



Workers cheering and having fun at the CDL EHS Sports Challenge.



Legendary Dr Jane Goodall sharing her six-decade conservation journey.

CDL recognised again for leading efforts to tackle climate change

Singapore
FOR the second year in a row, City Developments Limited (CDL) has been recognised by CDP – an international non-profit organisation – for its corporate climate action.

The company is one of more than 170 that made it to CDP's annual "A List", which hails the world's most pioneering companies that are leaders in environmental transparency and performance.

Non-profit CDP, formerly known as the Carbon Disclosure Project, ranked 2 per cent of more than 8,000 companies that submitted environmental data in the A List of its index.

The "A List" is released to coincide with this week's World Economic Forum annual meeting in Davos, which brings together leading figures from business, government and civil society.



The London-based CDP's work includes helping to drive companies' greenhouse gas emissions, safeguarding the environment and promoting sustainable development. "As a significant contributor to carbon emissions, the building sector is a key area for action," says Mr Kwek. Meanwhile, Reuters reported that

2019 concluded a decade of exceptional global heat and high-impact weather, according to the World Meteorological Organisation. Back home, Singaporeans were feeling the heat too. In a biennial climate change perception survey published in December, the National Climate Change Secretariat found that 90 per cent of Singaporeans were aware of climate change and its impacts, with a large majority willing to bear additional costs and inconvenience in order to play their part towards a low-carbon Singapore.

As a pioneering force in sustainability, CDL is no stranger to climate action. Our longstanding commitment to sustainability and ESG disclosure has been widely recognised by prominent international benchmarks. Amongst other accomplishments featured in this issue, we are ranked the world's top real estate company on the 2020 Global 100 Most Sustainable Corporations in the World, aside from being the top Singapore company and the longest-listed Singapore company on the index since 2010. We are also the only company in Southeast Asia and Hong Kong to score double 'A's by CDP for leadership in climate change and water security.

As the first real estate company in Singapore to have our carbon reduction targets assessed and validated by the Science Based Targets initiative (SBTi), we accelerated our carbon management. CDL wrapped up 2019 with several climate action milestones, including joining the pioneer batch of 87 companies worldwide to pledge support to UNGC's "Business Ambition for 1.5°C" campaign. In December, CDL was also the only Singapore company invited to speak at the 7th high-level meeting on "Caring for Climate", at the UN Climate Change Conference (COP 25) in Madrid.

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On the community front, this quarter we partnered the Jane Goodall Institute (Singapore) and NUS to host world-renowned primatologist and conservationist Dr Jane Goodall. In addition, CDL launched “Saving Glaciers Alliance” to raise awareness on conserving the world’s polar regions and glaciers, and featured motivational speaker and climate advocate Sir Robert Swan, the first person to walk to the North and South poles unaided. The safety, health and wellness of CDL’s employees and construction workers have always been a priority. In December 2019, we organised the EHS Sports Challenge for the workers at our development sites to foster camaraderie and promote a healthy lifestyle.




In the face of climate emergency, the only way to deliver long-term value for stakeholders is through responsible business practices. In the new year, CDL will continue to charge forward in transforming the built landscape for a sustainable future. Creating positive social and economic impact aligned with the SDGs will also remain a strategic focus in CDL’s business.











QUARTERLY UPDATE OF SUSTAINABILITY TARGETS AND PROGRESS







PERFORMANCE












CDL FUTURE VALUE 2030 GOALS, TARGETS AND PROGRESS

Progress Tracking

-  Meeting interim targets, maintain performance towards meeting 2030 targets
 Falling short of interim target for one year, review current practices
 Falling short of interim target for more than two years, review and revise targets (if necessary)

