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# The Newsbundle

CSR Europe's monthly newsletter



## Save the date: Two major events not to be missed (May 22/23 & November 23, 2017)

CSR Europe invites you to save the date for the following two major events taking place this year on May 22 & 23, a major conference on the Sustainable Development Goals in collaboration with the European Business Summit and the First European Enterprise-Education Summit taking place on November 23 in Brussels.

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### Latest News

## Explore opportunities for collective action with CSR Europe's SDG Incubator



The SDG Incubator is part of CSR Europe's Sustainable Business Exchange – The European Business Platform for action towards the UN Sustainable Development Goals.

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## Four facts on sustainability management

### EU Update

European Commission presents White Paper on the Future of Europe

Corporate tax avoidance: Council agrees position on hybrid mismatches

[Upcoming EU events](#)

### Corporate Member News

BBVA launches Center for Financial Education and Capability

IBM extends Smarter Cities Challenge programme to help cities improve services for citizens

Telefónica joins UNICEF's "Magic Box" initiative to drive the use of Big Data for Social Good

Total commits to greater gender diversity

### National Partner News and Events

Promoting Spanish – Ukrainian links through responsible business

### Diversity Charter Spotlight

Fifth issue of the EU Platform of Diversity Charters newsletter out now

FIBS publishes video on diversity and inclusion



Do you want to help improve your company's sustainability management? These four facts address important questions to help you do it.

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## Partner News and Events

[Applications open for 5th Global Healthy Workplace Awards](#)

## Discover CSR Europe's new interactive calendar of events



We have launched an interactive calendar of events which provides information on all events and activities planned for 2017.

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## 18 CSR Europe member companies in the top 100 most reputable companies



18 CSR Europe member companies have been ranked in the top 100 most reputable member companies by the Reputation Institute.

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## STEM Alliance launches brand new “Professionals Go Back To School” Scheme



The STEM Alliance has launched its brand new “Professionals Go Back To School” Scheme (PGB2S), the STEM Alliance programme to engage company professionals - technicians, engineers, researchers, employment managers,

etc. - to visit schools and participate in collaborative activities for a short session of one hour to half a day or more.

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## European Commission's Pedro Ortún makes appeal for leadership and action on the SDGs

In a panel with CSR Hellas, UNGC, CSR Europe, WBCSD and a representative of the Greek Government, Pedro Ortún made a forceful appeal for leadership and action on the SDGs.



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## Upcoming events from CSR Europe and its network

### Open webinar: How to make your sustainability approach more mature and integrated (March 22, 2017, 15:00 - 16:00 CET)



Join this webinar to learn about CSR Europe's maturity and integration assessment: what it is, why it's important to assess the maturity and integration of sustainability and how companies and national partners can engage.

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### Pact for Youth workshop: National Action Plans peer review meeting (March 23, 2017, 14:00 - 18:00 CET)



Join this workshop to find out where we are with the National Actions Plans, learn about potential priorities that could be replicated in your country and hear about perspectives and priorities from the Pact for Youth supporting organisations.

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### Pact for Youth Sherpa meeting: Mainstreaming entrepreneurship and soft skills in curricula (March 24, 2017, 10:00 - 15:00 CET)



This Sherpa meeting will prepare the Pact Leaders' Meeting of July 12 where company and civil society organisation CEOs will present and endorse a joint policy proposal.

To register for this event please contact [Marten Verheugt](#).

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## UPJ Annual Conference: CSR in a world of change (March 30, 2017, Berlin)



The annual conference of UPJ, the German Corporate Citizenship and CSR network, takes place on March 30 at the historic Berlin Town Hall. An interactive toolbox session will showcase successful projects, programmes and instruments.

During parallel workshops key CSR topics will be discussed.

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## Webinar: Ensuring good working conditions in complex supply chains (March 30, 2017, 16:00 - 17:15 CET)



Join this webinar to explore how companies monitor working conditions across global supply chains and direct resources where needed to address identified issues.

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## Webinar: EU Update on the state of play on transparency - conflict minerals regulation and shareholder rights directive (April 5, 2017)



Join this webinar to learn more about how the European Commission is enhancing business transparency in a number of areas such as conflict minerals and shareholder rights directive.

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## Quarterly NPO Webinar: Facts & Figures 2016 (April 6, 2017, 11:00 - 12:00 CET)



Join this webinar to get the data and insights on NPO work in 2016, find out about major events and opportunities for 2017 and brainstorm and share ideas for collaboration.

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## Pact for Youth webinar: The Skills of the Future (April 25, 2017, 15:30 - 16:30 CET)



Join this webinar to discuss how business-education partnerships can support STEM subjects.

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## Webinar: EU Update on SDGs implementation plan (April 27, 2017)



Join this webinar to learn more about the plan of the European Commission to implement the UN Sustainable Development Goals and related activities, such as the establishment of a Multi-Stakeholder Platform and an annual sustainability

prize.

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### Contribute to the next Newsbundle

The deadline for contributions for the next issue of the Newsbundle is April 4, at 17.00 (CET).

If you would like to share relevant information on your CSR activities or events with the Newsbundle readers or contribute an Enterprise 2020 blog post, please contact Davide Castro at [dc@csreurope.org](mailto:dc@csreurope.org).

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