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## CEC European Managers elects new leadership

On 24 and 25 May, CEC European Managers held its three-year Congress in Mainz, Germany. At this occasion, a new Executive Committee was elected: Ludger Ramme (President), Maxime Legrand (Secretary General), Ebba Öhlund (Deputy Secretary General) and Luigi Caprioglio (Treasurer).

As one of the six European cross-industry social partner organizations, CEC is fully implicated in the European social dialogue. The President commented: "Managers act as bridge-builders in the companies they work for; we think they have to play the same role at social dialogue level too. We make sure that their independent voice is heard and their views on societal challenges understood".

The Congress set the goals of the organization for the next three years. "In Europe nationalism and Euroscepticism are on the rise. Despite its countless advantages, Europe still sounds like an empty box for many. Like Jacques Delors used to say, it is difficult to fall in love with the single market. It is our duty to make everyone understand that Europe is much more than that. In this respect, defending and updating our social model is a priority for CEC", added the President. At the same time, CEC will continue focusing on issues that are important to its people: the acknowledgement of the societal role of managers, gender equality, digitalization and intergenerational shift only to name a few.

The Congress also hosted a seminar on Management in the Age of Artificial Intelligence. It focused on how the digital revolution is impacting companies and societies and what measures can be taken by managers and policy-makers. During the seminar, CEC presented the results of its latest European Managers' Panel. More than 1400 European executives, professionals and managers were questioned about how the digital revolution has impacted on their professional lives over the last 10 years. The results of the panel underline how important responsible and human leadership will be for a sustainable development of our societies.

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### About us

CEC European Managers represents around one million managers in Europe through its national and sectoral federations. At European level, we are one of the six EU cross-industry social partner organisations recognised by the European Commission. As the independent and autonomous voice of managers, we are making sure that the interests of managers as bridge builders between employers and the workforce are heard.

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