FUTURE VALUE 2030 GOALS	2030 TARGETS	INTERIM 2019 ANNUAL TARGETS	FY2019 PERFORMANCE
Goal 1: Building Sustainable Cities and Communities      	Achieve Green Mark certification for 90% of CDL owned and/or managed buildings ¹	≥ 85%	 85% achieved
	Maintain 100% tenant participation in CDL Green Lease Partnership Programme	Achieve 100%	 100% maintained
	Double its commitment to adopt innovations and technology of green buildings	Average of two innovations or new technology adoptions per year	 1. Implementation of CityNexus app for Republic Plaza tenants 2. Launch of Incubator For SDGs
	Double resources devoted to advocacy of sustainability practices, stakeholder engagement and capacity building	≥ 100 training programmes and events held in the SSA per year	 154 comprising 46 trainings and 108 events

Goal 2: Reducing Environmental Impact    	Achieve science-based target of reducing carbon emissions intensity by 59% from 2007 levels ²	36% reduction	 38% reduction
	Asset Management - Office and Industrial²: Reduce energy use intensity by 45% from 2007 levels Reduce water use intensity by 50% from 2007 levels ³ Reduce waste intensity by 16% from 2016 levels ³	Newly Set Interim Targets for 2020 Energy use intensity: 37% reduction Water use intensity: 46% reduction Waste intensity: 14% reduction	Review of 2030 and Interim Targets Required Past targets were set before the recent changes of the company's asset management portfolio and tenant mix in a few properties e.g. Republic Plaza. Performance in 2020 will be tracked and reported vs set targets subsequently.
	Asset Management - Retail²: Reduce energy use intensity by 18% from baseline year ⁴ Reduce water use intensity by 9% from baseline year ⁴ Reduce waste intensity by 12% from 2016 levels ⁵	Energy use intensity: 13% reduction Water use intensity: 8% reduction Waste intensity: 11% reduction	Performance of Retail, Office and Industrial properties were tracked and reported collectively, and the old targets were set before the opening of two key retail properties (City Square Mall and Quayside Isle). Retail malls consume more resources due to longer opening hours and higher footfall that generate more waste. It is prudent to split the targets and performance data of Retail from Office and Industrial properties with shorter operational hours.
	Corporate Office: Reduce energy use intensity by 31% from 2007 levels	Energy use intensity: 28% reduction	Corporate office data was reported as part of CDL's overall office building portfolio. For more prudent reporting, energy targets and performance data of corporate office will be tracked separately.
	Property Development: Achieve an energy use intensity of 95 kWh/m²	Energy use intensity ⁷ : ≤105 kWh/m²	 Energy use intensity: 109 kWh/m² In 2019, most projects were in the early stages of development which involved energy-intensive equipment e.g. cranes and excavators.

	Achieve a water use intensity of 0.60 m³/m²	Water use intensity ⁷ : ≤1.75 m³/m²	 Water use intensity: 0.76 m³/m²
	Achieve a waste intensity ⁶ of 30 kg/m²	Waste intensity ⁷ : ≤50 kg/m²	 Waste intensity: 33 kg/m²
	Ensure 100% of appointed suppliers are certified by recognised EHS standards	≥75% of suppliers appointed by Asset Management; 100% of main contractors and ≥75% of consultants appointed by Property Development	 85% of suppliers appointed by Asset Management; 100% of main contractors and 100% of consultants appointed by Property Development
	Reduce embodied carbon of building materials by 24% compared to their conventional equivalents	7% reduction for new projects awarded from 2018 onwards	Performance is on track to meet target. Data will be reported at end of 2021 ⁸ when projects obtain TOP.
Goal 3: Ensuring Fair, Safe and Inclusive Workplace  	Maintain zero corruption and fraud incidents across CDL's core operations	Zero	 Zero corruption and fraud incident
	Maintain zero fatality across CDL's operations and direct suppliers in Singapore	Zero	 One fatality ⁹
	Maintain zero occupational disease across CDL's operations and direct suppliers in Singapore	Zero	 Zero occupational disease
	Maintain a zero Accident Frequency Rate (AFR) ¹⁰ for its employees within CDL premises	≤ 1.6¹¹	 1.3 AFR One reportable incident ¹²
	Maintain an AFR of 1 or less for direct suppliers at CDL construction sites	≤ 1	 0.3 AFR Two reportable incidents ¹²
	Maintain an AFR of 1 or less for direct suppliers at CDL managed properties	≤ 1.9¹¹	 2.9 AFR Three reportable incidents ¹²

Notes:

¹ Calculated based on % of total GFA (aligned with BCA's calculation of green buildings) instead of the previously used % of total number of buildings.

