EIB at the 2020 United Nations’ General Assembly / Climate Week

Wednesday 16 & Thursday 17 September

The Green recovery

- The EIB is co-organising a two-day virtual conference on the path to a Green recovery.
- With EIB President Werner Hoyer; EIB’s Chief Climate Change Expert, Nancy Saich and EIB’s Head of Capital Markets, Eila Keivi
- More information

Thursday 17 September

Embedding the Sustainability Agenda in Development Banking

- This session is part of Citi’s Sustainability, ESG and Alpha summit (14-17/9), which explores the future of sustainability and Environmental, Social and Governance investing.
- With EIB President Werner Hoyer
- 15:00 – 16:00, Central Eastern Time

Monday 21 September

Pathways to a more equitable urban recovery: public transport, land value capture and housing

- This webinar, hosted by the World Car Free Day Summit (21-22/9), focuses on ways to convert redundant road and parking space into affordable housing and public parks.
- With EIB’s Head of Urban Mobility, Neil Valentina
- 14:00 – 15:00, Central Eastern Time
- More information
Tuesday 22 September

Africa Innovates: How African Homegrown Solutions are Tackling COVID 19

- The overall objective is to offer a new narrative of promise and possibility. Africa’s youth can create solutions to the continent’s development challenges and accelerate attainment of both the sustainable development goals and the African Union Agenda 2063. Within that is the goal to raise awareness about the growing footprint of African innovation and the need for a new approach in development that targets homegrown solutions.
- With EIB Vice-President Ambroise Fayolle and EIB’s Director of Lending in Africa, Caribbean, Pacific, Asia and Latin America Maria Shaw-Barragan
- 15:00 – 16:00, Central Eastern Time
- [More information](#)

Just Transition: from Aspiration to Action

- This webinar focuses on tools and strategies that can be deployed in support of just transition planning and implementation. This event is part of a series of events by the Just Transition Initiative, a partnership project developed by the CSIS Energy Security & Climate Change Program and the Climate Investment Funds.
- With EIB’s Senior Economist Hubert Strauss
- 15:00 – 17:00, Central Eastern Time
- [More information](#)
Wednesday 23 September

City Climate Finance Gap Fund launch

- The EIB is holding an event to bring together high-level champions and partners of the Gap Fund for a discussion on the role of partnerships and targeted finance in driving forward climate-informed urbanisation, particularly in the context of pandemics like COVID-19.
- With EIB President Werner Hoyer
- 15:30 – 16:30, Central Eastern Time
- More information

Digital Cooperation: Action Today for Future Generations

- In conjunction with the 75th Anniversary of the United Nations, UNICEF and Generation Unlimited, the International Telecommunication Union, UNDP, and the Office of the Special Adviser to the Secretary-General, on Digital Cooperation, working together with other UN partners are convening a High-Level Digital Cooperation event, focused on concrete actions to safeguard the technological era for future generations.
- 16:00 – 20:00, Central Eastern Time
- More information

Financing SDGs in the light of Covid-19

- This roundtable, hosted by the World Humanitarian Forum (22-23/9), looks at new initiatives from leading financial institutions to help create financially feasible and sustainable programmes that will push the international community forward in its commitment to fulfill the SDGs in the light of COVID-19.
- With EIB Vice-President Ambroise Fayolle
- 18:15 – 19:05, Central Eastern Time
- More information

Nature for water

- This session explores the various dimensions of how nature-based solutions can build long-term water security and why this matters over the next 30 years to address and manage future shocks. This session is part of the Nature for Life Hub.
- With EIB’s Investment Officer Stephen Hart
- 19:00 – 20:30, Central Eastern Time
- More information