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# The Newsbundle

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Latest news from CSR Europe

## CEOs Call to Action for New Deal for Europe, Deadline Extended

#CEOsCall2Action

**CEOs CALL TO ACTION:  
ENDORSE NOW !**



Due to increased demand, the CEO sign-up deadline has been extended to 30 November 2019. More than 250 European CEOs have already joined the Call - with 40 coming in the final week of September alone.

[Endorse the Call Now.](#)

[Read more.](#)

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## Join the Sustainable Future Summit 2019



Just ahead of the COP25 in Chile, CSR Europe is supporting POLITICO in the launch of its first [Sustainable Future Summit](#) on November 14 in Brussels. CSR Europe members and partners are invited to participate and will benefit from a 30% discount. [Join the Discussions and Register Now](#)

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People

## Exploring the Connection between Circular Economy and Future of Work

EU Update

Upcoming EU Events

Commission Prepares to Scale Up Efforts to Protect Biodiversity

The Circular Plastics Alliance Presents Its Declaration

EU Environment and Climate Change Policies, The Challenges for the next 5 year

Member States agrees on Regulation for Taxonomy for Sustainable Finance

Corporate Member News

Enel launches world's first SDG linked bond

Titan's Initiative



As companies turn towards **circular models of production**, they do not only face technological, market and regulatory challenges but also **barriers for transforming their culture, workplace and workforce**. CSR Europe will be taking a deeper look into these challenges in the [upcoming webinar "Circular Economy & Future of Work"](#) on 6<sup>th</sup> of November 2019. [Read more.](#)

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## Together for STEM – Driving Business Impact



For our industries to remain competitive and to **drive innovation** we need to address the **shortage in the talent pipeline across the Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics (STEM) fields**. Europe lacks diversity in STEM and consequently, its development is at risk of becoming unsustainable. [Read more.](#)

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### Materials

## 7 Patterns Companies Can Follow to Become Circular



ReGeneration Academy for Digital-Acceleration

CEMEX included in Dow Jones Sustainability MILA Pacific Alliance Index

McCain Invests in Innovative Farms of the Future Program

Samsung Updates On E-Waste Recycling Success

Pirelli Awards Best Suppliers for Sustainability, Innovation and Quality

Sodexo Ranks Best in Class On the Dow Jones Sustainability Index

### National Partner News and Events

Croatia: Awarding the Greatest Businesses for their Efforts in the Field of CSR

Austria: Austrian CSR Day

Ireland: Business In The Community

The R2Pi Consortium partners developed **7 Circular Economy Business Model patterns** to help business reconfiguring their business model while creating value. [Join the conference “Transitioning to Circular Business Models” on 24 October](#) to discover how circularity can be applied in your company. [Read more.](#)

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## Adding Value to the Private Sector’s Actions in the EU and Africa



In Europe and Africa lies untapped potential for private sector collaboration through new digital technologies. Join CSR Europe’s business-led platform ‘[Upgraded and Sustainable Value Chains for Europe & Africa](#)’ to discover, together with the EU Commission and the German Foundation for International Collaboration, the opportunities in the fields of energy, water, and health. [Read More](#)

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### Markets

## Corporate Sustainability Is Speeding Up, What Are Your Stakeholders Thinking?



Sustainability is gaining new momentum under the pressure posed by new EU regulations and social movements such as Gilet Jaune and the FridaysForFuture climate strikes. Does your company have a plan for the sustainability challenges ahead? CSR Europe can help you bringing relevant stakeholders to

Ireland Launches New Three-Year Strategic Plan

Portugal: Partnership to Support Companies with Agenda 2030 Goals

the table for a face-to-face dialogue that will ensure the long-term success of your company. Discover our Stakeholder Dialogue Service.

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## Is your Climate Related Disclosure fit for Impactful Investment?



In order to efficiently direct capital to investments useful for climate change mitigation and adaptation measures, companies need to include Climate-related financial disclosure into their reporting. However, only around 25% of companies disclose information aligned with the criteria set by the Task Force for Climate Finance Disclosure. Discover how to manage Corporate Climate Impact and register to the technical workshop co-hosted by CSR Europe and the European Investment Bank on 13 November. [Read More](#)

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EU

## Europe Makes Landmark Steps Toward an Overarching Strategy on SDGs



President-Elect Von der Leyen claimed that the new EU Commissioners will be collectively and individually responsible for the **implementation of the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals for 2030**. In the meantime, CSR Europe is building the **greatest mobilization of CEOs ever in Europe**, calling the business leaders to act for a Sustainable Europe 2030. [Endorse the CEOs Call to Action](#). [Read more](#)

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National Partner Organisations

## New Call for the 3rd Edition of the International Energy Cooperation Awards



Madrid, September 11, 2019.- Iberdrola and Club de Excelencia en Sostenibilidad open the call for the third edition of the "International Energy Cooperation Awards".

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### CSR Europe News & Upcoming Activities

#### Discover Our Events!

[View Our Calendar of Activities 2019](#)

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### The Sustainable Development Goals

#### How to Pursue an Active Business Leadership on the SDGs



Enel's launch of the world's first SDG bond, worth 1.4 billion Euro, proves that it is possible to balance short-term shareholder value and long-term pressure for increased sustainability. Companies that are struggling to integrate the SDGs into their business model can [join the upcoming SDG Masterclass on the 15th October 2019](#). [Read more](#)

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### Contribute to the next Newsbundle

The deadline for contributions for the next issue of the Newsbundle is **October 23, 2019, at 17.00 (CEST)**.

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