² Intensity figures have been calculated based on per unit net lettable floor area instead of the previously used per unit leased floor area.

³ Water use and waste intensities include water use and waste disposed by CDL Corporate Office.

⁴ Determined by the year of completion or acquisition of the asset.

⁵ Intensity figures have been normalised to traffic footfall.

⁶ Waste intensity figures are for incinerated waste from our project sites.

⁷ Interim targets are set every five years to take the different phases of projects' lifecycle into consideration.

⁸ Based on the lifecycle of CDL's project developments, embodied carbon data for building materials is only available two or three years after a project has been awarded.

⁹ While the incident is still undergoing investigation at the time of publication by the regulatory authority, Ministry of Manpower (MOM), we have since further tightened our EHS Management System controls.

¹⁰ Accident Frequency Rate (AFR) refers to the number of workplace accidents per million manhours worked.

¹¹ Based on Industry Average for past three years found in the Workplace Safety and Health (WSH) National Statistics 2018. Report provided by WSH Institute and MOM. For more information, please visit www.mom.gov.sg.

¹² These reportable incidents happened mainly due to human negligence, not due to lapse of safety policy and procedures. Reportable incident refers to work-related accident, workplace accident, dangerous occurrence and occupational disease that require statutory reporting to MOM, as mandated by the Singapore WSH Act.

SUSTAINABILITY ACCOLADES AND ACHIEVEMENTS

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Top Real Estate Company in Global 100 Most Sustainable Corporations in the World



We are also the only Singapore company listed on Global 100 for 11 consecutive years

21 JANUARY 2020 - CDL emerged as the world's top real estate company in the 2020 Global 100 Most Sustainable Corporations in the World ranking. This also makes CDL the only Singapore company to be listed on the Global 100 for 11 consecutive years.

Conducted by Corporate Knights, a Toronto-based international media and investment research firm, the Global 100 ranking is recognised as the world's

preeminent sustainability equity index and gold standard in corporate sustainability analysis. Announced at the World Economic Forum in Davos, Switzerland, companies listed on the 2020 Global 100 ranking were selected after a rigorous assessment of 7,395 companies with more than US\$1 billion in revenues – each evaluated on a set of up to 21 ESG indicators relative to their industry peers using publicly available information. •



CLIMATE



WATER

CDL SCORES DOUBLE 'A'S FOR 2019 CDP CORPORATE LEADERSHIP IN CLIMATE ACTION AND WATER SECURITY

Only company in Southeast Asia and Hong Kong to achieve this double recognition

20 JANUARY 2020 and 6 FEBURARY 2020 - For its robust and multipronged climate and water strategies and disclosures, CDL is the only company in Southeast Asia and Hong Kong to be recognised on both the 2019 CDP A List for corporate climate action and 2019 CDP A List for water security. This is the second consecutive year CDL has received an A score for climate change

strategy, and the first year that the company has received an A score for water security based on its inaugural participation in the CDP disclosure for water security.

With buildings contributing to some 40% of energy-related carbon emissions globally, the built industry has a huge potential to reduce carbon emissions. For

Singapore, being projected to be one of the world's most water-stressed countries by 2040 by the Water Resources Institute in 2015, the urgency in tackling the country's water scarcity has long been a priority. In the face of the global climate emergency and resource depletion, CDL's longstanding climate and water management strategies stand to help future-proof its business for a new climate economy.

CDP is widely recognised as the gold standard of corporate environmental transparency, using a detailed and independent methodology to assess

organisations. It allocates a score of A to D- based on the comprehensiveness of disclosure, awareness and management of environmental risks and demonstration of best practices associated with environmental leadership, such as setting ambitious and meaningful targets. While more than 8,400 companies disclosed environmental data through CDP in 2019 for independent assessment against its scoring methodology, only 181 companies and 72 companies have made the A grade for their action on climate change and water security respectively. •

LISTED ON BLOOMBERG GENDER-EQUALITY INDEX 2020 FOR THIRD CONSECUTIVE YEAR

Only Singapore real estate company listed on the global index

21 JANUARY 2020 - CDL has once again been selected for the 2020 Bloomberg Gender-Equality Index (GEI), which distinguishes companies committed to transparency in gender reporting and advancing gender diversity in the workplace.

