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- ECOPlatform General Assembly -Brussels 19 May
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- Green week 2016 Brussels 30 May - 3 June
- Construction Products Europe
 General Assembly Brussels 8 June
- EDA annual convention 2016 -Glasgow 9-11 June
- ICCS16 Concrete sustainability -Madrid 13-15 June
- Smart consumers and smart buildings - Brussels 15 June

TWEET OF THE MONTH



— CPA (@CPA_Tweets) April 22, 2016

PUBLICATION OF THE MONTH



Great to meet MEPs Andreas Schwab and Catherine Stihler and Ms Raffaelli, DG Growth Head of Unit, to discuss construction issues.

Strategy development for European construction industry

This month, we initiate our internal debate on the future of the construction industry. How will skills, digitalisation and innovation change the way we operate? Will the circular economy concept be a game changer? If so how and what is required in terms of investments? Do please get involved via Twitter #Construction2030 and help us draft our strategy for an improved built environment.

Joint position papers with FIEC

Construction Products Europe has developed in collaboration with FIEC two position papers on the implementation of the CPR. The documents cover standardisation and market surveillance under this regulation. In the coming weeks the report of the EC on the implementation of the CPR will be published and we hope our concerns will be included.

Read our position paper on standardisation...

Read our position paper on market surveillance...



European Demolition Association (EDA) survey 2016

Following the work done in 2015, EDA would like to create a reference methodology to analyse the industry trends of each country and the overall development of the industry in Europe. For this reason, a new edition of their report will be launched in 2016. In order to gather the information from contractors, EDA designed a two-phase survey. The survey is available in several languages to avoid mistakes and misinterpretations. The gathering of information will last until 20th May, and the report will be published by October 2016.

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European Construction Sector Observatory (ECSO)

The European Commission has launched a Europe wide initiative to analyse both demand and supply side capacities of the construction industry and challenges for the whole sector. Read more...

Consultation on services passport

On 3rd of May the European Commission published a public consultation on the proposal to introduce a services passport and address regulatory barriers in the construction and business services sectors, and possible action to address barriers in the insurance sector. Read more...

Five days of digital

FleishmanHillard organises from the 23 to the 27 of May five free events open to anyone working in EU affairs with an interest in digital and social stratedy. Read more...

Guide to boost cities' resilience

The C40 international network of megacities has launched Good Practice Guides that can be implemented worldwide to boost cities' resilience to a changing climate. Read more...

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