fulfilling city to age well in. Priority 1 develop active citizens Outcome 4 Birmingham is a great city to live in Priority 6 We will foster local influence Priority 7 We will work with partners to build a fair and inclusive city for all
29-30 January 2019	Information, Technology and Digital Services, Strategic Services - 1 Officer	Brussels, Belgium	EU Funded project: City4Age Visit fully funded and forms part of project grant agreement. • Attending as part of the final review of the City4Age project.	EU FUNDED PROJECT - All expenses paid for by project	Outcome 3 - Birmingham is a fulfilling city to age well in Priority 1 preventing social isolation, loneliness and developing active citizenship Priority 2 Improving care for older people Priority 3 Citizens and communities will have improved resilience and independence
4-6 February 2019	European and International Affairs - 1 Officer	Brussels, Belgium	Network Related: EURO CITIES • Attend Eurocities Officers Executive meeting where BCC is one of the Executive Committee members. • The meeting will be used to plan and agree activities for the Politicians Executive Meeting. The Leader attends these meetings. • Also discussions will be held around the Mayors Summit which will include participation from the EU President Jean-Claude Juncker.	Costings tbc	Eurocities ExCom overseas all network related activities and therefore cuts across all BCC Council Plan outcomes.
21 February 2019	Policy and Programmes, Economy Directorate - 1 Officer	Lille, France	EU Funded project: TRIS (Transition Regions Towards Industrial Symbiosis) Visit fully funded and forms part of project grant agreement. • The meeting is at the request of the funding body, which will focus on reviewing the project activities and outcomes	EU FUNDED PROJECT - All expenses paid for by project	Outcome 1 Birmingham is an entrepreneurial city to learn, work and invest in. Priority 1 We will create opportunities for local people to develop skills and make the best of economic growth. Outcome 4 Birmingham is a great city to live in Priority 4 We will improve the environment and tackle air pollution

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26-28 February 2019	Wellbeing Service, Place Directorate - 1 Officer	Malta	EU Funded project: European Youth Health Champions Visit fully funded and forms part of project grant agreement. • Multiplier Project Event platform for the dissemination, promotion of findings with free online e-learning product with support of UK partner.	EU FUNDED PROJECT - All expenses paid for by project	Outcome 2 Birmingham is an aspirational city to grow up in Priority 3 We will inspire our children and young people to be ambitious and achieve their full potential Priority 4 We will improve early intervention and prevention work to secure healthy lifestyles and behaviours. Outcome 3 Birmingham in a fulfilling city to live in. Priority 1 – develop active citizens
4-6 March 2019	Planning and Regeneration, Economy Directorate - 1 Officer	Bolzano, Italy	EU Funded project: JIVE project (Joint Undertaking for fuel cell hydrogen vehicles) Visit fully funded and forms part of project grant agreement. • To discuss project activities and review performance. • The project seeks to purchase Hydrogen buses to be used in Birmingham,	EU FUNDED PROJECT - All expenses paid for by project	Outcome 4 Birmingham is a great city to live in Priority 4 We will improve the environment and tackle air pollution.
12-15 March 2019	Councillor Ian Ward Economy – 2 Officers	Cannes, France	• MIPIM Cannes is the world's leading property conference, which brings together the most influential players from international property sectors and capital markets. • The purpose of the visit is to engage with international developers and investors that can help deliver the scale of homes and employment space that are needed in the City. • The delegation will be promoting opportunities to invest and develop in the City. • The Leader and officers will be attending as part of a Midlands UK delegation, which brings together local authorities, LEPs and private sector businesses from across the Midlands region. • The West Midlands Growth Company are leading on the event organisation and logistics.	ALL COSTS FUNDED VIA EZ	Outcome 1 Birmingham is an entrepreneurial city to learn, work and invest in. Priority 2 We will strive to maximise the investment in the city and engage local employers to create quality jobs and opportunities for citizens. Priority 3 We will invest in growth sectors where Birmingham has competitive strengths to diversity the economic base of the city. Outcome 4 Birmingham is a great city to live in Priority 2 We will have the appropriate housing to meet the needs of our citizens. Attendance at MIPIM will help the City Council deliver on its growth ambitions as set out in the Birmingham Development Plan (51,000 additional homes, 1.5m sqm of commercial floor space).
20-21 March 2019	Councillor Ian Ward European and International Affairs, Economy – 1 Officer	Brussels, Belgium	Network Related: EUROCITIES • Participation and the Eurocities Executive Committee and Mayors Summit with key high-level EU officials including EU President Jean-Claude Juncker	Costings tbc	Eurocities ExCom overseas all network related activities and therefore cuts across all BCC Council Plan outcomes.