In a traditionally male-dominated industry, CDL is the only Singapore real estate company to be listed this year, and to be listed for three consecutive years since the inauguration of the global index in 2018. CDL is part of 325 companies selected for the 2020 GEI from nearly 6,000 companies across 84 countries and regions.

The GEI tracks the financial performance of public companies committed to supporting gender equality

through policy development, representation, and transparency.

The reference index measures gender equality across five pillars: female leadership and talent pipeline, equal pay and gender pay parity, inclusive culture, sexual harassment policies, and pro-women brand. •



CDL Group CEO Mr Sherman Kwek, who is a member of the Council for Board Diversity, with CDL's key female management representatives.

ACCOMPLISHMENTS

Best ESG Materiality Reporting for Three Consecutive Years

Effective ESG communications and reporting helps to enhance investor relations

4 DECEMBER 2019 - CDL took home the “Best ESG Materiality Reporting” award at the IR Magazine Forum & Awards – South East Asia 2019. The company received the accolade for ESG communications and reporting excellence for the third consecutive year. As CDL remains committed to pushing the bar in shaping cityscapes locally and globally, the company looks forward to building strong investor confidence and



trust through effective and transparent sustainability communication with all its stakeholders.

Organised by IR Magazine, the awards honour excellence in investor relations around the world, and recognise the very best in the IR field. •

CDL is One of the Best Companies to Work for in Asia

Recognising outstanding workplace culture and employee engagement

21 OCTOBER 2019 - Organised by HR Asia Magazine, one of the top publishers in the HR professionals industry, the HR Asia Award recognises companies that possess remarkable levels of employee



CDL Chief HR Officer Mr Steven Tan (centre front in black) representing CDL to receive HR Asia Magazine's "Best Companies to Work for in Asia 2019" award.

engagement and excellent workplace culture, from various industry groups in Asia. This prestigious award is based on an independent survey and benchmarked against industry best practices. •

DRIVING SUSTAINABILITY THROUGH PARTNERSHIPS AND THOUGHT LEADERSHIP

ADVOCACY

Doing Good with Jane Goodall

CDL worked with the Jane Goodall Institute (Singapore) (JGIS) to host world renowned conservationist and primatologist Dr Jane Goodall when she was in Singapore in November

26 and 28 NOVEMBER 2019 - During Dr Goodall's time in Singapore for the JGIS ConservAction Week, CDL hosted Dr Goodall at the Grand Copthorne Waterfront Hotel's serviced apartments. In addition, CDL was the key partner of the JGIS Fundraising Gala Dinner held at the hotel, as well as the 7th Asia Environment Lecture "Living in Harmony with Nature & Wildlife: A Dialogue with Dr Jane Goodall". The Asia Environment Lecture is a partnership between CDL and NUS since 2014.

The JGIS Fundraising Gala Dinner held on 26 November 2019 was a resounding success. CDL Group CEO Mr Sherman Kwek gave the opening remarks, while Dr Goodall delivered the keynote address. Some 300 guests, comprising many C-suites



Dr Jane Goodall (centre, in black) and Singapore Deputy Prime Minister and Finance Minister Mr Heng Swee Keat (on Dr Goodall's right) pictured together with the team from JGIS and guests from CDL and NUS, including Group CEO Mr Sherman Kwek (back row, in white).

of leading businesses and senior officials of public and international agencies, attended the gala dinner. Besides hearing Dr Goodall sharing passionately about the importance of living in harmony with nature, the evening also saw an engaging live auction of Dr Goodall's memorabilia to raise funds for JGIS programmes in Singapore.

