Connected Commuting

Media Report
The New Cities Foundation launched the findings from the Connected Commuting project in San Francisco in December, 2012. This report provides an Update to the initial Media Report, published in December 2013.

The first day alone resulted in coverage in the Atlantic Cities, New York Times and International Herald Tribune and Fast Company. These articles alone have the potential of reaching over a million targeted readers across the globe. New Cities Foundation also sent the release via PR Newswire in key markets such as Brazil, Germany, China, and the US. The study has also been widely reported in the international media and publications including: the BBC, Huffington Post, China Dialogue and Next City, among others. In addition, in January 2013, California State Library (CRB) listed the report among its ‘Studies in News’.

Coverage highlights

2014

Green Biz, United States (28 February, 2014)
http://bit.ly/1bRGte5
Dedicates a paragraph to the Connected Commuting project in San Jose

2013

BBC World Service Radio: Click (July 16, 2013, UK)
http://bbc.in/1blzpok
The New Cities Foundation’s Marina Bradbury features in a panel discussion on BBC Click, the World Service radio’s flagship technology program. This episode, and the one from June 18, form part of a six-part special series within Click, on the link between technology and transport. Two of the episodes from this series focus on Connected Commuting - and another comprises a special from the New Cities Summit.

BBC World Service Radio: Click (June 18, 2013, UK)
http://bbc.in/15LdMsB
Lengthy feature on Connected Commuting featuring an interview with Naureen Kabir, Director of Urban (co)LAB of the New Cities Foundation. The episode also includes interviews with representatives from the Roadify app and the University of Berkeley.

Fast Company (May 2013, US)
A detailed report in the Fast Company’s Co-Exist column

Next Billion (March 28, 2013, US)
http://bit.ly/12fwgna
A blog post written by Naureen Kabir, Director of Urban (co) LAB of the New Cities Foundation

Next City (April 29, 2013, US)
An interview with Mathieu Leferve, Executive Director of the New Cities Foundation

Businessweek.com (January 25, 2013, US)
http://buswk.co/17SW6YB
A detailed report in the Bloomberg Business week
El Mercurio online, Chile (8 December, 2013)
http://bit.ly/1bwZih4
It explains in detail the Connected Commuting Project

Brasil Economico, Brazil (4 November, 2013)
http://bit.ly/1e379tg
Explains in detail the Connected Commuting project in San Jose, California.

2012

Atlantic Cities (December 10, 2012, US)
Solo Drivers Say They Benefit From App Communities

The Huffington Post (December 11, 2012, US)
http://huff.to/SafiS1
Blog by John Rossant, Founder and Chairman of the New Cities Foundation

NYTimes/IHT Blog (December 10, 2012, US)
http://nyti.ms/UKZS2j
Crowdsourcing Your Commute

Fast Company Co Exist (December 10, 2012, US)
http://bit.ly/SROsAg
Connected Commuting Can Keep Your Stress Levels Down

Fast Company Design (December 17, 2012, US)
Study: Transit Apps Make Us Happier Commuters

WIRED (December 14, 2012, US)
Study: Connecting With Others Soothes the Savage Commuter

Govtech (December 11, 2012, US)
Crowd-sourced Traffic Apps Ease Drivers

SmartPlanet (December 11, 2012, US)
http://smrt.io/SRhWw8
Can social media improve your commute?

NextBillion (December 15, 2012, US)
6 Billion Mobile Users - Billions of Business Possibilities
Full List of Media Coverage Since December 2012

US
Total amount of media clippings received: 31

- The Huffington Post (December 11, 2012) http://huff.to/SafiS1
- Business Week (January 25, 2013) http://buswk.co/175W6YB
- Forbes (December 19, 2012) http://onforb.es/T7VboA
- Dalengroup (June 3, 2013) http://bit.ly/18BDNmP
- Environment Guru (June 3, 2013) http://bit.ly/12oeT1f
- Urb.im (June 6, 2013) http://bit.ly/1bdRh03
- Texas Hats (June 6, 2013) http://bit.ly/15ia6Nm
- LLGA (March 21, 2013) http://bit.ly/1b2iuQ

