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What is new in the project?

Publication of the CirCLER report on the skills needs of the circular economy transition manager

This report presents the results of a multidisciplinary identification and validation process involving more than 160 European experts.

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A privileged stage for the first international presentation of the CirCLER project

Julio Rodrigo, Project Manager of the project and Innovation and Sustainability Manager for AMBIT, summarised the project's aims, objectives and expected results, within the framework of the Final Conference in Lyon of the [ALLVIEW project](#), the first and main COVE project for excellence in vocational training in the furniture sector.

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Publication of the CirCLER report on the European Skills, Competencies and Occupations (ESCO) furniture sector occupations affected by sector circular economy transition

This report presents the findings of deliverable 3.2 of the CirCLER project which examined the European Skills, Competencies and Occupations (ESCO) furniture sector occupations affected by the Circular Economy (CE) transition within the sector. The need stems from the EU furniture sector's response to the Circular Economy and an emerging occupation profile of a Circular Economy Transition Manager (CETM).

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Evolving Priorities for the Furniture Sector: Insights from the 2023 ESPR Preliminary Study and Relevance to the CirCLER Project

In 2023, the Joint Research Centre (JRC) published the Preliminary Study on New Product Priorities, assessing sectors such as furniture under the Ecodesign for Sustainable Products Regulation (ESPR). This study highlights key ways in which the furniture industry can reduce environmental impact through sustainable design and lifecycle management, positioning it as one of the most promising areas for implementing ecodesign principles.



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CirCLER 3rd Project Meeting advances Circular Economy Training for the Furniture Sector

Partners of the CirCLER project gathered in Brussels on November 12th and 13th, 2024, at EFIC's premises to advance their efforts in creating training resources tailored to the circular economy (CE) needs of the furniture sector. This Erasmus+ initiative aims to bridge the skills gap and support workers and businesses in adapting to sustainable practices.



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