At the 7th Asia Environment Lecture on 28 November 2019, Dr Goodall addressed a sold-out event of some 1,700 crowd at NUS's University Cultural Centre. While Dr Goodall's voice may be gentle, her passion and messages about nature and wildlife conservation were powerful.

At the two-hour lecture, Dr Goodall detailed her amazing life journey in protecting wildlife and nature, particularly chimpanzees, for the last six decades and promoting conservation to youths through the Jane Goodall's Roots & Shoots initiative. Deputy Prime Minister and Minister for Finance Mr Heng Swee Keat graced the lecture as the Guest-of-Honour and delivered the key opening remarks. •



Dr Goodall demonstrating to the audience a hooting cry she would make to chimpanzees, intended to convey "This is me; this is Jane."

Engaging Hong Leong and CDL Businesses on Climate Change and Sustainability

Themed “Climate Change & SDGs: Challenges and Opportunities for Businesses”, close to 70 directors, management and staff of CDL and parent company Hong Leong Group's companies attended an insightful sharing at the 6th Annual Sustainability Forum held at Distrii, Republic Plaza



An engaging panel of speakers moderated by Dr Lawrence Loh (far left), Director for Centre for Governance, Institutions and Organisations at NUS

15 NOVEMBER 2019 - The theme of the 6th Annual Sustainability Forum was timely. Businesses play an increasingly pivotal role in urgent action to halt climate change and deal with its impact – integral to successfully achieving the UN Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs).

The forum featured expert panellists from PwC, EY and KPMG, who gave a compelling case on the need for businesses to integrate sustainability into their strategy for long-term growth.

It was also the first time that speakers from within CDL and Hong Leong Group companies – Mr Jeffrey Toh, Senior Vice President of Corporate & Consumer Business at Hong Leong Finance, and Mr Paul Kitamura, Head of Asset Management of CDL Hospitality Trusts – shared their respective companies' recent journey on sustainability reporting.

CDL Chief Sustainability Officer Ms Esther An addressed the forum by presenting CDL's ESG journey and performance, and its strategical integration into the business.

CDL Group CEO Mr Sherman Kwek delivered the closing remarks and urged the Group to stand committed in adopting integrated sustainability strategies.

He gave a sobering reminder that rising seas could affect three times more people by 2050 than previously thought, threatening to wipe out coastal cities, including Ho Chi Minh City, Shanghai, Bangkok and Mumbai.

With climate impacts emerging as formidable challenges for our cities as well as the real estate and related industries, Mr Kwek urged for dedication in climate-proofing businesses.

He added that businesses needed to continuously innovate to mitigate and adapt to climate impacts and to turn risks into growth opportunities.

“Increasingly, companies that excel in ESG are being rewarded given rising preference from investors, financiers, media, NGOs, and consumers for these brands when they make investment, lending and purchasing decisions.”

- CDL Group CEO Mr Sherman Kwek

Expert speaker Ms Fang Eu-Lin, Partner and Sustainability and Climate Change Leader at PwC Singapore, shared about the importance of forward planning by applying scenario analysis in understanding the financial impact and opportunities of climate-related risks.

Mr Christopher Wong, Head of Assurance at EY, underscored the importance of materiality assessments in sustainability reporting, while Mr Ian Hong, Partner of Sustainability Services at KPMG, shared recommendations on how an organisation could strengthen its sustainable finance efforts through assurance.

Dr Lawrence Loh, Director for Centre for Governance, Institutions and Organisations at NUS Business School, moderated the panel discussion.

The session was lively and engaging, underlining the need for businesses to have a strong focus on ESG in risk management to stay relevant.

The forum was co-organised by CDL's Corporate Secretariat and Sustainability departments. The annual event aims to keep the Group's directors, management and employees abreast of the latest sustainability trends and best practices. •



In his closing remarks, CDL Group CEO Mr Sherman Kwek shared about a recent climate study that postulated climate change will put three times more people at risk of coastal flooding by 2050 than previously thought.

