

Global Chambers adopt Declaration of Intent for Circular Economy to trigger opportunities for sustainable growth

The Global Chamber Platform (GCP), an initiative led by EUROCHAMBRES President and GCP Chair, Christoph Leitl, the United Nations Industrial Development Organisations (UNIDO), the Club of Rome and the Energy Globe Foundation adopted today an international Declaration of Intent for vigorous promotion and implementation of the principles of a Circular Economy across the globe.

The signature happened during the world's most important environmental award ceremony, the 20th edition of the [Energy Globe World Awards](#), that took place in Espoo, Finland. The main objective of this declaration is to increase the promotion and to boost the implementation of circular economy across the globe through sustainable solutions for the business community.

The Chairman of the GCP and President of EUROCHAMBRES, Christoph Leitl, stated, stated that Circular Economy can be key tool for the global business to tackle climate change and play a major role in the future debate about the competitiveness and industrial strength of Europe. "Given the right framework conditions and incentives the Circular Economy can represent a big opportunity not only for Europe's companies, but for companies across the globe. It can contribute to global sustainability, creating benefits at economic, social and environmental level".

In September, EUROCHAMBRES issued a position paper with a series of policy recommendations for the Circular Economy implementation in Europe. The main objective is to enable economy and society to take the opportunities that an effective transition to a fully Circular Economy can offer. The report can be downloaded here: http://bit.ly/ECH_CircularEconomy

Complementary information:

The PDF version of the Declaration of Intent can be downloaded here: <http://bit.ly/DOI-CE>

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