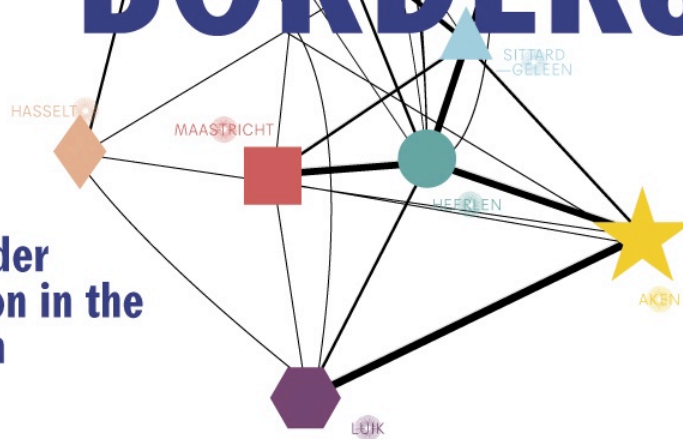


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18 September Thor Park Genk
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Program

- 13:00 **Welcome with little lunch**
- 13:30 **Tour at Thor Park**
by Mr. Paul Olaerts
(Head of Department Economics, City of Genk)
- 14:00 **Introduction on the topic of cross-border collaboration**
by moderator Mr. Wim Dries
(Mayor, City of Genk)
- 14:15 **T.OP Limburg-Territorial Development Program Limburg**
by Mrs. Liesl Vanautgaerden
(Project manager, Ruimte Vlaanderen)
- 15:00 **Short break**
- 15:15 **Circular Economy in the region Genk**
by Mrs. Veerle Labeeuw (Program manager, OVAM)
- 15:45 **EnergyVille, Research into sustainable energy and smart energy systems**
by Mr. Ronnie Belmans
(CEO EnergyVille, professor KU Leuven)
- 16:15 **Discussion**
- 16:45 **Drinks**



Isocarp Congres 2015



October 19-24 ISOCARP Congress in the Netherlands, Belgium and Germany.

ISOCARP, the International Society of City and Regional Planners

October 19-20, a satellite part of this conference takes place in Maastricht

Theme: “New Economy, Old Borders’, crossborder cooperation in the euregion”

New Economy, Old Borders



Pre-event workshops to discuss the (im)possibilities of a transnational urban unit

Each workshop formulates a contextual vision on cross-border agglomeration

Create a toolbox, consisting of Euroregional cases, to construct the basis for the congress's agenda.

