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**GLOBAL
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2026**

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What is the Digital with Purpose (DWP) Global Summit?

The **Digital with Purpose Global Summit** is the flagship gathering of the Digital with Purpose Movement, a global initiative led by the Global Enabling Sustainability Initiative (GeSI). The Summit brings together leaders from industry, government, international organisations, academia, and civil society to explore how **digital, data, and AI innovation can accelerate progress toward economic growth, climate goals, social resilience, and the UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs)**.

Held annually since 2022 in cities such as Lisbon, Brussels, and Taipei, the DWP Global Summit serves as a high-impact platform that:

- **Aligns policy, innovation, and investment** to drive responsible and purpose-driven digital transformation.
- **Showcases real-world use cases** where digital solutions—from AI and data centres to smart cities, digital public infrastructure, and circular economy technologies—deliver measurable societal and environmental impact.
- **Convenes global leaders** to address emerging challenges and opportunities at the intersection of technology, sustainability, and governance.
- **Strengthens collaboration** across sectors, fostering partnerships that scale digital solutions with positive outcomes.

The Summit features keynote interventions, strategic panel discussions, thematic deep-dives, and case studies that illustrate how organisations are advancing digital transformation with clear purpose, responsibility, and measurable impact.

What's coming in 2026?

In 2026, the Digital with Purpose Movement enters a new phase of global expansion with a DWP Road tour across three locations: **Bengaluru**, **Shenzhen**, and **Brussels**.

Each stop will convene local and international leaders to address regional challenges—such as urban resilience, digital infrastructure, AI governance, water scarcity, future-ready skills, etc. — through global collaboration and the most advanced, impactful digital and AI technologies. As the Movement continues to grow, DWP will deepen its role as a catalyst for aligning digital transformation with societal benefit, bringing global solutions to local priorities and fostering partnerships that accelerate measurable impact worldwide.

Join us — and be part of the change.



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2026 ROADSHOW

BENGALURU

3 FEBRUARY 2026

SHENZHEN

26-28 JUNE 2026

BRUSSELS

12-13 OCTOBER 2026

SPONSORING THE DWP GLOBAL SUMMIT 2026

Sponsoring the Global Summit positions your organization at the forefront of a purpose-driven movement that leverages technology to address today's most pressing global challenges—from climate change to inequality.

Key Benefits:

High-profile brand exposure

Access to global decision-makers and innovators

Showcase your commitment to digital sustainability

Contribute to real-world impact through collaboration

Who Attends:

Global leaders in politics, business, and finance

Sustainability and climate experts

City leaders, investors, NGOs, academics, and students

Be part of building a digital future that works for people and the planet.



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SPONSORSHIP TYPE	BENGALURU	SHENZHEN	BRUSSELS
PLATINUM	20.000 €	130.000 €	
GOLD	15.000 €	50.000 €	30.000 €
SILVER	10.000 €	15.000 €	15.000 €
BRONZE	7.500 €	-	10.000 €

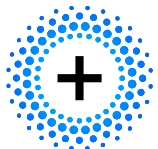
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Two
Summits

10%
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Sponsor
Three
Summits

20%
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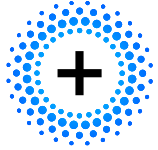


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Shenzhen Sponsorship Benefits (1/3)

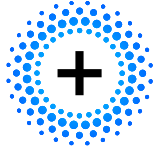
	PLATINUM	GOLD	SILVER
EXCLUSIVE			
Participation of a speaker at the event – Keynote or debate panel	3 Speakers	2 Speakers	1 Speaker
Designated Industry Break outs Sponsor	Yes	Yes	
Exclusive VIP Meeting Room	Yes	Yes	-
PARTICIPATION			
Invitation to a pre-event closed-door meeting with selected core participants	Yes	-	-
Reserved seats in the audience	30 Seats	20 Seats	10 Seats
Speakers & Guests Reception Dinner	8 Invitations	5 Invitations	3 Invitations
Invitations for Speakers exclusive lounge area	20 Invitations	10 Invitations	6 Invitations
Invitations for reserved VIP lunch	12 Lunches per Day	6 Lunches per Day	4 Lunches per Day
VISIBILITY			
Logo in all the Summit' communication material	Yes	Yes	Yes
Press Release with reference to sponsors	Yes	Yes	Yes



Shenzhen Sponsorship Benefits (2/3)

