



PRE COP 27

a two-day climate conference in the run-up to the COP27 Climate Summit in Egypt

18-19 October 2022

International Congress Centre, Katowice

AGENDA

18 OCTOBER 2022

08.00-09.30 guests registration

09.30-11.30

Ballroom CB

Inauguration session: A strategy for Earth

11.30-12.00 break

12.00-13.30
conference room no. 23
**Sustainable agriculture and
the food crisis**

12.00-13.30
Ballroom C
Green energy revolution

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Ballroom B
**Toward a fair transformation
of coal regions**

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Ballroom A
Circular economy

13.30-14.15 break

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Ballroom A
**ESG – a call for
responsibility**

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Green financing

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**Hydrogen and the hydrogen
economy**

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**ACCOMPANYING EVENT
Waste Round Table**

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Greenhouse gas emissions

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Technologies for the climate

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Sustainable fashion**

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ACCOMPANYING EVENT

UNGC Climate Council on the Polish energy transition*

**Admission by a special invitation only*

19.00

ACCOMPANYING EVENT

Ballroom CB

Banquet*

**Admission with a valid ID badge: VIP, Premium*

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08.00-09.30 registration of guests

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ACCOMPANYING EVENT

Ceremonial breakfast of the Climate Positive Steering Committee*

**Admission by a special invitation only*

09.30-11.00
Ballroom C

Business in the face of green transition

09.30-11.00
Ballroom A

**REPowerEU: climate,
security, economy**

09.30-11.00
Ballroom B

Green construction

11.00-11.30 break

11.30-13.00
Conference
room no.
23
**Climate
education**

11.30-
13.00
Ballroom C
**Offshore
and
onshore
wind
farms**

11.30-13.00
Ballroom B
**Cities for the
climate**

11.30-13.00
Conference room
no. 25
**ACCOMPANYING
EVENT
Business
leaders facing
climate
passivity***
**Admission by
the special
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13.00-13.45 break



13.45-15.00
Ballroom C
Energy efficiency

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Ballroom B
Sustainable transport

13.45-15.00
conference room no.23
Water resources and retention

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Simultaneous interpretation (PL/EN) will be provided

Opening session: Earth Strategy

The role and goal of Climate Summits in the global struggle against climate change. The achievements of UN climate policy, with particular reference to COP26 in Glasgow. Paris Agreement of 2015, where we are 7 years later. European position at COP27 – key assumptions, challenges: forestation, moving away from coal, emissions reduction, electromobility. Climate goals in a world of instability, tension and crisis. The fallout of the pandemic and war in Europe; impact on the conditions, tools and priorities of climate policy and the green transformation. A vision for rebuilding a low-carbon Ukraine. Global raw materials and resource management in the face of geopolitical upheavals and fierce global competition among economic powers. Women and climate change: unequal impact burden, leadership and women's participation in the transition towards climate neutrality.

Opening

- **Kamil Wyszowski**, Country Representative, Executive Director, United Nations Global Compact Network Poland, initiator of PRECOP 27
- **Wojciech Kuśpik**, President of the Management Board of PTWP, initiator and organiser of the European Economic Congress
- **Mariusz Skiba**, Deputy Mayor of Katowice
- **Jakub Chelstowski**, Marshall of the Silesian Province

Speech

- **[video] Sanda Ojiambo**, UN Deputy Secretary-General, CEO and Executive Director, UN Global Compact

Speech

- **Jens Wandel**, Executive Director, United Nations Office for Project Services (UNOPS), Special Adviser to the UN Secretary-General on Reform 2018-2021

Speech

- **[video] Maimunah Mohd Sharif**, Executive Director, United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-Habitat)

Speech

- **Hatem Tageldin**, Ambassador of the Arab Republic of Egypt to Poland

Moderated by:

- **Adam Sierak**, Editor, WNP.PL

The following persons have been invited to participate in the session (alphabetical order):

- **Marcin Korolec**, President, Foundation for the Promotion of Electric Vehicles, Director, Green Economy Institute, Minister of the Environment 2011-2013, President of COP19
- **Jerzy Kwieciński**, Vice President of the Management Board, Bank Pekao
- **David Moran**, COP26 Regional Ambassador for Europe, Central Asia, Turkey and Iran
- **Maciej Nowicki**, Minister of the Environment 2007-2010, laureate of Der Deutsche Umweltpreis, President of COP14
- **Bartłomiej Pawlak**, Vice-President of the Management Board, Polski Fundusz Rozwoju SA

Moderated by:

- **Dominika Tarczyńska**, Journalist, programme "Czysta Polska", Polsat News

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Simultaneous interpretation (PL/EN) will be provided

Sustainable agriculture and the food crisis

Feeding the public, caring for the environment – new goals for agriculture, production and distribution. Industrial animal farming – how do we reduce methane emissions? Green technologies and innovations – examples. Agriculture is looking for ways towards biodiversity. Farms of the future in cities. EU's Common Agricultural Policy 2023-2027, the Green Deal and the "Farm to Fork" strategy – assumptions, considerations, challenges. Food security in times of unrest and geopolitical turmoil.

