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SUSTAINABLE ECONOMY SUMMIT

12TH EDITION, 27-28 MAY 2026, VERTE HOTEL, WARSAW

GOAL:

In this age of increasing social and environmental awareness, ESG issues are becoming a key element of business strategy and building competitive advantage in the market. Responding to these new challenges, the Executive Club has established a unique project to popularise the idea of ESG and sustainable development in business. The Sustainable Economy Summit is an event that demonstrates that fulfilling ESG criteria and pursuing sustainable development goals is not only an expression of responsibility for social and environmental well-being, but also an effective business strategy with tangible economic benefits. Meeting ESG targets also helps companies to optimise their own processes, through energy transformation, reduction of emissions and waste generation, and decarbonisation. ESG is also part of brand building as well as establishing trust among customers, who are increasingly choosing sustainable products and services. During the event, we show real examples illustrating that companies committed to ESG gain a tangible advantage in the market, enjoy greater investor interest and are better prepared for future challenges. The Sustainable Economy Summit shows that, in the long term, adhering to ESG principles translates into significant savings and cost reductions, and thus greater profitability.

MAIN TOPICS:

- Competitive and Resilient Europe
- Circular Economy
- Code of Tomorrow – Women on Boards
- Sustainable Construction and Real Estate
- Affordable and Green Energy for Europe
- How to Save Europe?

TARGET GROUP:

- Representatives of top-management from a wide range of industries, implementing and executing ESG strategies
- Institutions responsible for environmental, social and economic issues
- Experts dealing with environmental and CSR initiatives
- Investors looking for sustainable investment opportunities
- Academia, NGOs, research institutes studying and supporting the ESG field

The conference is accompanied by an evening award gala, the 'Sustainable Economy Diamonds'.



AGENDA: **DAY 1** - 27 MAY 2026, HOTEL VERTE, WARSAW

09:30 Guest Registration

10:00 Opening of the Conference

10:15 Inaugural Speech: Wojciech Balczun – Minister of State Assets

10:30 Speech: Adam Sanocki – Member of the Management Board for Strategy and Marketing, Polish Airports “The Impact of Polish Airports on Regions. Report by Polish Airports S.A.”

10:45 Panel 1: Competitive and Resilient Europe

- Strategic resilience of the European economy. How to maintain Europe's strong economic position in a world of increasing competition from China and the US? Do ESG requirements undermine competitiveness?
- What mechanisms to support industrial transformation in the EU should be implemented to avoid a mass exodus of production to countries with lower environmental and quality standards?
- Efficiency of European companies compared to America and Asia. What needs to change systemically in the areas of productivity, automation, labor costs?
- Changes in ESG policies. How to protect the climate and at the same time adapt Europe to new geopolitical realities? The role of cooperation between business and administration for the development of practical models of action.
- Local content and economic independence. Should Europe actively protect its own market and increase the participation of domestic companies in strategic investments? How should public procurement and industrial policy be designed to support local contractors without losing the benefits of an open market?

Moderator: Rafał Mrówka, PhD, DSc – Professor at the Department of Management Theory, Head of the MBA-SGH and MBA for Startups programs, Warsaw School of Economics

Speakers:

- Jarosław Chwastowicz – Customer Experience Director, Lyreco Polska
- Renat Heuberger – CEO, Terra Impact Ventures, Co-founder and Director of the myclimate and South Pole foundations, President of eAgronom and MPower
- Arkadiusz Lewandowski – Managing Attorney, KPK LEGAL Kancelaria Adwokacka
- Andrzej Losor – Member of the Management Board, Director of Sales Development, Low-Carbon Products and ESG, Heidelberg Materials Polska
- Aleksandra Robaszekiewicz – Director of Corporate Affairs, Lidl Polska
- Ewelina Stępnik-Godawa – Regulatory Affairs Manager, Allegro
- Marek Zdanowicz – President of the Management Board, Dalkia Polska Solutions

12:15 Networking Break

12:45 Case Study: Aleksandra Wilczak-Grzesik – KAM Non-financial & SME | ESG | Business & Credit Information, CRIF “From Turbulence to Advantage: ESG as a Path to Growth and Business Resilience”

13:00 Panel 2: Circular Economy

- Can the circular economy coexist with stable production growth? How to unify circularity regulations and standards for Europe?
- New norms and technologies in the circular economy that make it possible to extend the life of products (repair, reuse, recycle). Should the state support business in the transition to closed loop?
- Technological innovations – secondary raw materials as a strategic economic resource. How to increase their use in industry and recover materials most efficiently?
- Deposit-refund system and EPR. What effects should the full implementation bring? Lessons from the first months of the new regulations.