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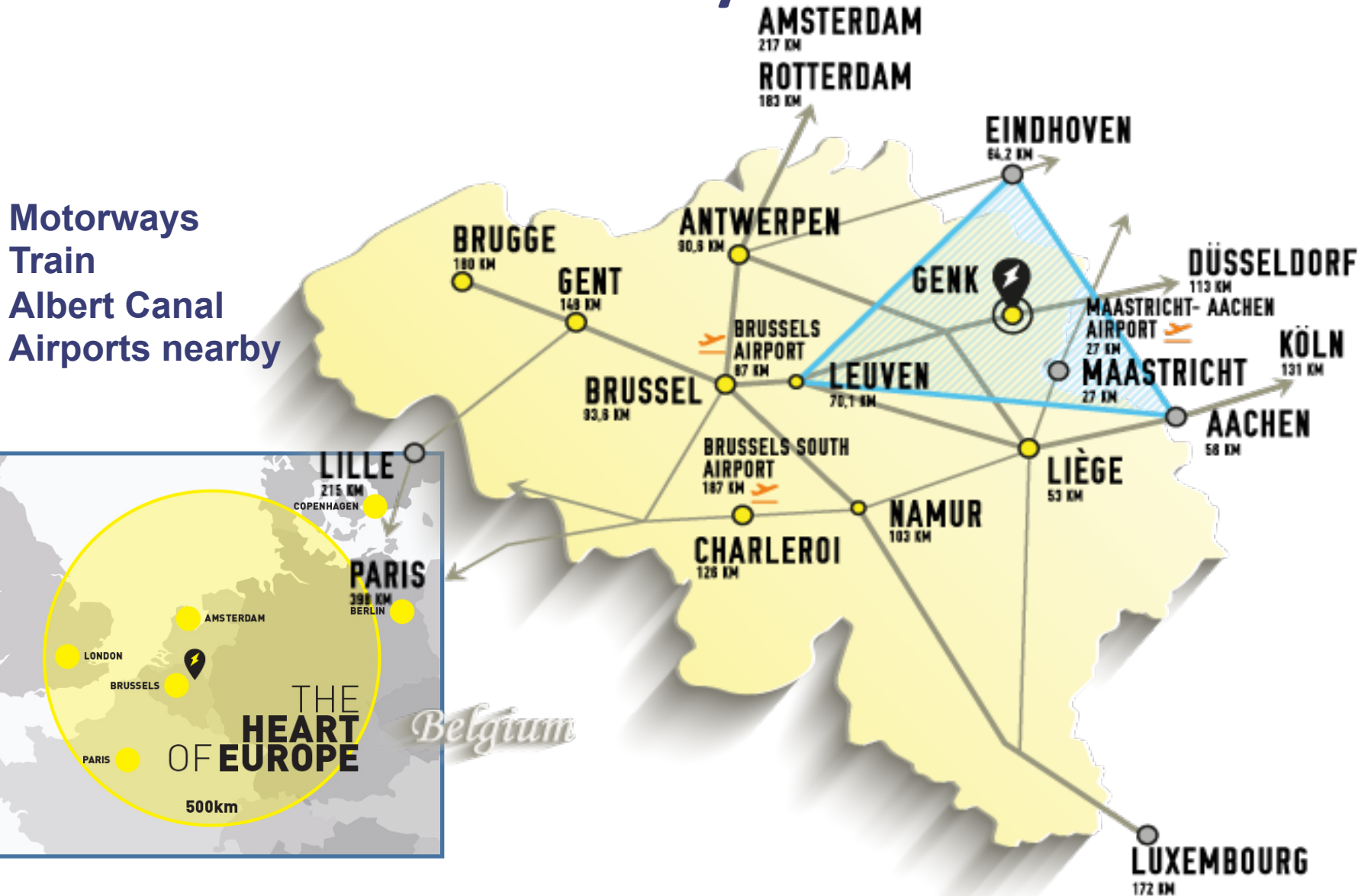
