

Holcim memberships in CSR/SD-related organizations

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Memberships at Group level

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Centre for European Policy Studies (CEPS) Holcim is a member of the Centre for European Policy Studies, which is a Brussels-based think-tank. CEPS serves as a leading forum for debate on EU affairs, but its most distinguishing feature lies in its strong in-house research capacity, complemented by an extensive network of partner institutes throughout the world.	Holcim Ltd, Switzerland
EU-Corporate Leaders Group on Climate Change (EU-CLG) Holcim is a member of the EU-Corporate Leaders Group on Climate Change which is a cross-sector grouping of companies including some of the EU's largest companies. The EU CLG believes that the benefits of strong, early action on climate change outweigh the costs of not acting.	Holcim Ltd, Switzerland
European Cement Research Academy (ECRA) Holcim is a member of ECRA and its technical advisory board, supporting, among others, research on the options and potential of Carbon Capture Technology for the Cement Industry.	Holcim Ltd, Switzerland
European Partners for the Environment (EPE) Holcim is a member of the European Partners for the Environment. The EPE brings together a wide range of players applying the concept of "Leadership Through Partnership" to advance system change towards resource efficiency and sustainable development.	Holcim Ltd, Switzerland
Global Legislators Organisation for a Balanced Environment (GLOBE) GLOBE is a worldwide organization with the purpose to enhance international cooperation between parliamentarians on global environmental issues. GLOBE represents sitting legislators in more than 100 national parliaments and the European Parliament. Holcim is one of three companies participating in GLOBE EU and is active in GLOBE's Legislators Dialogue on Climate Change with 12 other companies and organizations.	Holcim Ltd, Switzerland
Global Reporting Initiative (GRI) As GRI is a universally recognized framework for sustainability reporting, Holcim has joined GRI as an Organizational Stakeholder and is a member of the GRI Stakeholder Council.	Holcim Ltd, Switzerland
International Emissions Trading Association (IETA) Holcim is a member of IETA, a non-profit business organization created in June 1999 to establish a functional international framework for trading in greenhouse gas emission reductions.	Holcim Ltd, Switzerland
Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development Emerging Markets Network (OECD EmNet) Holcim is part of the OECD Emerging Markets Network to discuss emerging markets issues.	Holcim Ltd, Switzerland
United Nations Global Compact (UNGC) and national partner organizations Holcim participates in the UNGC at a global level to express its commitment towards the UNGC's ten principles and to advance good business practice. In addition, eight Group companies have joined local Global Compact networks.	Holcim Ltd, Switzerland Juan Minetti, Argentina Cemento Polpaico, Chile Holcim Colombia Holcim Hungária, Hungary Holcim Apasco, Mexico Holcim Srbija, Serbia Holcim Lanka, Sri Lanka Holcim Vietnam
World Business Council for Sustainable Development (WBCSD) and local Business Councils for Sustainable Development (BCSD) Holcim is a member of the WBCSD and actively supports its commitment to achieve sustainable development through economic growth, ecological balance and social progress. Holcim is also a founding member of the WBCSD's Cement Sustainability Initiative. Ten Group companies are members of the regional BCSDs and partner organizations.	Holcim Brasil, Brazil Cemento Polpaico, Chile Holcim Colombia Holcim Hrvatska, Croatia Holcim Ecuador Holcim Hungária, Hungary Holcim Apasco, Mexico Holcim New Zealand Holcim España, Spain Siam City Cement, Thailand

