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ACR+ EPR Club

A platform for exchange and debate about Extended Producer Responsibility in Europe amongst key stakeholders and experts

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Type of membership	Fee (€)
Standard membership	500
NGO & Academics	150
ACR+ members	free

A powerful tool to strengthen the waste hierarchy and reach a Resource Efficient Europe

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Co-founded by ACR+ and:



The objectives

- To build a joint initiative to identify the good practices in the EPR field, to disseminate them widely or even reinforce the European legal bases.
- Allow dialogue on EU policy developments and strategies regarding EPR schemes.
- Clarify EPR concept towards policy-makers and the civil society.
- Promote EU harmonisation and Identify and highlight the factors that drive the implementation of EPR schemes.
- Increase the knowledge and commitment of the producers themselves and identify the impacts in the waste sector.
- Strengthen each level of the waste hierarchy and minimise the environmental impact of products across their entire lifecycle.

Combination of interactive web-based activities and networking events allowing the exchange of information and views.

WEB - BASED PLATFORM

- Virtual library
- Working space for information & positioning papers
- Thematic Working Groups

EVENTS

- Thematic Lunch Debates organised together with our Members, attracting a wide range of stakeholders
- International conferences, allowing in-depth discussions on EPR issues
- Webinars

Topics

- Competition under EPR schemes
- Common principles for EPR in Europe
- Waste shipments and free riders
- Role/Objectives of EPR vs other economic instruments
- Relations between public and private sectors, and the specific place of municipalities
- Performances benchmarking for specific EPR in Europe
- Municipal & non-municipal waste
- EPR for specific products or materials (packaging, plastics, WEEE, textiles, biowaste , healthcare)
- ... and more!

Membership benefits

- Free access and participation to EPR Club activities:
 - virtual library, online forum, news updates
 - events, conferences, webinars, working groups
- Host a webinar on a topic/theme selected by you
- Express and publish positions on thematic areas
- Visibility & exchange of experience in relation to EPR
- Participate in the debate towards common goals for EPR in Europe

What is an Extended Producer Responsibility (EPR)?

Extended Producer Responsibility is an environmental policy approach in which the producer's responsibility for reducing environmental impact and managing the product is extended across the whole life cycle of the product, from selection of materials and design to its end-of-life, and especially for their take-back, recycling and disposal.