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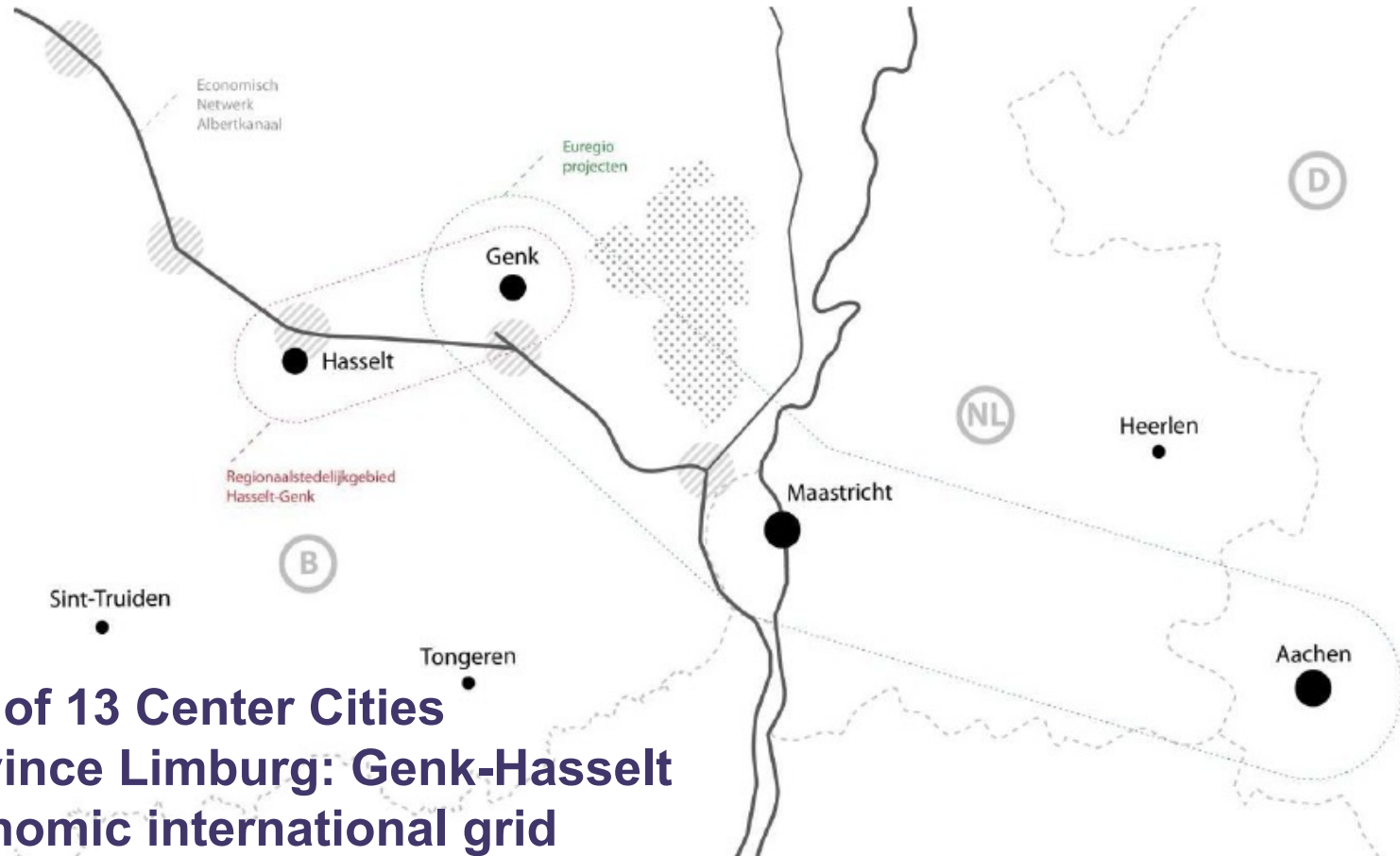
Mayor, City of Genk