China
Total amount of media clippings received: 3

UK
Total amount of media clippings received: 4

- BBC Click (June 18, 2013)  
  http://bbc.in/15ldMsB
- Coming soon - BBC Click (July 16, 2013)  
  http://bbc.in/17Y6up1
- Tourism Review (February 18, 2013)  
- Prism Magazine (February 14, 2013)  
  http://bit.ly/1bqJLlb

Brazil
Total amount of media clippings received: 1

- Brasil Economico (4 November, 2013)  
  http://bit.ly/1e379ta

Sweden
Total amount of media clippings received: 5

- Ericsson (2012)  
- Ericsson (February 12, 2013)  
- Ericsson Business Review (10 December, 2013)  
- Ericsson, Sweden (27 November, 2013)  
  http://bit.ly/18cUWiY
- Ericsson, Sweden (8 November, 2013)  
  http://bit.ly/1JiVNe

Australia
Total amount of media clippings received: 1

- The Fifth Estate (16 April 2013)  

India
Total amount of media clippings received: 1

- PwC ‘Connected Life - The impact of the Connected Life over the next five years’ [2012]  

Chile
Total amount of media clippings received: 1

- El Mercurio online (8 December, 2013)  
  http://bit.ly/1bw7il4

Korea
Total amount of media clippings received: 2

- Eco Mobility Festival (October, 2013)  
  http://bit.ly/1cexwMAy
- Green Mind (7 August, 2013)  
  http://bit.ly/1kCeK1H

Media Coverage –2012

China

- china.com  
- ifeng.com  
- finet.hk  
- chineseworldnet.com  
- News Center of Kunshan  
- Sohu Blog  
- Longyuan Journal  
New York Times (@nytimes – 6,881,092 followers)

Crowdsourcing a quicker commute: http://nyti.ms/YUXddG

Arianna Huffington (@arianahuff – 1,123,017 followers)

Some food for thought for your morning commute: it’s more enjoyable and efficient if you can crowd-source it http://huff.to/Sb6IlW @rossant

Richard Florida (@Richard_Florida – 157,208 followers)

New @NewCitiesFound Study on #Commuting and Social Networks -bit.ly/Vy5Inr - via @YuriArtibise

Hugh Byrne (@greenbiztweets – 40,000 followers)

Making smartphones smarter for #connectedcommuting - learn more at #vergecon http://bit.ly/19Bq6fH via @newcitiesfound

Ericsson (@ericsson – 4,054 followers)

Read Monika’s #NetworkedSociety blog on our research w/@newcitiesfound & SanJosé dept of transp on #connectedcommuting www.ericsson.com/thinking…

Bombardier Rail (@BombardierRail – 3,873 followers)

RT @newcitiesfound: Our #ConnectedCommuting Task Force study is available! Check out the results here: bit.ly/ncfCCfull

Metropolis (@metropolis_org – 2,111 followers)

Available now report @newcitiesfound and @Ericssonsustain on connected commuting: smartphones can help city management bit.ly/ncfCCfull

Mutinerie (@MutinerieCrew – 1,964 followers)

RT @newcitiesfound: #ConnectedCommuting first ever dedicated study on social networking and the commute experience bit.ly/ncfCCfull

LaFabriquedelaCité (@FabriquelaCite – 1,544 followers)

Focus (dé)#mobilité des mobilités: http://bit.ly/18sVqzV : #parisbabel #sansbureauaufixe #connectedcommuting @GroupeChronos @newcitiesfound

Yuri Artibise (@YuriArtibise – 5,227 followers)

New #Cities Foundation Unveils Results of Landmark Study on #Commuting and Social Networks bit.ly/Vy5Inr @newcitiesfound

Cities Research (@CitiesResearch – 9,884 followers)

“@newcitiesfound: #ConnectedCommuting: Commuters recognize that technology serves to improve the #commuting experience bit.ly/ncfCCfull”
"Sharing information, not just receiving it", makes connected commuters happier commuters – says the NCF’s Naureen Kabir. Find out more about our Connected Commuting project on the latest episode of BBC Click

How user-generated data is helping developers create apps to ease the strain of commuting bbc.in/16Kt69e

How can #technology ease our commute? Listen to NCF’s Naureen Kabir and other international experts on @BBCClick bbc.in/15LdMsB