Presentation (10')

Presentation of the report entitled "The impact of the climate crisis on purchasing decisions", which was created as part of the cooperation between United Nations Global Compact Network Poland and Upfield Polska

- **Sebastian Tolwiński**, Head of Corporate Affairs & Communications CEE, Upfield Polska

The following persons have been invited to participate in the session (alphabetical order):

- **Raschad Al-Khafaji**, Director, United Nations Food and Agriculture Organisation (FAO) Liaison Office with the European Union and Belgium
- **Marcin Mucha**, Director, Polskie Stowarzyszenie Ochrony Roślin
- **Andrzej Modic**, President of the Management Board, Farmer Direct Sp. z o.o. (LokalnyRolnik.pl)



- **[online] Jorge Pinto Antunes**, Deputy Head of the Cabinet of the European Union Commissioner for Agriculture Janusz Wojciechowski
- **Sebastian Tolwiński**, Head of Corporate Affairs & Communications CEE, Upfield Polska

Moderated by:

- **Iwona Dyba**, Editor-in-Chief, Farmer.pl
- **Radosław Iwański**, Editor-in-Chief, Farmer Magazine

18 October 2022 | 12.00-13.30 | Ballroom C

Simultaneous interpretation (PL/EN) will be provided

Green energy revolution

Energy transformation in the context of the UN's Sustainable Development Goals (SDG7) and the Energy Progress Report. Where are we? What have we achieved? Where are we heading? Renewable energy sources in developed and developing countries. How do we satisfy our growing needs and successfully prevent energy poverty? Independence and security as the drivers of investment in independent energy sources and a reduced demand for fossil fuels. Hydrogen technologies, nuclear energy and their current and prospective role in the transformation.

The following persons have been invited to participate in the session (alphabetical order):

- **Alicja Chilińska-Zawadzka**, President of the Management Board, EDF Renewables Polska
- **Benjamin Gibson**, Programme Director for geopolitics, planning and programme support, International Renewable Energy Agency (IRENA)
- **Sebastian Jablonski**, President of the Management Board, Respect Energy
- **Kamil Sankowski**, Member of the Management Board, Polenergia Fotowoltaika
- **Paweł Szczeszek**, President of the Management Board, Tauron Polska Energia SA
- **Jarosław Wajer**, Partner, Business Consulting Department, CESA (Central, Eastern and Southeastern Europe & Central Asia) Energy Sector Advisory Leader, EY

Moderated by:

- **Marcin Roszkowski**, President, Instytut Jagielloński

18 October 2022 | 12.00-13.30 | Ballroom B

Simultaneous interpretation (PL/EN) will be provided

A fair transition for coal regions

European coal-related regions facing the challenges of the transition towards climate neutrality. How do we mitigate the effects of change by diversifying and modernising the local economy and labour market? Experience to date of socio-economic transformation in the Silesian Province. Projects within the framework of territorial fair transition plans, an opportunity to develop in new areas and create new markets. The role of entrepreneurship and business and public participation in the programming process. Investors The Fair Transformation Fund – a key support tool. EU cooperation with national, regional and local authorities.

Conversation 1:1

- **Jakub Chelstowski**, Marshall of the Silesian Province
- **Natalia Rasiewicz**, Editor, PortalSamorzadowy.pl, WNP.PL, PulsHR.pl

Speech

- **[video] Jadwiga Wiśniewska**, Member of the European Parliament

The following persons have been invited to participate in the session (alphabetical order):

- **Jakub Chelstowski**, Marshall of the Silesian Province
- **Arkadiusz Chęciński**, Mayor of Sosnowiec
- **Janusz Michalek**, President of the Management Board, Katowicka Specjalna Strefa Ekonomiczna SA
- **Piotr Pyzik**, Undersecretary of State, Government Plenipotentiary for the Transformation of Energy Companies and Coal Mining, Ministry of State Assets
- **[online] Grzegorz Rabsztyń**, Head of the EIB Group Office in Poland, European Investment Bank
- **Tomasz Rogala**, President of the Board, Polska Grupa Górnictwa SA, wiceprezes-senior, Euracoal

Moderated by:

- **Natalia Rasiewicz**, Editor, PortalSamorzadowy.pl, WNP.PL, PulsHR.pl

18 October 2022 | 12.00-13.30 | Ballroom A

Simultaneous interpretation (PL/EN) will be provided

Circular economy

Plastic – a global problem. What are our alternatives to plastic? Short product durability – producer attitudes, the role of consumers and legal regulations. Packaging waste, electro-waste, textiles, construction waste, composites and more. Sustainable design for zero-waste production. Circular economy as a challenge for economies, sectors and businesses. Deposit and custody system. Importance of Extended Producer Responsibility for achieving circular economy objectives.