Genk - easily accessible

Motorways
Train
Albert Canal
Airports nearby



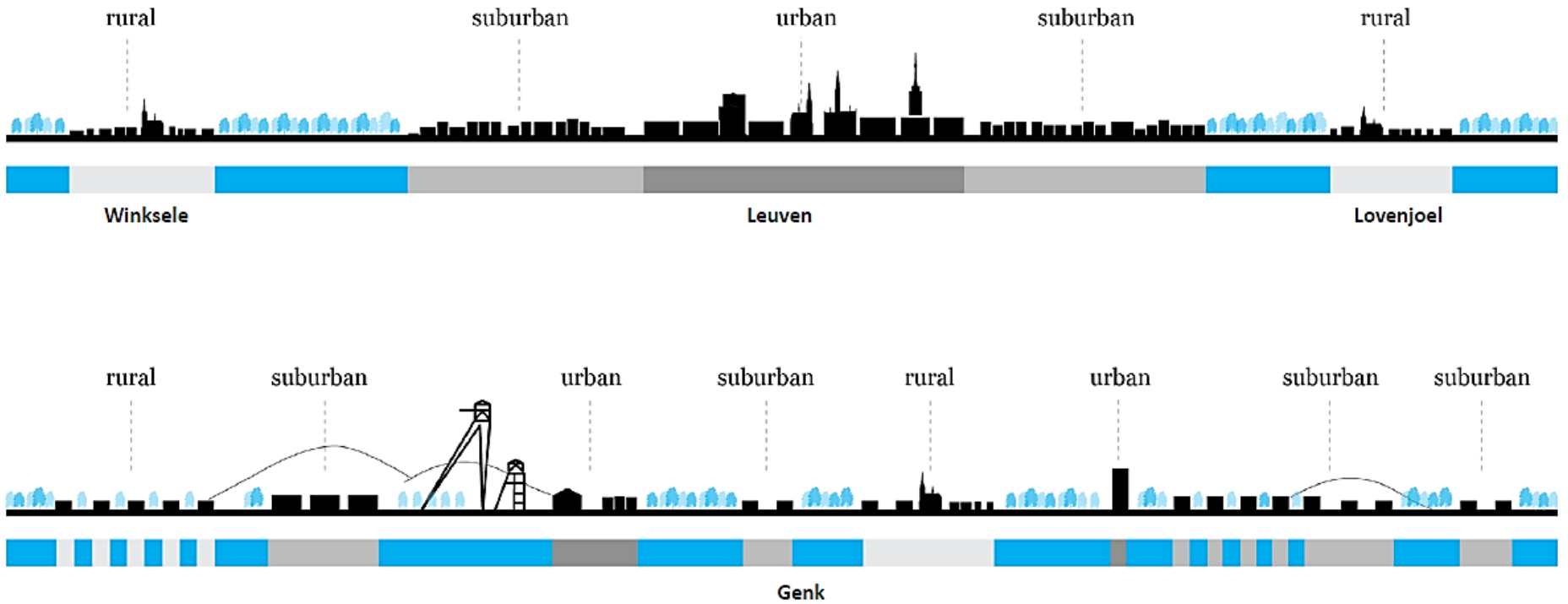
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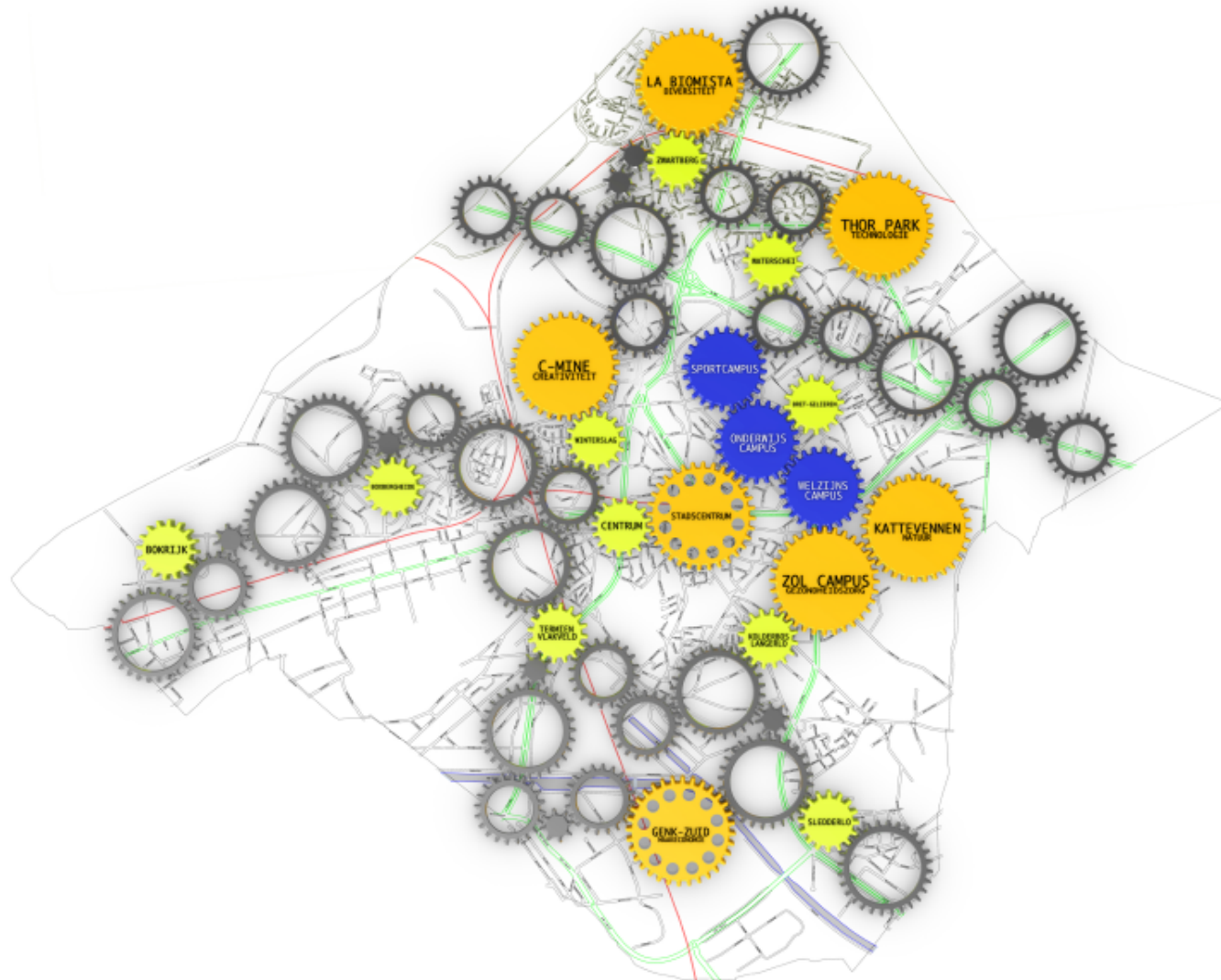
One of 13 Center Cities
Province Limburg: Genk-Hasselt
Economic international grid