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21-27 March 2019	Wellbeing Service, Place Directorate - 2 Officers	Brussels, Belgium	EU Funded project: European Youth Health Champions Visit fully funded and forms part of project grant agreement. • Presentation of the Youth Health Champions online e-learning product and further tailoring of e-learning and Massive Open Online Courses (MOOC) .	EU FUNDED PROJECT - All expenses paid for by project	Outcome 2 Birmingham is an aspirational city to grow up in Priority 3 We will inspire our children and young people to be ambitious and achieve their full potential Priority 4 We will improve early intervention and prevention work to secure healthy lifestyles and behaviours. Outcome 3 Birmingham in a fulfilling city to live in. Priority 1 – develop active citizens
25-27 March 2019	European and International Affairs - 1 Officer	Zagreb, Croatia	EU Funded project: Interreg Europe Urban Manufacturing Visit fully funded and forms part of project grant agreement. • To present the Birmingham Action Plan to EU partners and the messages to be shared with the Commission.	EU FUNDED PROJECT - All expenses paid for by project	Outcome 1 Birmingham is an entrepreneurial city to learn, work and invest in. Priority 1 We will create opportunities for local people to develop skills and make the best of economic growth. Priority 2 We will strive to maximise the investment in the city and engage local employers to create quality jobs and opportunities for citizens. Priority 3 We will Invest in growth sectors where Birmingham has competitive strengths to diversity the economic base of the city.
28 March – 9 April 2019	Councillor Yvonne Mosquito – Finance & Governance Lord Mayor Lord Mayor's Consort Lord Mayor's Office - 1 Officer	Hong Kong / China	Civic Related: Programme tbc Visit partially funded - costings tbc • Civic visit to Hong Kong and China to progress Business, Cultural and investment opportunities, including Birmingham Sister City of Nanjing (details to be confirmed).	Majority funded by Confederation of Chinese Businesses UK (CCBUK)	The Lord Mayor will support CCBUK in promoting business opportunities. Outcome 1 Birmingham is an entrepreneurial city to learn, work and invest in. Priority 2 We will strive to maximise the investment in the city and engage local employers to create quality jobs and opportunities for citizens. The Lord Mayor will gain an insight into the exceptional way the Chinese community supports their elders, which supports: Outcome 3 Birmingham is a fulfilling city to age well in. Priority 1 preventing isolation, loneliness and developing active citizenship Priority 2 Improving care for older people Priority 3 Citizens and communities will have improved resilience and independence

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2-4 April 2019	European and International Affairs	Zagreb, Croatia	EU Funded project: REMIX Visit fully funded and forms part of project grant agreement. • Quarterly Project Steering Group meeting.	EU FUNDED PROJECT - All expenses paid for by project	Outcome 1 Birmingham is an entrepreneurial city to learn, work and invest in. Priority 1 We will create opportunities for local people to develop skills and make the best of economic growth. Outcome 3 Birmingham in a fulfilling city to live in. Priority 1 – develop active citizens Outcome 4 Birmingham is a great city to live in Priority 6 we will foster local influence Priority 7 We will work with partners to build a fair and inclusive city for all
15-17 May 2019	European and International Affairs - 1 Officer	Tallinn, Estonia	Network Related: EUROCITIES • Attend Eurocities Officers Executive meeting and Cooperation Platform.	Costings tbc	Eurocities ExCom overseas all network related activities and therefore cuts across all BCC Council Plan outcomes.
3-4 June 2019	Councillor Ian Ward European and International Affairs, Economy – 1 Officer	Stockholm, Sweden	Network Related: EUROCITIES • Attend Eurocities Political Executive Committee Meeting.	Costings tbc	Eurocities ExCom overseas all network related activities and therefore cuts across all BCC Council Plan outcomes.
17-19 June 2019	European and International Affairs - 1 Officer	Toulouse, France	EU Funded project: REMIX Visit fully funded and forms part of project grant agreement. • Quarterly Project Steering Group meeting.	EU FUNDED PROJECT - All expenses paid for by project	Outcome 1 Birmingham is an entrepreneurial city to learn, work and invest in. Priority 1 We will create opportunities for local people to develop skills and make the best of economic growth. Outcome 3 Birmingham is a fulfilling city to live in. Priority 1 – develop active citizens Outcome 4 Birmingham is a great city to live in Priority 6 We will foster local influence Priority 7 We will work with partners to build an inclusive city for all

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10-12 September 2019	European and International Affairs - 1 Officer	Lodz, Poland	EU Funded project: REMIX Visit fully funded and forms part of project grant agreement. • Quarterly Project Steering Group meeting.	EU FUNDED PROJECT - All expenses paid for by project	Outcome 1 Birmingham is an entrepreneurial city to learn, work and invest in. Priority 1 We will create opportunities for local people to develop skills and make the best of economic growth. Outcome 3 Birmingham in a fulfilling city to live in. Priority 1 – develop active citizens Outcome 4 Birmingham is a great city to live in Priority 6 We will foster local influence Priority 7 we will work with partners to build a fair and inclusive city for all
26 September 2019	European and International Affairs - 1 Officer	Brussels, Belgium	Network Related: EUROCITIES • Attend Eurocities Officers Executive meeting.	Costings tbc	Eurocities ExCom overseas all network related activities and therefore cuts across all BCC Council Plan outcomes.
22-22 November 2019	Councillor Ian Ward European and International Affairs, Economy – 1 Officer	Prague, Czech Republic	Network Related: EUROCITIES • Attend Eurocities Officers Executive meeting, Eurocities Political Executive Committee Meeting and Eurocities Annual General Meeting.	Costings tbc	Eurocities ExCom overseas all network related activities and therefore cuts across all BCC Council Plan outcomes.