The following persons have been invited to participate in the session (alphabetical order):

- **Marcin Borek**, Director, Local Government Investment Department, Polish Development Fund SA
- **Agata Czachórska**, Head of Sustainability, IKEA Retail
- **Andrzej Gantner**, Vice-President of the Management Board, General Director, Polish Federation of Food Manufacturers Employers' Association
- **Ewa Janczukowicz-Cichosz**, sustainability expert, LPP
- **Tomasz Wagner**, Partner, Tax Advisory Department, Indirect Taxes and International Trade Team, EY



- **Leszek Wieciech**, Head of Anti-Corruption Programme, United Nations Global Compact Network Poland

Moderated by:

- **Kalina Olejniczak**, Editor, PortalSamorzadowy.pl, WNP.pl

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Simultaneous interpretation (PL/EN) will be provided

ESG – a call for responsibility

Climate protection policies and the drive toward sustainable production as game changers for business. ESG standards and strategies – natural environment, society and the corporate order, or the criteria that redefine business values. Long-term perspective over short-term profit. Good practice – is it worth being a change leader? European taxonomy – new legal instruments to classify economic activities as environmentally sustainable. Standards and norms; the codification process and its legal basis.

The following persons have been invited to participate in the session (alphabetical order):

- **Piotr Ciepiela**, Senior Associate, Baker McKenzie
- **Emilia Dębowska**, Sustainability Director, Panattoni
- **Ewa Janczukowicz-Cichosz**, sustainability expert, LPP
- **Aneta Piątkowska**, Deputy Director, Economic Analysis Department, Ministry of Economic Development and Technology
- **Zofia Piwowarek**, Head of Climate Positive Programme, United Nations Global Compact Network Poland
- **Mariusz Samordak**, Managing Director of the Ecology, Taxonomy and Analyses Division, Bank Ochrony Środowiska
- **Jacek Siwiński**, President of the Management Board, VELUX Polska Sp. z o.o.

Moderated by:

- **Adam Sierak**, Editor, WNP.PL

18 October 2022 | 14.15-15.30 | Ballroom B

Simultaneous interpretation (PL/EN) will be provided

Green financing

Role, the scope of action and prospects of multilateral development banks: infrastructure investments that support a low-emissions economy, environmental protection, climate change adaptation and energy security. Commercial banks and energy transformation project funding. Global sustainable assets – investor expectations, financial sector strategies, the role of legislation. Financial instruments for cities that implement transformation and climate adaptation programmes.

The following persons have been invited to participate in the session (alphabetical order):

- **Wojciech Hann**, President of the Management Board, Bank Ochrony Środowiska SA
- **Ewa Mochocka**, Associate Partner, EY-Parthenon, Leader in consultancy in the field of obtaining financing and restructuring
- **Paweł Strączyński**, Vice-President of the Management Board, Financial Division, Bank Pekao SA
- **Katarzyna Szwarz**, Plenipotentiary for Capital Market Development Strategy, Ministry of Finance
- **Maria Śmietanka**, Deputy Director, National Contact Point, National Centre for Research and Development
- **Tomasz Tomasiak**, Director, Department Transformacji Energetycznej, Polski Fundusz Rozwoju SA
- **Adam Żelezik**, Director, Department 3W, Bank Gospodarstwa Krajowego o

Moderated by:

- **Paweł Czuryło**, Deputy Editor-in-Chief, Dziennik Gazeta Prawna

18 October 2022 | 14.15-15.30 | Ballroom C

Simultaneous interpretation (PL/EN) will be provided

Hydrogen and the hydrogen economy

Hydrogen as the fuel of the future – prospects and barriers to overcome. Available technologies and state of the art of the hydrogen economy in Europe and the world. Green hydrogen and renewable energy. Hydrogen production and transport – how to pull it off effectively? Sectors and industries that may use hydrogen.

Presentation (5')

Presentation of key conclusions from the report "Hydrogen Law - regulatory and financial environment supporting the development of the hydrogen economy."

- **Kamil Wyszowski**, Country Representative, Executive Director, United Nations Global Compact Network Poland, initiator of PRECOP 27

The following persons have been invited to participate in the session (alphabetical order):

- **[online] Smeeta Fokeer**, Industrial Development Officer, Climate and Technology Partnership Division (CTP), United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO)
- **Benjamin Gibson**, Programme Officer for Geopolitics, International Renewable Energy Agency (IRENA)
- **Grzegorz Józwiak**, Director, Alternative Fuels Implementation Office, PKN ORLEN SA
- **Kazimierz Karolczak**, President of the Board, Górnośląsko-Zagłębiowska Metropolia
- **Dariusz Kryczka**, Manager in the field of Energy and Sustainability Practice, Leader of EY EU Green Deal Center of Excellence, Energy & Climate expert in United Nations Global Compact
- **Cezariusz Lesisz**, President of the Management Board, Industrial Development Agency
- **Tomoho Umeda**, President of the Management Board, Hynfra P.S.A.