Genk - matrix city



Genk - cogwheel city





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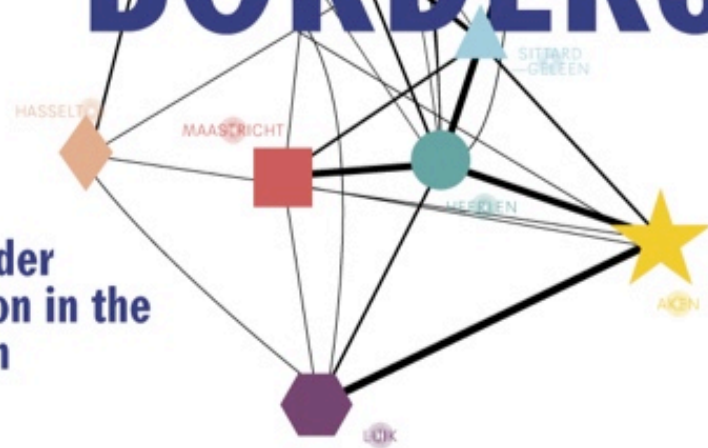


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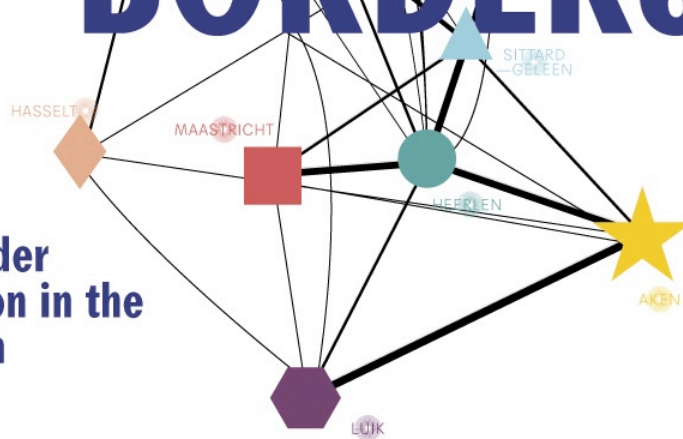
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