	PLATINUM	GOLD	SILVER
SOCIAL NETWORKS			
Post at LinkedIn, Instagram and X	Yes	Yes	Yes
WEBSITE			
Logo on the Summit website with Link to Sponsor Website	Yes	Yes	Yes
MOBILE APP			
Logo on the Mobile app linked to sponsor website	Yes	Yes	Yes
Banners	Yes	Yes	Yes
VIDEOS			
Video-loop with sponsors' logos in between sessions	Yes	Yes	Yes
Institutional sponsor videos between sessions	Yes	Yes	-

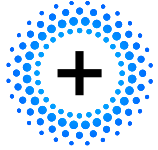




Shenzhen Sponsorship Benefits (3/3)

	PLATINUM	GOLD	SILVER
STANDS			
Exhibition space	Yes (Customized Pavilion Included)	Yes Only space is provided (Stand not included)	Yes Only space is provided (Stand not included)
DWP SUPPLY CHAIN AWARDS CEREMONY (26 JUNE)			
Reserved Dinner	6 Seats	5 Seats	3 Seats
Keynote at the Gala Dinner	Yes	-	-
Announces winners, presents awards, and receives special acknowledgements from the host	Yes	-	-
DWP GLOBAL AWARDS CEREMONY (27 JUNE)			
Reserved Dinner	6 Seats	5 Seats	3 Seats





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Shenzhen Sponsorship Benefits (3/3)

	PLATINUM	GOLD	SILVER
	POST-SUMMIT		
Logo in the newsletter post-congress	Yes	Yes	Yes
Access to the list of participants who have authorized to share contacts	Yes	Yes	-



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Additional Exclusive Sponsorships for Shenzhen

PANEL PARTICIPATION

Sponsor representative speaks on a theme-related panel; reserved dinner; 1 dinner seat at one of the dinners.

7.500€

DWP GLOBAL AWARDS CEREMONY AND DINNER - 27 JUNE

(Invitation Only Event)

Sponsorship of the reserved dinner for speakers and guests.

Includes:

- 10 invitations for the dinner
- Keynote during the ceremony
- Sponsor branding (provided by sponsor)

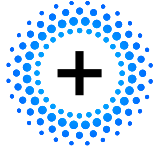
50.000€

STANDARD PAVILLION

Standard pavilion 3*3 sqm

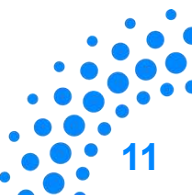
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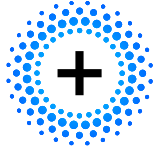




Brussels Sponsorship Benefits (1/3)

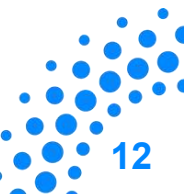
	PLATINUM	GOLD	SILVER	BRONZE
EXCLUSIVE				
Participation of a speaker at the event – Keynote or debate panel	2 Speakers	1 Speaker	1 Speaker	1 Speaker
Exclusive VIP Meeting Room	Yes	Yes	-	-
PARTICIPATION				
Reserved seats in the audience	30 Seats	20 Seats	10 Seats	5 Seats
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Logo in all the Summit' communication material	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Press Release with reference to sponsors	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

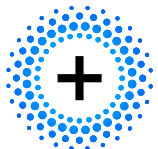




Brussels Sponsorship Benefits (2/3)

	PLATINUM	GOLD	SILVER	BRONZE
SOCIAL NETWORKS				
Post at LinkedIn, Instagram and X	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
WEBSITE				
Logo on the Summit website with Link to Sponsor Website	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
MOBILE APP				
Logo on the Mobile app linked to sponsor website	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Banners	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
VIDEOS				
Video-loop with sponsors' logos in between sessions	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Institutional sponsor videos between sessions	Yes	Yes	-	-





Brussels Sponsorship Benefits (3/3)

	PLATINUM	GOLD	SILVER	BRONZE
	STANDS			
	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Exhibition space	Only space is provided (Stand not included)	Only space is provided (Stand not included)	Only space is provided (Stand not included)	Only space is provided (Stand not included)
	POST-SUMMIT			
Logo in the newsletter post-congress	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
Access to the list of participants who have authorized to share contacts	Yes	Yes	-	-

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Additional Exclusive Sponsorships for Brussels

LANYARDS

Lanyards with the sponsor's logo were delivered to all participants. High visibility of the sponsor's brand throughout the day of the event. (Lanyards are provided by the sponsor)

5.000€



SPEAKERS & GUESTS RECEPTION DINNER

Sponsorship of the reserved dinner for speakers and guests.