Moderated by:

- **Aleksandra Helbin**, Editor, WNP.PL

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Round Waste Table. Waste management – opportunities and challenges for the state, industry and local governments

Part 1 Legislation (75')

Legislative record to date in the field of waste management – consistency of existing solutions with those introduced and announced. The principle of Extended Producer Responsibility and the implications of its introduction in the proposed formula. “Plastic Directive” (SUP), deposit and deposit system: why does Poland fail to implement EU regulations in time? Effects of delays – financial, economic, social. How to introduce regulations, distributing their costs fairly? Circular economy – a distant horizon? Regulatory quality and efficiency of circular economy in the country.

The following persons have been invited to participate in the session (alphabetical order):

- **Krzysztof Baczyński**, President of the Management Board, Employers' Association of Producers of Packaging and Products in Packaging EKO-PAK
- **Małgorzata Greszta**, Managing Partner, CSR CONSULTING
- **Agnieszka Koc**, Environmental Director, Martins Polska SA (Biedronka network)
- **Jakub Tyczkowski**, President of the Management Board, Rekopol Organizacja Odzysku Opakowań SA
- **Konrad Raczkowski**, Director, UKSW World Economy Center, member of the National Development Council at the President of the Republic of Poland in 2015-2020

Moderated by:

- **Aneta Kaczmarek**, Editor, PortalSamorzadowy.pl
- **Piotr Toborek**, Journalist, PortalSamorzadowy.pl

Part 2 Challenges: the grey area, hazardous waste (75')

Waste incinerators and the energy crisis – the lesser of two evils? Used oils and chemical waste – an unresolved problem and area of pathology. Vehicle recycling in practice. Plastics – chemical recycling of plastic, or fuel from PET? Impact of the economic crisis on the growth of the shadow economy: waste smuggling, illegal/sham recycling, landfill fires, illegal dumping. How to prevent and effectively combat pathologies? Disposal of abandoned waste as a business, environmental, social and financial problem.

The following persons have been invited to participate in the session (alphabetical order):

- **Henryk Borczyk**, Vice-President of the board, Górnośląsko-Zagłębiowska Metropolia
- **Marcin Borek**, Director, Local Government Investment Department, Polish Development Fund SA
- **Piotr Górnik**, President of the Management Board, Fortum Power and Heat Polska Sp. z o.o.
- **Adam Handerek**, Founder, Handerek Technologies
- **Edyta Konik-Urbaniak**, Board Member, PreZero
- **Andrzej Losor**, Board Member, Sales and Marketing Development Director, Góraźdze Cement SA
- **Marcin Witaszek**, Legal Advisor, Expert in the field of the environment and labor law, Polish Automotive Industry Association
- **Leszek Wiwala**, President, Polish Organisation of Oil Industry and Trade

Moderated by:

- **Aneta Kaczmarek**, Editor, PortalSamorzadowy.pl
- **Piotr Toborek**, Journalist, PortalSamorzadowy.pl

Part 3 Conclusions and recommendations (45')

National administration in the face of waste industry demands for regulatory comprehensiveness. Consistent and efficient regulation – how to achieve it? How do we reconcile the conflicting interests of different communities? The EU will not wait, i.e. unresolved problems in waste management vs. prospects for socio-economic development.

The following persons have been invited to participate in the session (alphabetical order):

- **Szymon Dziak-Czekan**, Chariman, Polish Recycling Association
- **Małgorzata Greszta**, Managing Partner, CSR CONSULTING
- **Edyta Konik-Urbaniak**, Board Member, PreZero
- **Gabriela Lenartowicz**, Member of the Polish Parliament
- **Joanna Leoniewska-Gogola**, Deputy Director, Deloitte CE
- **Krzysztof Pikoń**, Head, Department of Waste Management Technologies and Equipment, Faculty of Environmental Engineering and Energy, Silesian University of Technology
- **Konrad Raczkowski**, Director, UKSW World Economy Center, member of the National Development Council at the President of the Republic of Poland in 2015-2020
- **Jakub Tyczkowski**, President of the Management Board, Rekopol Organizacja Odzysku Opakowań SA
- **Leszek Wiciech**, Head of Anti-Corruption Programme, United Nations Global Compact Network Poland

Moderated by:

- **Aneta Kaczmarek**, Editor, PortalSamorzadowy.pl
- **Piotr Toborek**, Journalist, PortalSamorzadowy.pl

18 October 2022 | 16.00-17.00 | Ballroom B

Simultaneous interpretation (PL/EN) will be provided

Greenhouse gas emissions

Measurements, largest sources, climate impact and main directions for limiting greenhouse gas emissions. The European emissions trading scheme (EU ETS) as an instrument for achieving ambitious reduction goals. Resources shared within the framework of the ETS – economic, social, environmental effects. How to reform the system to allow the EU to achieve its decarbonisation goals? Other (global) emissions trading schemes; unfair competition and how to combat it. Emissions import fees (CBAM) – a good solution? Prospects for the development of national and local schemes – opportunities for international



cooperation and integration. The future of emissions trading schemes and their expansion into transport and construction. Emissions trading schemes in our fight against smog and energy poverty. Lessons from IPCC reports on climate change mitigation and adaptation.

