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The European Sustainable Industry Summit

25-26 JUNE 2024,
BRUSSELS



Shaping the Next Era of Corporate Sustainability Practices

The European industry is at a pivotal moment, grappling with higher stakes than ever before in the run to reach carbon-neutrality by 2050 while transitioning to become fully sustainable, human-centric, and resilient.

Amidst a challenging international context, marked by wars, geopolitical tensions, the spread of misinformation, and the rapid advancement of Artificial Intelligence (AI)-driven disruptive innovations, it is imperative for businesses have to collaborate with their peers, the public sector, and stakeholders across the globe to unlock the investments needed to secure their competitiveness and Europe's future prosperity.

The European Sustainable Industry Summit stands as the premier gathering for forward-thinking companies leading the charge in shaping the next era of corporate sustainability, advancing a resilient, inclusive and environmentally responsible Europe.

From 25-26 June, over **300 stakeholders** from the industry, European institutions, and civil society organisations will come together at the prestigious **BNP Paribas Auditorium**, located at the heart of the capital of Europe. Together, they will define the path forward for industries navigating the complexities of the green and digital transition.

Over two days, business leaders, in dialogue with representatives of European institutions and civil society organizations, will share invaluable knowledge and strategies aimed at empowering European businesses and boosting their engagement with stakeholders inside and outside Europe.

The dynamic agenda features high-level plenaries, sustainability roundtables, and practical business cases aimed at addressing key questions on the future of the European industry:

What proactive measures can Europe adopt to secure **access to essential raw materials**? How can different industries **harness the power of AI and digitalization** to bolster their corporate sustainability performance? How can we leverage the current **EU regulatory frameworks** as a springboard for meaningful **business transformation beyond compliance**? How is **sustainability reporting** evolving and what can businesses do to effectively communicate their company's journey and performance? How can businesses actively contribute to **biodiversity conservation or restoration efforts**? What proven tactics exist for **engaging suppliers** and achieving sustainability impact across supply chains? How can we unlock and streamline access to **sustainable investment opportunities**?

The Programme

25-26 June 2024, Auditorium BNP Paribas
Rue de la Chancellerie 1, Brussels

DAY 1 | JUNE 25TH

TIME (CET)	SESSION
10:00 – 11:00	NETWORKING COFFEE
11:00 – 11:40	WELCOME & OPENING ADDRESS Advancing Corporate Sustainability Action over Ambition
11:40 – 12:40	HIGH-LEVEL PLENARY Investment Strategies in Sourcing Countries for a Competitive European Industry <i>Leading company intro (15m) + panel of 3 representatives (45m)</i>
12:40 – 13:40	NETWORKING LUNCH
13:40 – 14:40	HIGH-LEVEL PLENARY Leveraging the EU Sustainability Framework for Corporate Impact <i>Leading company intro (15m) + panel of 3 representatives (45m)</i>
14:45-15:35	SUSTAINABILITY ROUNDTABLES <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Sustainability Reporting in the EU: Navigating Regulations 2. Building Sustainability Leadership in Challenging Times with CSR Europe 3. Biodiversity Management: Business Strategies in Action 4. Successful Business Alliances for Sustainable Supply Chains 5. Corporate Due Diligence Demystified: Processes and Policies for Success 6. Topic TBC 7. Topic TBC 8. Topic TBC 9. Topic TBC
15:35-16:05	COFFEE BREAK
16:05-17:45	SUSTAINABILITY ROUNDTABLES <i>2x rounds (50 minutes each) of the nine sessions</i>
17:45-18:00	CLOSING REMARKS & PREVIEW OF DAY 2

DAY 2 | JUNE 26TH

TIME (CET)	SESSION
10:00 – 10:30	NETWORKING COFFEE
10:30 – 10:40	WELCOME & OPENING REMARKS AI's Role in Corporate Sustainability: Challenge or Catalyst for Impact?
10:40 – 11:00	BUSINESS CASE #1 AI-Powered Innovation: Driving Sustainable Solutions for a Greener Future
11:00 – 11:20	BUSINESS CASE #2 Sustainability Reporting Empowered by AI: Potential Efficiency and Pitfalls
11:20 – 12:00	NETWORKING REFRESHMENT
12:00 – 12:20	BUSINESS CASE #3 State of Play on AI Regulations: Navigating the Nexus of Ethics and Policy
12:20 – 13:25	HIGH-LEVEL PANEL AI Solutions for Sustainable Development <i>Panel featuring all the speakers of the individual business cases + additional experts on the topic</i>
13:25 – 13:45	CLOSING REMARKS Swift Actions, Deep Changes: Paving Europe's Path Towards 2050

Showcase your Sustainability Leadership

- **Dialogue with high-level representatives** of industry, European institutions, and civil society organisations
- **Build intelligence** around your company's key sustainability issues
- **Position your company** at the leading sustainability event for businesses in Europe



300
EXPECTED
ATTENDEES

+50
COMPANIES

2
DAYS IN
BRUSSELS

35
HIGH-LEVEL
SPEAKERS

12
ROUNDTABLES &
BUSINESS CASES

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SILVER (2X AVAILABLE)

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- Free tickets for CSR Europe members | 2 tickets at early bird rate for non-members
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- Speaking slot on 2nd day
- Sponsorship announcement in the newsletter (18K subscribers)
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For members: 30 K
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- Speaking slot on the 1st day
- VIP lounge for meet & greet with C-level speakers, 3 members of the CSR Europe Board of Directors
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- Promotion of your speaker on LinkedIn (21K followers)



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We support businesses & industry sectors in their transformation and collaboration towards practical solutions and sustainable growth. We are for systemic change. Following the SDGs, we want to co-build with the European leaders and stakeholders an overarching strategy for a Sustainable Europe 2030.