Includes:

- 10 invitations for the dinner
- Reference to the sponsor on the invitation
- Welcome message to the guests at the cocktail venue
- Sponsor branding (provided by sponsor)

5.000€





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Past Events



LISBON

2023



+4.000
Attendees



LISBON

2024



+3.000
Attendees



TAIPEI

2025

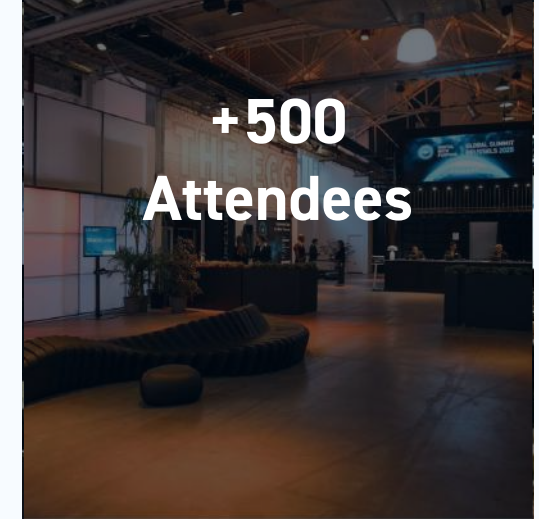


+900
Attendees



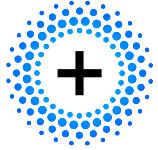
BRUSSELS

2025



+500
Attendees

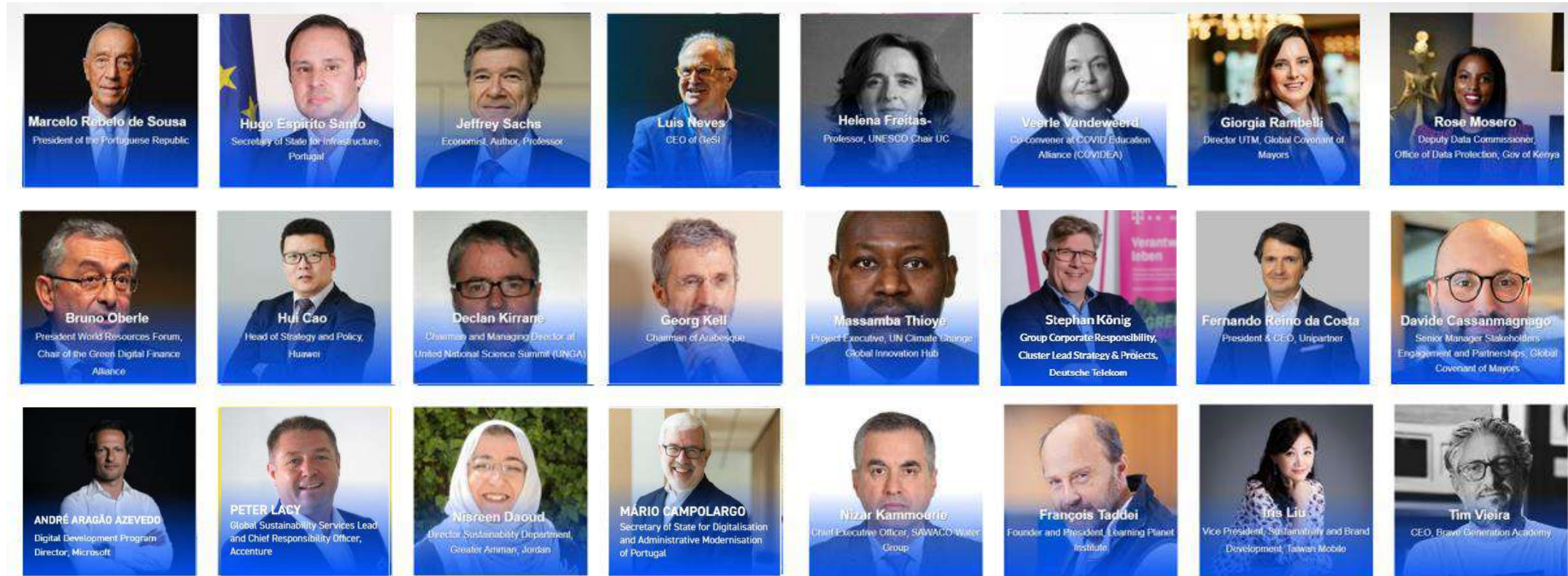


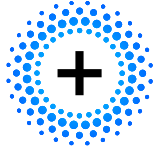


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Past Speakers





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Anita Erskine

CEO, Anita Erskine Media / Co-Executive
Director, Erskine Global Communications
| Social Impact Advocate