Conversation 1:1

[video] The fight for the climate today has a double meaning

- **Jerzy Buzek**, Member of the European Parliament, President of the European Parliament in 2009-2012, Prime Minister in 1997-2001
- **Natalia Rasiewicz**, Editor, PortalSamorzadowy.pl, WNP.PL, PulsHR.pl

The following persons have been invited to participate in the session (alphabetical order):

- **Katarzyna Barańska**, Partner, Head of Decarbonisation, Osborne Clarke Olkiewicz Świerzewski i Wspólnicy SKA
- **Marcin Korolec**, President, Foundation for the Promotion of Electric Vehicles, Director, Green Economy Institute, Minister of the Environment 2011-2013, President of COP19
- **Magdalena Maj**, Head of the climate and energy team, Polish Economic Institute
- **Ryszard Pawlik**, Parliamentary Advisor to Jerzy Buzek, Member of the European Parliament
- **Marek Wesoly**, Member of Parliament of the Republic of Poland

Moderated by:

- **Joanna Kędzierska**, Journalist, Magazyn Gospodarczy Nowy Przemysł, WNP.PL

18 October 2022 | 16.00-17.00 | Ballroom C

Simultaneous interpretation (PL/EN) will be provided

Technologies for the climate

Developing “green” technologies – a response from science and industry: how modern technologies can support sustainable processes in the economy. Renewable energy sources – available and efficient? Resource-efficient production; implementing the ideas of circular economy in practice. Artificial intelligence and the Internet of Things to promote energy efficiency. A holistic approach: cooperation across disciplines in creating environmental solutions. Is technology enough to stop climate change? How to effectively pursue a pro-climate policy?

The following persons have been invited to participate in the session (alphabetical order):

- **Joanna Ferdyn-Grygierek**, Joanna Ferdyn-Grygierek, Director, Center for Climate and Environmental Protection, Faculty of Environmental and Energy Engineering, Silesian University of Technology
- **Krzysztof Kobyłka**, Senior Analyst, WiseEuropa
- **Wojciech Racięcki**, Director, Department for Development of Innovative Methods for Program Management, National Center for Research and Development
- **Marcin Terebelski**, Director for support for financial-product analyzes, Bank Gospodarstwa Krajowego

Moderated by:

- **Marcin Roszkowski**, President, Instytut Jagielloński

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Sustainable fashion

Repair, rewear, recycle – or circular fashion trends. Slow in place of fast – legislators and consumers are raising the bar for companies. Green technologies, alternative materials. Product, packaging and environmental responsibility. The panel will see the publishing of a comprehensive report titled „A Sustainable Fashion Market – a Guide to the EU’s strategy for sustainable fibre fabrics in a close circuit economy”. It is developed by the Round Table for Sustainable Fashion, in cooperation between the United Nations Global Compact Network Poland and the Sustainable Growth Institute of Łazarski University. The publication aims to inform brand producers of the incoming changes and guide to the transition those smaller fashion companies who have not started to implement sustainable solutions.

Presentation (10’)

- **Agnieszka Oleksyn-Wajda**, Director, Institute of Sustainable Development, Łazarski University, expert of IZRS
- **Zofia Piwowarek**, Head of Climate Positive Programme, United Nations Global Compact Network Poland

The following persons have been invited to participate in the session (alphabetical order):

- **Marta Karwacka**, Senior Manager, Sustainability Consulting CE, Deloitte
- **Zuzanna Krzątała**, Sustainability Project Manager, Vogue Poland
- **Kamil Mirowski**, Senior Public Affairs Manager Poland & CEE, Zalando
- **Magdalena Niewelt**, Lawyer, Member of the International Fashion Law Association (INFLAA), author of “Fashion Paragraphs”
- **Agnieszka Oleksyn-Wajda**, Director, Institute of Sustainable Development, Łazarski University, expert of IZRS
- **Zofia Piwowarek**, Head of Climate Positive Programme, United Nations Global Compact Network Poland
- **Roxy Travers**, Founder, Fashion for Future
- **Katarzyna Zajęczkowska**, Author of the podcast and book “Responsible Fashion”
- **Zosia Zochniak**, Initiator and Co-founder, UbraniaDoOddania.pl

Moderated by:

- **Aleksandra Nagel**, Editor-in-Chief, Well.co.uk



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18 October 2022 | 17.15-18.30 | conference room no. 24

Gala Meeting of the UNGC* Climate Council

The Climate Council at the UNGC was established in October 2021. It is a group of experts representing various scientific and academic centres in Poland and different disciplines of knowledge. The exchange of views by those who make up the Council improves and elevates the climate education process to the highest expert level. This is particularly important in the context of the global crises of recent years and the alarmingly increasing violent natural phenomena increasingly affecting living conditions, politics and the economy. Determination to develop an awareness of the causes and effects of these processes is becoming urgently needed. The Climate Council prepares recommendations in areas related to climate change. The Council meeting at PRECOP 27 in Katowice will focus on Poland's energy transition.

