

GET ON BOARD THE TRAIN TO COP26

GOALS

1. Bring youth to the places where their future is decided (e.g. COP26, Glasgow). Connect youth with each other, and with politicians and decision-makers.
2. Promote and encourage sustainable travel to COP26 for all participants, including but not limited to: country delegations, NGOs and politicians.

SUBGOALS

1. Bringing more people to COP26 in a sustainable way (decreasing flights).
2. Promoting the benefits of ground transport. Creating awareness of available political tools for a transition towards sustainable travel.
3. Learning about gaps and barriers within rail, how to overcome them and how to improve the entire European rail system.

HOW?

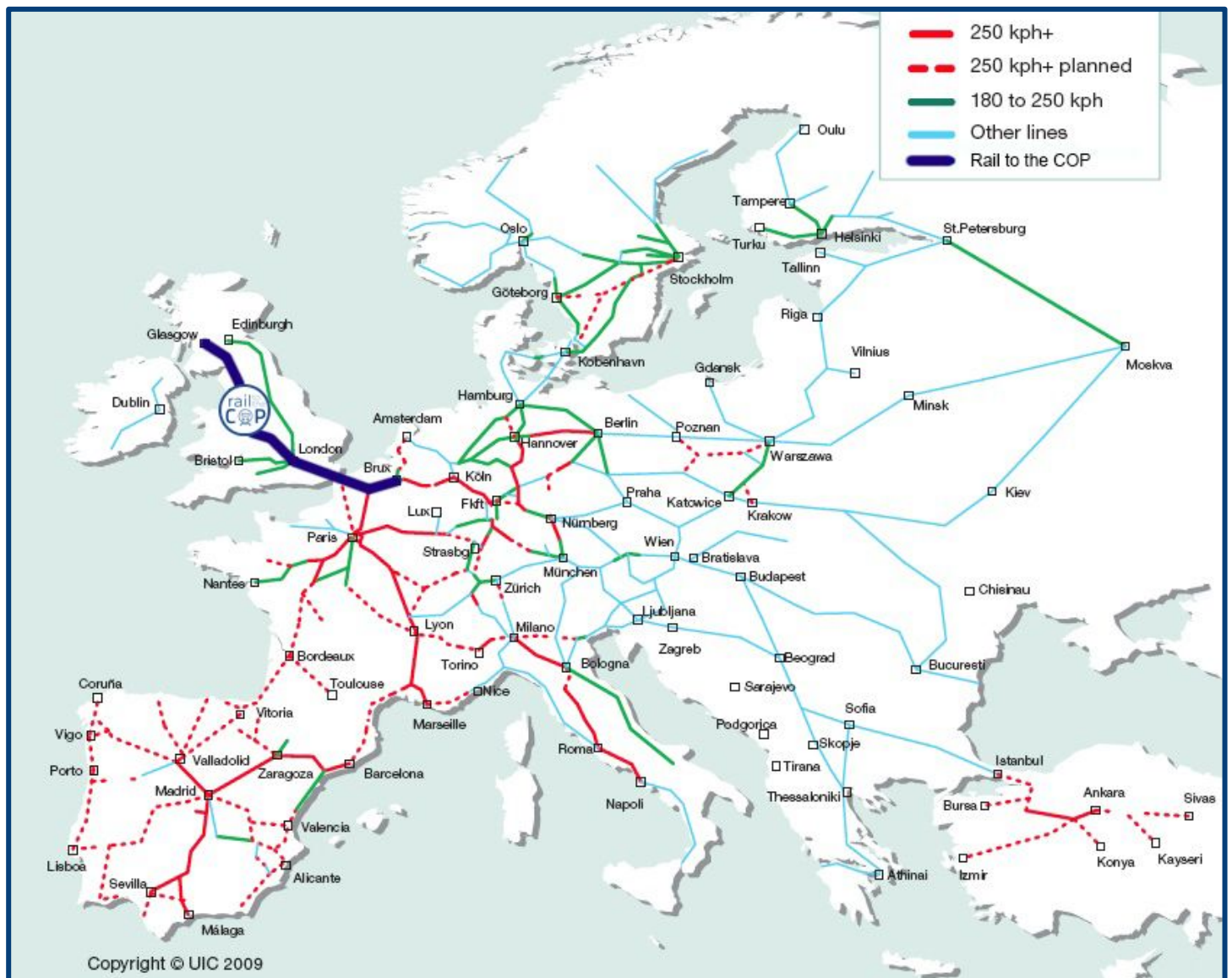
Rail to the COP will organise one dedicated “Flagtrain” from Brussels to Glasgow. On board the train there is the opportunity to host workshops, discussion panels, creative sessions, hackatons and more.

We want to mobilise local youth movements all over Europe to organise the travel from their country to Brussels (by train or coach). Organising local events on strategic points, where local movements can meet each other, would increase the reach of the project. For example: German, Polish and Hungarian youth could meet in Berlin before going to Brussels; Italian, Swiss and French youth could meet in Paris.

Besides chartering a actual train, Rail to the COP is a campaign to promote sustainable travel to COP26 for all participants. At COP25 several people already pledged to go to Glasgow in a sustainable way ([in return for a ‘Rail to the COP’- button](#)), so let’s make these pledges come true!



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