



European SDG Summit



Impactful Partnerships to Build Back Better

Circular Economy

Smart connections between the Green Deal and the European Industrial Strategy

Agenda

Wednesday 28 October, 11:30 – 13:00

TIME	AGENDA ITEM	GUEST SPEAKERS AND HIGH-LEVEL PANELISTS
11:35 – 11:45	Keynote Address	Jean-Eric Paquet , <i>Director-General for Research and Innovation, European Commission</i>
11:45 – 12:00	Introductory Presentation	Holger Berg , <i>Co-Head Digital Transformation and Project Coordinator Research Group Circular Economy, Wuppertal Institute</i>
12:00 – 12:50	Panel Discussion	Henning Ohlsson , <i>Director Sustainability, Epson Europe & Managing Director, Epson Deutschland GmbH</i> Ernesto Ciorra , <i>Chief Innovability Officer, ENEL</i> Dr. Walter Weigel , <i>Vice-President of the European Research Institute, Huawei</i> Bernd Schäfer , <i>CEO, EIT RawMaterials</i>
12:50 – 13:00	Closing remarks: strategies for a digital circular economy	Karl Vrancken , <i>Circular Economy Thematic Chairman, G-STIC</i>

About the European SDG Summit: This session is part of the European SDG Summit 2020, the leading sustainability event of the year in Europe. The Summit will connect 5000+ Change-Makers in 55 free, virtual sessions ([view the full programme](#)). This year's edition will focus on "Impactful Partnerships to Build Back Better" in response to the COVID-19 pandemic and the [CEO's Call to Action for an overarching Sustainable Europe 2030 Strategy](#). The event will give the floor to public, private, and civil society's leaders eager to scale up collaborative solutions to protect Life and Earth and reach the UN SDGs without leaving no one behind ([discover the 200+ high-level speakers](#)). Highlight of the Summit will be the [inauguration of the European Pact for Sustainable Industry](#) ([learn more about the Pact](#)).

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