CityMobil conference, 12-13 May 2011, La Rochelle (F)

- International conference on automated transport systems in the urban environment
- Opportunity to test the first-ever fully automated transport system operating in a mixed-traffic public space
- Exhibition of automated transport systems in operation or under construction around the world.

CityMobil project
CityMobil is celebrating the end of its five year programme on the development and demonstration of innovative transport technologies for cities with a major international conference in La Rochelle (France), a city well known for pioneering sustainable mobility solutions.

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Results from the three large-scale implementations (Heathrow, Castellón and Rome) and from the industrial and academic research will be presented together with general analyses on the advantages and challenges of introducing automated transport technologies in urban mobility. Specialists in urban planning will present their views on the changes which can be expected from the introduction of these new (semi) automated transportation systems to make life in cities better and more sustainable. The conference will be held in parallel with an exhibition of automated vehicles.

La Rochelle Cybercar demonstration
Conference delegates will have a guided tour of La Rochelle’s cybercars demonstration, one of the first transportation systems based on fully automated vehicles in a public area. This demonstration follows the advanced mobility "showcases" which were carried out in several European cities during the CityMobil project. It will run within walking distance of the conference venue until June 2011.

Information & registration
If you are interested in attending this conference, please pre-register on the CityMobil website (www.citymobil-project.eu) or email: shoadley@polis-online.org
You will receive further information, including the full registration form and draft programme, in due course.