Sounding the Alarm on Climate Crisis

The icy regions of the Arctic and Antarctic may be worlds apart from sunny Singapore, but these regions share common concerns in climate change



CDL Group CEO Mr Sherman Kwek presenting the “Saving Glaciers Alliance” flag to Sir Robert Swan (centre, holding flag). They are pictured with environmental champions and diplomats, including: Ambassador of Finland H.E. Antti Tapani Vanska (right of Sir Swan), EU Ambassador H.E. Barbara Plinkert (left of Mr Kwek), Ambassador of Norway H.E. Anita Nergaard (far right).

10 AND 26 OCTOBER, 3 NOVEMBER 2019 – The Arctic and Antarctica are bellwethers of global climate change. Not only are these regions warming faster than the rest of the planet, the physical changes are causing a profound environmental effect. Singapore is especially vulnerable to rising sea levels, being a low-lying coastal nation.

The “Saving Glaciers Alliance” was initiated by CDL to highlight the importance of conserving the world’s polar regions and glaciers and calling upon local business communities and public to support climate action. The event featured motivational speaker and climate advocate Sir Robert Swan, the first person to walk to the North and South poles unaided. The launch attracted over 120 guests at the Singapore Sustainability Academy (SSA), including environmental champions and high-level representatives, such as ambassadors of Sweden, Finland, EU and Norway, and diplomats from the British High Commission and the Danish Embassy.

At the launch, Sir Swan shared his gruelling odysseys to the North and South poles, including how his already-light eyes were permanently bleached into a frosty sky blue caused by

prolonged exposure to UV light, and his near-death encounter due to unseasonal glacier melting in the Arctic.

Having experienced first-hand the effects of climate change, Sir Swan made it his life mission to champion environmental preservation and sustainability. This included setting up the 2041 Foundation to catalyse “effective solutions within lifestyle, business, and education to encourage autonomy in our carbon neutral future.”

Despite a hip replacement surgery in August 2018, Sir Swan returned to Antarctica to complete a journey of 300 miles on skis to the South Pole. CDL is proud to be one of the sponsors of Sir Swan’s endeavour.

[Afternote: At around 370km into the journey to the South Pole in December 2019, Sir Swan had an aggressive fall on ice and dislocated his hip again. He has since undergone surgery and is recovering.]



Mr Barney Swan engaging his “little” audience at My Tree House, as he described his 600-mile expedition to the South Pole powered solely by renewable energy.

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On a separate occasion, CDL invited Mr Barney Swan - son of Sir Robert Swan - to speak at My Tree House, the world's first green library for kids, on 3 November 2019 to a full-house crowd of close to 70 people. The 25-year-old climate activist shared his experience of being the youngest in the world to complete a 600-mile treacherous skiing expedition across Antarctica, powered solely by clean energy.

Like his father, the younger Swan also made promoting climate awareness his life mission, including bringing expedition teams to the Arctic, where the ravages of climate change are most evident, and most destructive.

ENGAGING YOUTHS

As the youths of today can shape the world of tomorrow, CDL also organised a Youth4Climate (Y4C) networking session in partnership with Eco-Business's Changing Course 2019 exhibition on 26 October 2019, and as a side-event to "Saving Glaciers Alliance".

Held on an early Saturday morning, over 40 youths - close to full-seating capacity - attended the Y4C networking session at the ArtScience Museum.

CDL E-Generation Challenge 2017 and 2019 winners Ms Jessica Cheam and Mr Ang Qing Sheng were at the event to share their experiences with the Arctic and Antarctica.

They also presented their winning works and conducted a lively Q&A interaction with the audience, engaging everyone with their insights of the world.

Following these successful events, CDL will continue to promote climate awareness of the Arctic and Antarctica, under the ambit of the "Saving Glaciers Alliance" initiative. •



The inaugural run of the Youth4Climate networking series saw a successful turnout of youths who had an engaging session with CDL E-Generation Challenge 2017 and 2019 winners Ms Jessica Cheam and Mr Ang Qing Sheng.

