

Section 3: Table 9.3.5. Fifteen year review

Top cities for international association meetings in 2003-2017: Type A — ranking

This table lists, for each year between 2003 to 2017, the 20 cities with the most meetings of type A per year as currently documented in the database.

Meetings counted under the heading “A” are “Meetings of international organizations” and meet all the following criteria:

- meetings organized or sponsored by “international organizations”, i.e. international non-governmental organizations (INGOs) and intergovernmental organizations (IGOs) that are included in the UIA’s *Yearbook of International Organizations* (see the Introduction “What is an ‘international organization’”) and whose details are subject to systematic collection and updates on an annual basis by the UIA
- with at least 50 participants, or number of participants unknown

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City	Type “A” in 2003	City	Type “A” in 2004	City	Type “A” in 2005
Paris, France	339	Paris, France	332	Paris, France	334
Brussels, Belgium	294	Brussels, Belgium	298	Brussels, Belgium	303
Rome, Italy	242	Geneva, Switzerland	238	Vienna, Austria	262
Geneva, Switzerland	231	Vienna, Austria	230	London, UK	217
Vienna, Austria	205	London, UK	197	Geneva, Switzerland	201
London, UK	193	Barcelona, Spain	170	Rome, Italy	184
Barcelona, Spain	150	Rome, Italy	166	Barcelona, Spain	158
Berlin, Germany	144	Berlin, Germany	151	New York NY, USA	157
Copenhagen, Denmark	138	Copenhagen, Denmark	142	Singapore, Singapore	144
New York NY, USA	130	Budapest, Hungary	140	Berlin, Germany	140
Prague, Czech Rep	129	Beijing, China	138	Prague, Czech Rep	134
Washington DC, USA	127	Washington DC, USA	130	Washington DC, USA	120
Helsinki, Finland	114	Seoul, Korea Rep	128	Amsterdam, Netherlands	119
Stockholm, Sweden	114	New York NY, USA	125	Seoul, Korea Rep	117
Singapore, Singapore	108	Singapore, Singapore	121	Copenhagen, Denmark	116
Budapest, Hungary	106	Amsterdam, Netherlands	115	Beijing, China	114
Strasbourg, France	105	Prague, Czech Rep	113	Budapest, Hungary	105
Athens, Greece	100	Hong Kong, Hong Kong	102	Montréal QC, Canada	105
Madrid, Spain	100	Stockholm, Sweden	101	Bangkok, Thailand	104
Amsterdam, Netherlands	95	Istanbul, Turkey	101	Istanbul, Turkey	103
Bangkok, Thailand	95				

City	Type “A” in 2006	City	Type “A” in 2007	City	Type “A” in 2008
Paris, France	356	Singapore, Singapore	401	Singapore, Singapore	544
Vienna, Austria	352	Paris, France	330	Paris, France	447
Brussels, Belgium	283	Vienna, Austria	319	Brussels, Belgium	363
Singapore, Singapore	246	Brussels, Belgium	314	Vienna, Austria	249
Geneva, Switzerland	226	Geneva, Switzerland	213	Geneva, Switzerland	179
Helsinki, Finland	176	Berlin, Germany	175	Barcelona, Spain	171
London, UK	174	London, UK	158	Rome, Italy	164
Barcelona, Spain	154	Rome, Italy	155	Tokyo, Japan	151
Rome, Italy	152	Lisbon, Portugal	150	London, UK	143
Prague, Czech Rep	129	Barcelona, Spain	147	Seoul, Korea Rep	133
Seoul, Korea Rep	126	New York NY, USA	146	Copenhagen, Denmark	125
Amsterdam, Netherlands	124	Tokyo, Japan	129	Berlin, Germany	120
Beijing, China	122	Amsterdam, Netherlands	126	Budapest, Hungary	117
Budapest, Hungary	122	Budapest, Hungary	113	Amsterdam, Netherlands	116
New York NY, USA	113	Seoul, Korea Rep	112	Lisbon, Portugal	110
Berlin, Germany	109	Beijing, China	111	Beijing, China	107
Copenhagen, Denmark	106	Montréal QC, Canada	108	Istanbul, Turkey	106
Montréal QC, Canada	101	Prague, Czech Rep	106	Athens, Greece	106
Istanbul, Turkey	98	Istanbul, Turkey	105	Washington DC, USA	106
Stockholm, Sweden	97	Bangkok, Thailand	101	Madrid, Spain	102

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Singapore, Singapore	637
Brussels, Belgium	460
Paris, France	325
Vienna, Austria	314
Geneva, Switzerland	219
Prague, Czech Rep	193
Stockholm, Sweden	184
Rome, Italy	181
Berlin, Germany	162
London, UK	161
Barcelona, Spain	140
Tokyo, Japan	135
Seoul, Korea Rep	132
Amsterdam, Netherlands	132
Copenhagen, Denmark	125
Lisbon, Portugal	122
Budapest, Hungary	119
New York NY, USA	113
Washington DC, USA	108
Bangkok, Thailand	106