**entry by special invitation only*

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18 October 2022 | 19.00 | Ballroom CB

Banquet*

**entry with VIP/Premium badge*

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19 October 2022 | 08.15-9.30 | conference room no. 6

Gala breakfast of the Climate Positive Steering Committee*

UN Global Compact Network Poland business breakfast on the role and strategy of the United Nations Global Compact in the UN system and UN Global Compact Network Poland's climate action.

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19 October 2022 | 09.30-11.00 | Ballroom C

Simultaneous interpretation (PL/EN) will be provided

Business in the face of the green revolution

Climate targets and business operations. The importance of Climate Summits in the fight against climate change – as assessed by business. Can the paradigm of growth, profit, financial indicators be reconciled with the green revolution? Big companies in the vanguard of pro-environmental change. Ecology in business strategy – self-awareness, regulatory, partner and customer pressure or competitive advantage. Examples and methods of environmentally friendly transformations. Forecasts. Through the eyes of practitioners: climate challenges for business in light of the economic consequences of pandemics, the war in Ukraine and deglobalisation processes.

The following persons have been invited to participate in the session (alphabetical order):

- **Anna Gorączka**, Green Officer, Żabka Polska Sp. z o.o.
- **Izabela Karolczyk-Szafrańska**, VP & Chief Marketing Officer, InPost Group
- **Radosław Kaskiewicz**, Managing Director, 3M East Europe Region
- **Tomasz Konik**, President of the Management Board, Deloitte
- **Piotr Wachowiak**, Rector, Warsaw School of Economics
- **Zofia Piwowarek**, Head of Climate Positive Programme, United Nations Global Compact Network Poland

Moderated by:

- **Bogusław Chrabota**, Editor in Chief, Rzeczpospolita

19 October 2022 | 09.30-11.00 | Ballroom A

Simultaneous interpretation (PL/EN) will be provided

REPowerEU: climate, security, economy

REPowerEU as the EU's response to the challenges of transforming the European energy system: the need for the EU to become independent from Russian fossil fuels and the need to overcome the climate crisis. Overarching objectives versus available measures, tools, courses of action and their determinants. The role of energy efficiency, diversification of raw material and fuel supply sources and renewable energy development. How accelerating the green transition can affect economic growth, security and halting climate change. Europe in collaboration with partners.

The following persons have been invited to participate in the session (alphabetical order):

- **[online] Elina Bardram**, Elina Bardram, Director for Adaptation and Resilience, Communication and Relations with Civil Society, Directorate-General for Climate, European Commission
- **Janusz Gajowiecki**, President of the Management Board, Polish Wind Energy Association
- **Wiktoria Jędrożkowiak**, Climate activist
- **[online] Lidia Wojtał**, Project Lead, International Network INETTT, expert, Agora Energiewende

Moderated by:

- **Hanna Schudy**, Expert, Team Europe

19 October 2022 | 09.30-11.00 | Ballroom B

Simultaneous interpretation (PL/EN) will be provided

Green building

Sustainable construction as a global trend. Construction as a challenge: the potential for reducing its climate impact and complex decarbonisation processes. The transformation of industrial, infrastructure and office construction. Housing – modern trends, standards, pro-environmental awareness. The carbon footprint of buildings and infrastructure across their lifecycle – how to measure and reduce it. Low- and zero-emissions materials and building technologies. Passive buildings: certification and costs.



Circular economy principles in construction. Coexistence between buildings and nature. Retention, heritage protection, clean-up in modern architecture.

Presentation (10')

Healthy Homes Barometer Report

- **Jacek Siwiński**, President of the Management Board, VELUX Polska Sp. z o.o

The following persons have been invited to participate in the session (alphabetical order):

- **Emilia Dębowska**, Sustainability Director, Panattoni
- **Tomasz Konior**, Architect, Town planner, Founder, Owner, Konior Studio
- **Andrzej Losor**, Board Member, Sales and Marketing Development Director, Góraźdże Cement SA
- **Paulina Pawłowska**, Senior Associate, Baker McKenzie
- **Jacek Siwiński**, President of the Management Board, VELUX Polska Sp. z o.o
- **Sebastian Suchodolski**, Head of Leasing, Cavatina Holding

Moderated by:

- **Małgorzata Burzec-Lewandowska**, Editor-in-chief, PropertyDesign.pl, Deputy Editor-in-Chief, PropertyNews.pl
- **Robert Posytek**, Editor-in-chief, PropertyNews.pl, Deputy Editor-in-Chief, PropertyDesign.pl

19 October 2022 | 11.30-13.00 | conference room no.23

Simultaneous interpretation (PL/EN) will be provided

Climate education

A Climate Education Roundtable – state of dialogue on introducing climate education into Polish schools. The “Climate Education in Poland” report published by the UN GC Network Poland. The work of the Intergovernmental Panel on Climate Change (IPCC) and the achievements of Polish climate change science. What do Polish schools need? – the Youth Climate Council and politicians.