Moderator: Anita Palukiewicz – Partner, Attorney-at-Law, SSW Law & Beyond

Speakers:

- Andrzej Grzymała – Vice-President of the Management Board, Managing Director, Reverse Logistics Group
- Katarzyna Jakubowska-Gawlik, PhD, BEng – Procurement Security Expert, Animex Foods
- Paweł Lesiak – Vice-President of the Management Board, Interzero
- Michał Mikołajczyk – Proxy, Sales and External Relations Director, Rekopol Organizacja Odzysku Opakowań
- Jarosław Siuta – Better Planet Packaging Manager, Smurfit Westrock
- Grzegorz Skrzypczak – President of the Management Board, ElektroEko Organizacja Odzysku Sprzętu Elektrycznego i Elektronicznego
- Anita Sowińska – Deputy Minister, Ministry of Climate and Environment

14:15 Lunch

15:15 Case Study: Paulina Paga – Management Board Representative for Sustainable Development and Head of the ESG Team, Polish Airports “Sustainable Development as a Strategic Priority of Polish Airports”

15:30 Speech: Klas Johansson – CEO & Co-Founder, Fever Energy “The flexibility gap”

15:35 Panel 3: Affordable and Green Energy for Europe

- Why is energy so expensive in Europe, and will the energy transition bring costs down? Financing models for large-scale transition projects: the role of banks, funds and institutional investors.
- The impact of rising energy costs on energy-intensive industries. How can a gradual transition to electricity from RES lower industry operating costs?
- Scaling up renewable capacity. Are investments in local RES installations at industrial plants, combined with energy storage, the solution?
- The optimal energy market model of the future – how to combine scale with decentralization for lower prices while maintaining continuity of supply? How to create a safe mix of distributed energy based on local renewable energy sources and stable energy supplied by large corporations?

Moderator: prof. Waldemar Kamrat, BEng, PhD, DSc – Director of the Nuclear Energy Center, Gdańsk University of Technology

Speakers:

- Klas Johansson – CEO & Co-Founder, Fever Energy
- Marek Kaźmierczak – Director of the Strategy, Processes, and Projects Department, PGE Polska Grupa Energetyczna
- Jacek Kostrzewa – President of the Management Board, Krajowa Agencja Poszanowania Energii
- Małgorzata Szafoni – Deputy President of the Management Board, National Fund for Environmental Protection and Water Management
- Patryk Świrski – Member of the Management Board for Operations, “SEFAKO” Boiler Factory

EVENING GALA “SUSTAINABLE ECONOMY DIAMONDS”

19:00 Registration for the Gala and Networking Cocktail

20:00 Grand Opening of the Gala

20:10 Special Guest Speech: Andrzej Leder – Professor, Philosopher, Corresponding Member, Polish Academy of Sciences “European imaginarium”

20:30 Awards Ceremony

21:20 – 24:00 Evening Banquet

AGENDA: **DAY 2** - 28 MAY 2026, HOTEL VERTE, WARSAW

09:30 Guest Registration

10:00 Opening of the Second Day

10:15 Inaugural Speech: Renat Heuberger – CEO, Terra Impact Ventures, Co-founder and Director of the myclimate and South Pole foundations, President of eAgronom and MPower
"From Paradox to Profit: How Climate Entrepreneurs Can Shape the Future of Europe"

10:45 Panel 1: Sustainable Construction and Real Estate

- How to accelerate the green transformation of construction while maintaining investment attractiveness and development momentum? The role of developers and general contractors in the decarbonization process.
- Energy efficiency. Can zero-carbon buildings be built on a mass scale? How to implement solutions to reduce energy consumption in existing buildings?
- Can low-carbon building materials and product innovations realistically reduce the environmental footprint of construction to a level consistent with climate goals?
- Property lifecycle management. How can we integrate design, construction and asset management to maximise long-term value whilst minimising environmental impact?
- Logistics as a practical tool for decarbonisation and reducing emissions in the construction industry. How to optimise costs and minimise waste in transport whilst ensuring the smooth execution of investments?