<u>City</u>	<u>Type “A” in 2010</u>
Singapore, Singapore	624
Brussels, Belgium	563
Paris, France	377
Vienna, Austria	266
Geneva, Switzerland	222
London, UK	201
Barcelona, Spain	199
Tokyo, Japan	189
Seoul, Korea Rep	181
Madrid, Spain	171
Berlin, Germany	162
Rome, Italy	147
Budapest, Hungary	146
New York NY, USA	137
Amsterdam, Netherlands	132
Sydney, Australia	127
Istanbul, Turkey	125
Copenhagen, Denmark	120
Lisbon, Portugal	112
The Hague, Netherlands	108

<u>City</u>	<u>Type “A” in 2011</u>
Singapore, Singapore	809
Brussels, Belgium	528
Paris, France	312
Vienna, Austria	277
Seoul, Korea Rep	190
Geneva, Switzerland	173
London, UK	159
Budapest, Hungary	158
Barcelona, Spain	153
Tokyo, Japan	151
Berlin, Germany	146
Amsterdam, Netherlands	127
Istanbul, Turkey	124
Sydney, Australia	114
Stockholm, Sweden	114
Lisbon, Portugal	113
Rome, Italy	112
Copenhagen, Denmark	112
Madrid, Spain	105
Beijing, China	99

<u>City</u>	<u>Type “A” in 2012</u>
Singapore, Singapore	839
Brussels, Belgium	629
Vienna, Austria	311
Paris, France	279
Tokyo, Japan	229
Seoul, Korea Rep	208
Copenhagen, Denmark	173
London, UK	170
Geneva, Switzerland	154
Berlin, Germany	141
Barcelona, Spain	137
Madrid, Spain	137
Istanbul, Turkey	134
Amsterdam, Netherlands	129
Stockholm, Sweden	117
Helsinki, Finland	114
Rome, Italy	113
Lisbon, Portugal	100
Beijing, China	99
Bangkok, Thailand	99
Montréal QC, Canada	99

<u>City</u>	<u>Type “A” in 2013</u>
Singapore, Singapore	858
Brussels, Belgium	502
Vienna, Austria	310
Paris, France	227
Tokyo, Japan	226
Seoul, Korea Rep	199
London, UK	188
Barcelona, Spain	174
Geneva, Switzerland	168
Madrid, Spain	164
Berlin, Germany	150
Istanbul, Turkey	140
Rome, Italy	130
Busan, Korea Rep	121
Amsterdam, Netherlands	118
Sydney, Australia	118
Hong Kong, Hong Kong	117
Copenhagen, Denmark	110
Montréal QC, Canada	94
Washington DC, USA	91

<u>City</u>	<u>Type “A” in 2014</u>
Brussels, Belgium	825
Singapore, Singapore	783
Vienna, Austria	380
Paris, France	317
Seoul, Korea Rep	258
Geneva, Switzerland	214
Tokyo, Japan	189
Bangkok, Thailand	187
Madrid, Spain	181
Barcelona, Spain	173
Berlin, Germany	164
London, UK	157
Amsterdam, Netherlands	143
Dubai, United Arab Emirates	127
Rome, Italy	123
Istanbul, Turkey	121
Copenhagen, Denmark	115
Stockholm, Sweden	114
Sydney, Australia	112
Lisbon, Portugal	106
New York NY, USA	106

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Brussels, Belgium	689	Brussels, Belgium	930	Singapore, Singapore	802
Singapore, Singapore	645	Singapore, Singapore	811	Brussels, Belgium	757
Seoul, Korea Rep	475	Seoul, Korea Rep	474	Seoul, Korea Rep	639
Paris, France	294	Paris, France	297	Vienna, Austria	488
Vienna, Austria	287	Vienna, Austria	292	Tokyo, Japan	247
Bangkok, Thailand	238	Tokyo, Japan	234	Bangkok, Thailand	223
Tokyo, Japan	218	Bangkok, Thailand	201	Paris, France	205
Berlin, Germany	191	Geneva, Switzerland	179	Berlin, Germany	172
Geneva, Switzerland	183	Berlin, Germany	177	Busan, Korea Rep	171
Barcelona, Spain	157	Madrid, Spain	142	Geneva, Switzerland	158
Lisbon, Portugal	147	Barcelona, Spain	141	Barcelona, Spain	155
Madrid, Spain	142	Lisbon, Portugal	135	London, UK	153
London, UK	139	Amsterdam, Netherlands	131	Madrid, Spain	143
Kuala Lumpur, Malaysia	139	Dubai, United Arab Emirates	128	Montréal QC, Canada	135
Busan, Korea Rep	116	Busan, Korea Rep	127	Lisbon, Portugal	124
Copenhagen, Denmark	113	Helsinki, Finland	118	Copenhagen, Denmark	122
Rome, Italy	106	London, UK	108	Helsinki, Finland	99
Amsterdam, Netherlands	104	Stockholm, Sweden	100	Dubai, United Arab Emirates	96
Istanbul, Turkey	101	Copenhagen, Denmark	98	Jeju, Korea Rep	96
Dubai, United Arab Emirates	100	Washington DC, USA	96	Stockholm, Sweden	95