The following persons have been invited to participate in the session (alphabetical order):

- **Halina Brdulak**, Warsaw School of Economics, Chair of the Climate Council of the United Nations Global Compact Network Poland
- **Ewa Calus**, Plenipotentiary of the Mayor of Krakow for climate education
- **Monika Czop**, Department of Waste Management Technology and Equipment, Faculty of Environmental and Power Engineering, Silesian University of Technology
- **Mariusz Masłosz**, Youth Climate Strike
- **Tomasz Rożek**, Science Journalist, Founder, Science Foundation. That’s what I like
- **Piotr Wachowiak**, Rector, Warsaw School of Economics

Moderated by:

- **Natalia Rasiewicz**, Editor, PortalSamorzadowy.pl, WNP.PL, PulsHR.pl

19 October 2022 | 11.30-13.00 | Ballroom C

Simultaneous interpretation (PL/EN) will be provided

Onshore and offshore wind energy

Accelerating the decarbonisation of the economy and diversifying fuel and energy supplies as an impulse for the development of renewable sources, including the offshore and onshore wind sector. Prospects and potential of offshore wind energy in Europe and the world. Technologies, performance, efficiency. Opportunities and barriers: the offshore and onshore industry, network and servicing infrastructure, skills and know-how, legal environment. The prospect of onshore development in relation to the amendments to the 10H Act.

The following persons have been invited to participate in the session (alphabetical order):

- **Jarosław Bogacz**, Member of the Management Board, Polenergia Group, President of the Management Board, Polenergia Obrót
- **Patryk Demski**, Vice President of the Management Board for Strategy and Development, TAURON Polska Energia SA
- **Janusz Gajowiecki**, President of the Management Board, Polish Wind Energy Association
- **Sebastian Jablonski**, President of the Management Board, Respect Energy
- **Dariusz Kryczka**, Manager in the field of Energy and Sustainability Practice, Leader of EY EU Green Deal Center of Excellence, Energy & Climate expert in United Nations Global Compact
- **Tomasz Tomasiak**, Director, Energy Transformation Department, Polish Development Fund SA
- **Alexander Vandenberghe**, Sustainably Manager, WindEurope

Moderated by:

- **Marcin Piasecki**, Editor, Rzeczpospolita

19 October 2022 | 11.30-13.00 | Ballroom B

Simultaneous interpretation (PL/EN) will be provided

Cities for the Climate

Changes in urban governance, urban planning and municipal management subordinated to the goals of combating the climate crisis. Toward zero-emissions – selected city projects and programmes. Challenges, threats and directions for necessary action, the output of the 11th World Urban Forum in Katowice. Next WUF Summit 12 (Egypt, 2024): infrastructure, energy and the digital economy in urban and metropolitan development. Green transformation in urban centres and quality of life – public expectations and new priorities. Cities against smog, pollution and noise.

The following persons have been invited to participate in the session (alphabetical order):



- **Jacek Brzezinka**, Member of the Management Board, Metropolis GZM
- **Piotr Górnik**, President of the Management Board, Fortum Power and Heat Polska Sp. z o.o.
- **Maciej Gracz**, Member of the Board, Paradise Energy Sp. z o.o. (in the process of registration of the change with Pozbud Inwestycje Sp.z o.o.), Compreum Group
- **Roman Kaczmarczyk**, Mayor, Łądek Zdrój
- **Rafał Kandziora**, Councilor of the Silesian Voivodeship Parliament
- **Grzegorz Nowaczewski**, Founder, Chairman of the Board, Virtual Power Plant Sp. z o.o.
- **Mariusz Skiba**, Deputy Mayor of Katowice
- **Agata Wojda**, Second Deputy Mayor of Kielce
- **Hanna Zdanowska**, Mayor of Lodz

Moderated by:

- **Justyna Glusman**, Managing Director, Wave Renovation

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19 October 2022 | 11.30-13.00 | conference room no.25

Business leaders facing climate passivity – a meeting within the Chapter Zero Poland program for members of the supervisory and management boards*

Corporate governance structures, including supervisory boards and their members, but also those who sit on boards of directors, should put climate change mitigation on the list of their strategic business priorities. The necessary climate transformation of companies and sectors as a whole is a huge challenge requiring long-term and high-cost efforts. Often, unfortunately, actively addressing the topic of companies' climate transformation and sustainability is replaced by passivity and arguments that changes in one company are just a cost and have no real impact on the climate. A sense of responsibility among business leaders not only for the profit, but first and foremost for the sustainability of the company with a particular focus on climate and the environment, is a necessary change in business attitudes. Can we shape attitudes of personal responsibility, personal climate leadership by setting the tone in the highest structures of the company? How do we develop a regular dialogue between the various structures and leaders about the steps being taken regarding the company's climate goals? What information should supervisory board members get to make the climate topic their priority and to effectively build their influence on boards of directors regarding the companies' climate transformation strategy? How to hold business leaders accountable for climate action? How to educate shareholders and gain their understanding and support for companies' climate transformation and sustainability strategies? How important can the attitudes of specific business leaders be in dialogue with company stakeholders, including suppliers, employees and local communities on necessary climate action?