Memberships at Group company level

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ASPEK Holcim Slovensko is a member of ASPEK, a non-governmental, voluntary, independent and non-profit association of Industrial Ecology in Slovakia. Its long-term goals are to create effective feedback on environmental legislation in order to have laws and regulations issued in accord with technical and economic possibilities, as well as to raise environmental awareness.	Holcim Slovensko, Slovakia
Business for Social Responsibility (BSR) Aggregate Industries in the USA is a member of BSR, a non-profit business association. BSR provides socially responsible business solutions to many of the world's leading corporations.	Aggregate Industries, USA
Business in the Community (BITC) Aggregate Industries in the UK is a member of BITC, a movement of over 700 of the UK's top companies committed to improving their positive impact on society.	Aggregate Industries, UK
The Canada Green Building Council (CaGBC) St. Lawrence Cement is a member of the Canada Green Building Council (CaGBC), which accelerates the design and construction of green buildings in Canada. It is a broad-based inclusive coalition of representatives from different segments of the design and building industry.	St. Lawrence Cement, Canada
Canada Land Reclamation Association (CLRA) St. Lawrence Cement is a member of the CLRA, a non-profit organization incorporated in Canada with corresponding members throughout North America and other countries. The main objectives of CLRA are to further knowledge and encourage investigation of problems and solutions in land reclamation, and to provide opportunities for those interested in and concerned with land reclamation to meet and exchange information, ideas and experience.	St. Lawrence Cement, Canada
Club de Excelencia en Sostenibilidad Holcim España is an active member of the Club de Excelencia, an association of large companies in Spain that are committed to supporting sustainable growth from an economic, environmental and social point of view.	Holcim España, Spain
Corporate Forum for Community Development (CFCD) PT Holcim Indonesia is a member of the Forum at both a national and regional level, aiming at sharing experiences and getting input from other companies with regard to community involvement.	PT Holcim Indonesia
Consortio Ecuatoriano para la Responsabilidad Social (CERES) Holcim Ecuador is a member of CERES, with the aim of promoting the concept and the practice of CSR in Ecuador.	Holcim Ecuador
The Environment Council Aggregate Industries in the UK is a member of the Environment Council, which works to put environment at the heart of people's choices, decisions and aspirations. Their goal is to transform conventional decision making to make environment as important as economics and politics.	Aggregate Industries, UK
EPA Green Power Partnership Holcim US is a member of the Green Power Partnership, a voluntary program that encourages organizations to buy green power as a way to reduce the environmental impacts associated with purchased electricity use. The Partnership currently has hundreds of Partner organizations voluntarily purchasing billions of kilowatt-hours of green power annually.	Holcim US, USA
Group of Institutes, Foundations and Enterprises (GIFE) Holcim Brasil is a member of GIFE, the first South American association of grantmakers, uniting privately held organizations that fund or operate social, cultural and environmental projects of public interest. GIFE significantly focuses on developing solutions to overcome Brazil's social inequalities, whereby its strategic objective resides in influencing public policy by means of partnerships and the sharing of ideas, actions and experiences with the State and other civil society organizations.	Holcim Brasil, Brazil
Instituto Ecuatoriano para la Responsabilidad Social (IRSE) Holcim Ecuador is a member of the IRSE network. IRSE aims to promote and implement CSR activities that support sustainable development in Ecuador through collaboration with companies.	Holcim Ecuador
KÖVET Holcim Hungária is a member of the Hungarian Association for Environmentally Aware Management (KÖVET), an association to promote environmentally aware business management towards enterprises. The main activity of KÖVET is to promote preventive environmental solutions, and ensure information exchange primarily in the business sector.	Holcim Hungária, Hungary
League of Corporate Foundations (LCF) Holcim Philippines is a member of the League of Corporate Foundations (LCF), a membership association of over 80 (and growing) operating and grant-making corporate foundations and corporations seeking to provide business solutions to social problems in the Philippines through CSR.	Holcim Philippines
Local chapters of the International Business Leaders Forum Holcim Hungária and Holcim Slovensko both participate in their respective local partner organizations of the Prince of Wales International Business Leaders Forum.	Holcim Hungária, Hungary Holcim Slovensko, Slovakia
Philiias Holcim Schweiz is a member of Philiias network, a Swiss organization that promotes CSR.	Holcim Schweiz, Switzerland

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<p>Philippine Business for Social Progress (PBSP) Holcim Philippines is a member of PBSP, a private and non-profit foundation dedicated to promoting business-sector commitment to social development. Organized in 1970 by 50 of the country's prominent business leaders, it has since grown to become the nation's largest business-led social development foundation.</p>	Holcim Philippines
<p>RedAmérica Holcim Group companies in Latin America are active participants of the organization that encourages the private sector to engage in development efforts.</p>	Juan Minetti, Argentina Holcim Brasil, Brazil Holcim Colombia Holcim Ecuador Holcim Venezuela
<p>Sodalitas Holcim Italia is a member of Sodalitas, the national organization of CSR Europe, which aims to exchange knowledge and best practices in the field of CSR/SD.</p>	Holcim Italia, Italy
<p>TERI (The Energy and Research Institute) ACC is a member of TERI, which was formally established in 1974 to tackle the immense and acute problems that mankind is likely to face in the future due to the gradual depletion of the earth's finite, largely non-renewable energy resources, and the pollution caused by their use.</p>	ACC, India
<p>Thailand Environment Institute (TEI) Siam City Cement is a member of the Thailand Environment Institute (TEI), a non-profit, non-governmental organization focusing on environmental issues and the conservation of natural resources in national, regional and global levels.</p>	Siam City Cement, Thailand

*This list is by no means exhaustive. For more information on memberships, please consult the individual websites of the Holcim Group companies.