

## ONE PLANET SUMMIT - EURAZEO JOINS THE INITIATIVE TO BRING ABOUT A MORE SUSTAINABLE ECONOMY

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The One Planet Sovereign Wealth Funds (OPSWF) fourth annual summit took place on Monday October 4 at the Elysée Paris in the presence of President Emmanuel Macron and U.S. Special Presidential Envoy for Climate John Kerry. Eurazeo took advantage of this event to announce it was joining the initiative, which seeks to accelerate the smooth transition toward a more sustainable, low-carbon economy and align with the goals of the Paris Agreement.

By signing the “One Planet Private Equity Funds Statement on Climate-Related Financial Disclosures”<sup>\*</sup> Eurazeo, alongside several other Sovereign Wealth Funds (SWFs), asset managers, and private investment firms, reiterates its pledge to follow the recommendations issued by the Task Force For Climate Related Financial Disclosures (TCFD) when preparing its reports.

**Having endeavored to drive progress in ESG for many years now, the Group strongly believes the financial market has an important role to play in accelerating the transition toward a carbon-neutral economy so as to reach the goals of the Paris Agreement.**

This commitment reflects the action taken by Eurazeo for the climate through its ESG O+ strategy, which aims to make the Group **net carbon neutral by 2040**:

**In 2021, Eurazeo reiterated its ambition to support the transition toward a low-carbon economy by setting up new dedicated funds and teams:**

- **Eurazeo Sustainable Maritime Infrastructure:** this fund is designed to finance more environmentally friendly infrastructure and technology in the maritime industry.
- **Smart City II:** one of the largest funds in Europe, which among other things supports progress in energy, mobility, construction, logistics and industry 4.0.
- **Sustainable infrastructure:** A new team dedicated to investment in sustainable infrastructure.

**Virginie Morgon, CEO of Eurazeo, said,**

**“For over 15 years now, Eurazeo has been focusing its resources and energy on rising to the challenges of climate change and social inclusion. We understand the role and responsibility we have as an investor to facilitate the transition to a fairer, more inclusive society and a more environmentally sustainable economy to achieve truly meaningful growth.”**

\* **“One Planet Private Equity Funds Statement on Climate-Related Financial Disclosures”**  
signed by Eurazeo:

*In alignment with One Planet Sovereign Wealth Funds and One Planet Asset Managers, we collectively support the recommendations of the Task Force on Climate-Related Financial Disclosures (TCFD).*

*As the effects of climate change become more material and have an impact on short, medium and long-term risk assessment, private investment firms believe that they have critical role to play, alongside government, businesses and the investment community, to support the transition to a Paris-aligned economy. This includes increasing transparency through reliable, comparable and decision-useful climate-related financial information to help understand climate risks and opportunities effectively.*

*With this commitment, we will work towards addressing material climate change issues in our governance, business strategy and planning, risk management, and metrics and targets, thereby facilitating the alignment of investment practices with the One Planet Sovereign Wealth Fund Framework. We will also encourage investee companies to support the TCFD recommendations.*

*We will continue to engage with the One Planet Sovereign Wealth Funds and other financial, corporate, regulatory and government leaders to support the adoption of international standards for climate-related financial reporting and work towards integrating this data into our investment processes where appropriate within our investment mandates and the OPSWF Framework.*

## ABOUT EURAZEO

- Eurazeo is a leading global investment company, with a diversified portfolio of €25.6 billion in assets under management, including nearly €17.8 billion from third parties, invested in over 450 companies. With its considerable private equity, venture capital, real estate, and private debt, Eurazeo accompanies companies of all sizes, supporting their development through the commitment of its nearly 300 professionals and by offering deep sector expertise, a gateway to global markets, and a responsible and stable foothold for transformational growth. Its solid institutional and family shareholder base, robust financial structure free of structural debt, and flexible investment horizon enable Eurazeo to support its companies over the long term.
- Eurazeo has offices in Paris, New York, Sao Paulo, Seoul, Shanghai, Singapore, London, Luxembourg, Frankfurt, Berlin, Milan and Madrid.
- Eurazeo is listed on Euronext Paris.

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