**Admission by a special invitation only*

The following persons have been invited to participate in the session (alphabetical order):

- **Dariusz Bliźniak**, Vice President of the Management Board, Respect Energy
- **Iva Georgijew**, Chairwoman of the Supervisory Board, Deloitte CE
- **Filip Gorczyca**, Member of the Supervisory Board, CCC SA, Member of the Council of Chapter Zero Poland
- **Lucyna Stańczak-Wuczyńska**, Chairwoman of the Supervisory Board, Bank BNP Paribas
- **[online] Silvia Stefini**, Non-Executive Director, Risk Management, Energy Transition, Climate Change, Chapter Zero Italy

Moderated by:

- **Marzena Strzelczak**, President of the Management Board, CEO, Responsible Business Forum

19 October 2022 | 13.45-15.00 | Ballroom C

Simultaneous interpretation (PL/EN) will be provided

Energy efficiency

Less is more – energy efficiency in the climate protection system. Poland compared to Europe. Energy intensity of the economy in the context of climate targets, revolutionary changes in supply chains and the repercussions of energy commodity price spikes. Investment in energy efficiency improvements – types, costs, effects. Implementation stories. Economic calculation and stimulation from the state or the European Union. Prospective technologies.

The following persons have been invited to participate in the session (alphabetical order):

- **Zbigniew Gieleciak**, President of the Management Board Regional Centre for Water and Wastewater Management in Tychy
- **Andrzej Kaźmierski**, Deputy Director, Department of Low Emission Economy, Ministry of Development and Technology
- **Anna Kornecka**, independent expert, Secretary of State at the Ministry of Development, Labour and Technology from 2020 to 2021, Institute Director, Clean Poland Programme Association
- **Leszek Remiorz**, Department of Power Engineering Machines and Devices, Faculty of Environmental and Power Engineering, Silesian University of Technology
- **Natalia Stradomska**, Head of Regulatory Affairs, Dalkia Polska
- **Bogdan Ślęk**, Director of Public & Government Affairs CEE, Signify Poland Sp. z o.o.
- **Mariola Zmudzińska**, Vice-President, National Energy Conservation Agency SA

Moderated by:

- **Jacek Krzemiński**, Editor, PortalSamorządowy.pl

19 October 2022 | 13.45-15.00 | Ballroom B

Simultaneous interpretation (PL/EN) will be provided

Sustainable transport

Transport as a source of greenhouse gas emissions. Technologies, organisation and regulations to decarbonise transport. Renewable energy and e-mobility, hydrogen, gas, hybrid systems – what are the alternatives to fossil fuels in transport? The



emissions trading scheme (EU ETS) in European transport. Modern infrastructure as a prerequisite for transport transformation. Optimising logistics, transport and supply organisation. Toward clean and effective transport – preconditions.

The following persons have been invited to participate in the session (alphabetical order):

- **Halina Brdulak**, Warsaw School of Economics, Chair of the Climate Council of the United Nations Global Compact Network Poland
- **Grzegorz Kwitek**, Member of the Boardu, Górnośląsko-Zagłębiowska Metropolia
- **Adrian Mirowski**, CEO, Snarto
- **Krzysztof Niemiec**, Vice-President of the Management Board, Track Tec SA
- **Robert Tomanek**, Rector of the University of Economics in Katowice from 2016 to 2020, Undersecretary of State at the Ministry of Labour and Technology from 2020 to 2021

Moderated by:

- **Adrian Ołdak**, Editor, WNP.PL

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Water resources and retention

Global water resource use and availability. Environmental, social and economic consequences of the structural water deficit. Water and infrastructure in the context of sustainable development, labour and quality of life. The resources we lose: natural or artificial retention, renaturation or hydro technology? Desalination, sewage treatment, circular water systems. An integrated approach to water challenges. Goal 6 of the 2030 Agenda – achievements and challenges.

The following persons have been invited to participate in the session (alphabetical order):

- **Tomasz Grochowski**, President of the Management Board, Retencja.pl portal
- **Klara Ramm**, expert, project manager, Chamber of Commerce Polish Waterworks
- **Blanka Romanowska**, Director, Department of Infrastructure and Environment, Metropolis GZM
- **Sebastian Szklarek**, Ecohydrologist, Founder, "World of Water" blog, member of the Climate Council of the United Nations Global Compact Network Poland
- **Wojciech Witowski**, President of the Management Board, Ścieki Polskie Sp z o.o.

Moderated by:

- **Kalina Olejniczak**, Editor, PortalSamorzadowy.pl, WNP.pl