ADVOCACY

High-level Meeting on Caring for Climate at COP25

Sharing CDL's two-decade journey in ESG integration to a global audience

11 DECEMBER 2019 – CDL was the only Singapore company to be invited to speak at the 7th high-level meeting on Caring for Climate, at the UN Climate Change Conference (COP 25) in Madrid.

Amongst others, UN Secretary-General António Guterres delivered an address at the meeting.

Caring for Climate aims to mobilise business leaders to implement and recommend solutions and policies to beat climate change. It was launched in 2007 and is convened by the UN Global Compact, the secretariat of the UN Framework Convention on Climate Change (UNFCCC), and the UN Environment Programme. •



CDL Chief Sustainability Officer Ms Esther An profiled CDL's sustainability efforts and pledge to support UN Global Compact's "Business for 1.5°C" campaign.

Second Xiong'An International Health Forum

A global meeting on health and the environment



(From left to right) NUS Business School and Programme Management Chair, Associate Professor Ms Audrey Chia; NUS Saw Swee Hock School of Public Health Dr Lim Yee Wei; CDL Chief Sustainability Officer Ms Esther An; and NUS Provost's Chair Professor of Architecture and Building, and Dean, School of Design and Environment, Dr Lam Khee Poh.

18 OCTOBER 2019 – The second Xiong'An International Health Forum is an extensive partnership led by World Health Foundation headquartered in Shenzhen, involving UN agencies, organisations from the public, private and people sectors. This high-profile event was attended by health experts and academics from different countries, and CDL Chief Sustainability Officer Ms Esther An was invited to speak on the panel named "Well and Green: Environment and Human Health".

Together with the academics from NUS, the panel examined how both natural and built environments can support human health and well-being, and how the environmental effects of such efforts can be reduced.

Ms An shared how CDL as a property developer can play a key role in driving green and healthy environments and promoting SDGs to a larger community. •

ENGAGEMENT

Raising EHS Awareness Through Sports and Fun

More than 300 construction workers from four builders at seven CDL development sites participated in the Environment Health and Safety (EHS) Sports Challenge, organised by CDL to foster camaraderie and promote workplace health and safety awareness

1 DECEMBER 2019 – Comprising teams from builders Kajima Overseas Asia, Ssangyong Engineering and Construction, Unison Construction and Woh Hup, over 300 construction workers displayed tenacity and sportsmanship as they competed in a series of fun telematches, which included a tug-of-war, a human wagon race, a ‘hamster wheel’ race, a sack race and a relay run.

Member of Parliament for Nee Soon GRC Er Dr Lee Bee Wah was the Guest-of-Honour, who flagged off the relay race and presented the prizes to the winning teams.

Additionally, the workers participated in basic health screenings, fringe activities, and games set up by the Workplace Safety and Health Council, National Environment Agency and Singapore Police Force. They also learned about health and safety issues like workplace safety, SGSecure and dengue control.



Workers from Kajima Overseas Asia cheering on their teammates from the stands of Yishun Stadium.

Over the years, CDL has driven EHS excellence at its worksites and across its supply chain. Apart from worker-centric engagement initiatives like the CDL EHS Sports Challenge, CDL works closely with its builders and consultants to ensure that operations are carried out in line with its EHS policies and standards that put sustainable design and construction methodology, resource conservation, and workplace safety and health as priorities.

Since 2001, the CDL 5-Star EHS Assessment System – an independent audit tool to assess, measure, and improve the main builders’ EHS management and performance, was put in place to ensure a comprehensive, audited, and appraised EHS approach. Results are then presented to the management and site supervisors of the builders and project consultants during the half-yearly CDL 5-Star EHS Seminars. These seminars are a valuable platform to promote sharing of best practices and peer learning to encourage better EHS performance amongst the builders. •



Workers learned about workplace safety, SGSecure, and dengue prevention at various games and booths.