Sérgio Leandro

Scientific Coordinator,
SmartOcean Ponche



Glenn Gillis

CEO, Sea Monster Entertainment



Chris White

President, NEC Laboratories America



Michael Wachira

CEO, Virtual Essence



Pedro Pimenta

Coordinator
FOR-MAR



Mark Atherton

Director of Environment, Greater
Manchester Combined Authority



Doug Arent

Executive Director, Strategic Public
Private Partnerships, National
Renewable Energy Laboratory



Marco van de Ree

Founder and CEO,
Breaking Solidarity



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Founder & CEO,
WAKARU



Manan Shah

Research, IT and Communications
Advisor, FOGGS



Angelo Fienga

Director, Sustainable Solutions,
CISCO EMEAR



David Beatty

Professor, University of Toronto



Humberto Rosa

Director for Biodiversity, DG ENV,
European Commission



Helen Roy

Ecologist, UK Centre for Ecology &
Hydrology and University of Exeter



Henrique Pereira

Co-director, German Centre for
Integrative Biodiversity Research



Roland Jan Meijer

Secretary General, Globe EU



António Câmara

Professor, Nova School of Science and
Technology



David Roy

Professor, UK Centre for Ecology &
Hydrology



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Instituto Hidrográfico



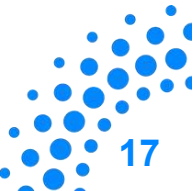
Jeferson Valadares

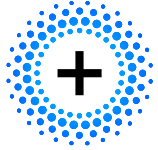
VP, Corporate Development,
Fortis Games



Mrinalini Rai

Founder & Executive Director,
Women4Biodiversity





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Past Speakers



PLATINUM

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GOLD

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SILVER

Taiwan Mobile

BRONZE

CISCO **CMAS** SYSTEMS CONSULTANTS **SAWACO** WATER DESALINATION **FORUM OCEANO** CLUSTER DA ECONOMIA DO MAR **Município** **25** **PORTUGAL BLUE DIGITAL HUB**

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**The Digital With
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committed to:**

ACCELERATING DIGITAL INNOVATION

Championing cutting-edge solutions that address the urgent challenges of our times.

CULTIVATING COLLABORATION

Uniting governments, businesses, NGOs, and citizens in a shared pursuit of digital solutions that benefit all of society.



The Summit is about discussing local priorities and challenges and fostering global partnerships that accelerate measurable impact worldwide.

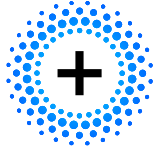
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Scaling Digital Public Infrastructure (DPI) Globally	AI Industrialisation and Global Competitiveness	AI Regulation & Digital Rights
Urbanisation Pressures & Smart City Innovation	Green Manufacturing & Low-Carbon Supply Chains	Green Digital Transformation Aligned with the Green Deal
Water Stress & Climate Resilience	Smart Cities at Scale	Digitalisation of Energy Systems
Green Data Centres and Renewable Energy Integration	Energy Transition & Grid Modernisation	Cybersecurity & Digital Sovereignty
Digital Health Access & Affordability	Water Scarcity and Industrial Water Efficiency	Circular Economy & Waste Reduction
Others	Others	Others





The Four Manifestos - A Pioneering Blueprint for Action

On the 29 of September, after closing the DWP Global Summit edition of 2023, we have released four groundbreaking manifestos on each of the event's main themes that have emerged from the conference, collectively representing the culmination of our shared vision and the actionable steps to realize it.

Manifesto 1: Biodiversity

This first manifesto, titled *Digital Ways for Biodiversity Conservation*, is a call to action that centers around the theme of Biodiversity. It emerges as a result of in-depth discussions, diverse perspectives, and collaboration during the conference. With an unwavering commitment to addressing biodiversity loss and harm, this manifesto aims to provide technology and science stakeholders with recommendations on how to accelerate the role of digital technologies in biodiversity knowledge and conservation.