Moderator: Katarzyna Lipka – Head of Strategic Consulting & ESG Advisory Poland, Cushman & Wakefield Poland

Speakers:

- Bartosz Bartosik – Proxy, Director of the Project Delivery Department, BREMER
- Malwina Dobosz – Business Unit Director (B2B), Hymon Powered by Kajima
- Jarosław Jankowski – Business Development Director, Fracht FWO Polska
- Andrzej Losor – Member of the Management Board, Director of Sales Development, Low-Carbon Products and ESG, Heidelberg Materials Polska
- Łukasz Marcinkiewicz – Country Manager Poland, Hill International
- Marcin Ujejski – President of the Management Board, Blue Timber; President of the Management Board, BeLEAF

12:00 Networking Break

12:30 Case Study: Ewelina Mikuła-Musiół – ESG Team Manager, TAURON Polska Energia "TAURON – Energy of Knowledge, Energy of Women"

12:45 Speech: Paweł Bukowski, PhD – Assistant Professor of Economics, University College London and Polish Academy of Sciences "Should We Have More Women at the Top?"

13:00 Panel 2: Code of Tomorrow – Women on Boards

- Diversity and inclusivity in practice. Why are companies with diverse teams more innovative, more resilient to market challenges, and better performing?
- Gender equality as a factor in organizational growth. How does an organizational culture based on diversity increase motivation, loyalty and creativity of teams?
- The era of women – do modern organizations need leaders who foster a culture of shared responsibility, basing leadership on consensus and cooperation instead of domination?
- Business ethics. Are companies that employ more women in management positions more value-oriented and socially responsible?

Moderator: Wojciech Szapiel – CEO, Inevity Foundation

Speakers:

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- Anna Panek – Member of the Management Board for HR and Administration, Soonly Finance, President, Soonly Foundation
- Katarzyna Szerling – Vice President of the Management Board, mLeasing
- Justyna Trzeciak – Head of Diversity and Employer Branding Team, Human Capital Management Department, Totalizator Sportowy
- Magdalena Zagrodnik – Partner, Board Member, Co-Founder, Walter Herz

14:15 Networking Break

14:30 Speech: Kamil Wyszkowski – Country Representative, Executive Director, UN Global Compact Network Poland, Representative, UNOPS in Poland "The Great Climate Industrial Revolution – Can Europe Rise to the Challenge?"

14:45 Panel 3: How to Save Europe? – Leaders' Debate

- To be or not to be – what poses the greatest threat to Europe today? How can passerelle clauses be used effectively to reduce EU decision-making paralysis and prevent individual member states from blocking reforms?
- Does the lack of a common foreign and defence policy mean that Europe does not take its own security seriously? Will EU leaders show the political courage to place EU sovereignty above national interests?
- The EU single market. What needs to change over the next 10 years? Which regulations should be simplified and harmonised to reduce bureaucracy and facilitate the free flow of goods, services, and technology?
- How can Europe successfully make the leap in innovation and the commercialisation of deep tech? Effective development of European start-ups on the global market. What reforms are needed in R&D, patents, financing, and scaling?
- Human capital for innovation. How can Europe retain talent while also facilitating the migration of highly skilled workers from outside the EU?

Moderator: Prof. Krzysztof Pikoń, BEng, PhD, DSc – Vice-Dean, Faculty of Environmental and Energy Engineering, Head, Department of Waste Management Technology and Equipment, Silesian University of Technology

Speakers:

- Zsolt Fekete – President of the Management Board, Algotech Polska
- Radosław Kietliński – Management Board Advisor, Totalizator Sportowy
- Michał Kobosko – Member of the European Parliament representing the Renew Europe Group
- Prof. Jerzy Małachowski, BEng, PhD, DSc – Director of the National Centre for Research and Development
- Iwona Pik – President of the Management Board, Krosno Glass
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- Kamil Wyszkowski – Country Representative, Executive Director, UN Global Compact Network Poland, Representative, UNOPS in Poland

16:15 Closing Lunch and Networking

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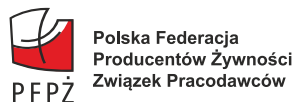
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