Singapore Sustainability Academy: Dynamic Sustainability Hub for Thought Leadership, Capacity Building and Advocacy



Conceptualised and developed by CDL, the Singapore Sustainability Academy (SSA) is the first ground-up initiative and zero-energy facility in Singapore dedicated to advocacy and capacity building for climate action and collectively achieving the SDGs. An extensive partnership involving six government agencies and 15 industry and non-governmental organisation partners, SSA has become a hallmark of CDL's community engagement, and is recognised as Singapore's leading knowledge and networking hub for sustainable development. •

SSA OUTCOMES AT A GLANCE (JUNE 2017 – DECEMBER 2019)

370+

events and trainings
conducted
(approximately three per
week)

14,500+
attendees

SSA HIGHLIGHTS

Visit www.cdl.sustainability.com for details.



Inaugural Malaysia-Singapore Young Leaders Programme

19 Oct 2019

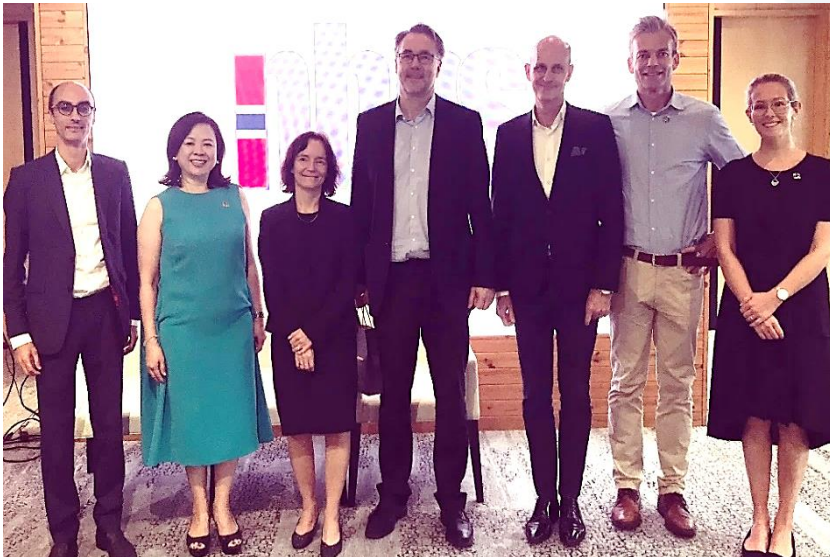
NELIS's Next Leaders' Asia Summit 2019 – Unleashing Young Leaders' Potential for Sustainability

19 Oct 2019



SSA HIGHLIGHTS

Visit www.cdsustainability.com for details.



Seminar by Norwegian Business Association (Singapore) – Creating a More Sustainable Future Through Corporate Responsibility Initiatives

22 Nov 2019

Women4Green Network Impact Series #7 – Zero Waste Santa

3 Dec 2019



Secondsguru Zero Waste Bootcamp #4

7 Dec 2019

SPEAKING ENGAGEMENTS IN Q4 2019

2 Sep | Asia Sustainability Reporting Summit – Pre-Summit Integrated Reporting Training Course

4 Sep | Asia Sustainability Reporting Summit

4 -5 Sep | International Built Environment Week

12 Sep | CAFE037 organised by ASEAN Federation of Engineering Organisation

13 Sep | ASEAN Youth Forum

1 Oct | CIMB – The Cooler Earth Sustainability Summit

2 Oct | Asia Infrastructure Forum

2 Oct | Global Corporate Ladies Event

7 Oct | GCNS Dialogue on Sustainable Finance

8 Oct | ENEL-GRI Collaboration Online Forum

10 Oct | Oxford Model UN Singapore – Leadership Forum

25 Oct | SMU City Dialogue

26 Oct | CDL Youth4Climate Networking Series in partnership with Changing Course Exhibition

1 Nov | ITE Eco-Conference

3 Nov | Green is the New Black – Conscious Festival

5 Nov | SGBC Leadership Conversations

7 Nov | TBLI Conference

8 Nov | Human Resource Forum – Employee Engagement & Experience

11 Nov | Singapore Fintech Festival

13 Nov | UNEP SEA of Solutions

14 Nov | Zak World of Facades

18 Nov | Responsible Business Forum

4 Dec | UNGC Academy Session

11 Dec | High-level Meeting on Caring for Climate, UN Climate Change Conference (COP 25)

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