Manifesto 2: Education

Digital as an Enabler to Improve the Education System is the second milestone in our journey towards actionable change. Focused on Education, this manifesto takes the lessons learned at the Global Summit and translates them into concrete steps to ensure that we evolve to a just, sustainable, human centric and equitable world by using new and emerging digital technologies. With input from experts, thought leaders, and Industry members, this manifesto is a powerful tool that will enable Parents, governments, and students to make tangible strides toward a more inclusive, resilient, and innovative future.

Manifesto 3: Smart and Sustainable Cities

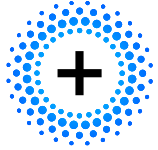
The third and final manifesto, Smart and Sustainable Cities, is the cornerstone of our vision for cities and communities. Its focus was to accelerate the identification and effective implementation of innovative technologies, policies, financial instruments, and business models, as well as cooperative approaches and products from culture and creative industries. This document provides a roadmap, built upon the insights and consensus of our conference participants, to chart the course towards a future that is more sustainable, equitable, and prosperous for all.

Manifesto 4: Gender Equality

A fourth Manifesto on Gender Equality has been added in the aftermath of the 2023 DWP Global Summit. This Manifesto falls under the United Nations established SDG 5, which aims to achieve gender equality by ending all forms of discrimination, violence and any harmful practices against women and girls. It also calls for the full participation of women and equal opportunities for leadership at all levels of decision-making.

Closing The Gender Gap As Part Of Corporate Sustainability Strategy is a document aiming to provide all the stakeholders with recommendations on how to address the Sustainable Development Goal #5 in their

[Know More About the Manifestos](#)



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The DWP Awards

The Digital with Purpose Global Award aims to highlight and celebrate digital solutions that address human needs, decrease poverty, increase inclusivity, and protect nature, as in line with the United Nations 2030 Sustainable Development Agenda (SDGs) and the Half-Earth concept.

Since 2023, Digital with Purpose awards solutions that contribute to a better world where 10 billion people can live and flourish.

2025 WINNERS

Pade Technology

CLIMATE AWARD



DWP GLOBAL AWARD

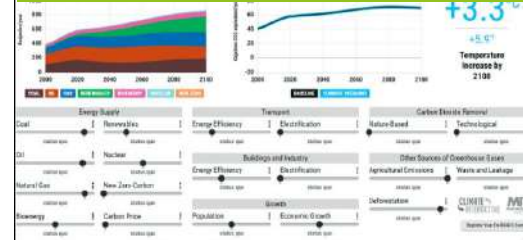
AI Ocean by Taiwan Mobile

BIODIVERSITY AWARD



En-ROADS Climate Solutions Simulator

EDUCATION AWARD



Huijia Health's nFOPT

HEALTH & WELLBEING AWARD



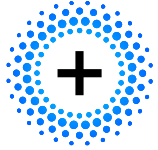
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SMART CITIES AWARD



[Know more about the winners from past editions here.](#)

[Submissions will open in January 2026](#)



The **High Level Advisory Council**, responsible for selecting the winner, comprises of 18 respected global leaders from diverse sectors to ensure broader representation.

LEADERSHIP



Luis Neves
CEO of GeSI

PRIVATE SECTOR



Aisling Carlson
Senior VP, Partnerships
Greenlawn Labs



Alice Khouri
Head of Legal, Helexia



André Aragão Azevedo
Former Digital Development Program
Director, Microsoft



Elizabeth de Nadal
ESG Director, Cuatrecasas

EDUCATION



François Taddei
Founder and President, The Learning
Planet Institute



Georgios Kostakos
Co-founder and Executive Director,
FOGGS



Veerle Vandeweerd
Co-convenor at COVID Education
Alliance (COVIDEA)



Yang Baocheng
President of the Huanghe Science and
Technology University (HHSTU)



Fernando Reino da Costa
President & CEO, Unipartner



Nizar Kammourie
Chief Executive Officer, SAWACO Water
Group



João Vieira de Almeida
Senior Partner, VdA

BIODIVERSITY AND CLIMATE



Bruno Oberle
Director General, International Union for
Conservation of Nature



Helena Freitas
Professor, UNESCO Chair UC



Kate Meyer
Founder and CEO
Planetary Accounting



Niraj Swami
Sr. Director, The Nature Conservancy

SMART CITIES



Giorgia Rambelli
Director, Mission Innovation Urban
Transitions

CIVIL SOCIETY



Erika Staël von Holstein
Co-Founder and Chief Executive of Re-
Imagine Europa (RIE)



Michael Kuhndt
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