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Let's build change!
The latest developments and activities
• Closing the loop - An EU action plan for the Circular Economy
  Communication COM(2015) 614

• New Skills Agenda for Europe
  Communication COM(2016) 381
  (Blueprint for Sectoral Cooperation on Skills)

• Clean Energy for All Europeans
  Communication COM(2016) 860
  (Accelerating clean energy in buildings)
• Competitiveness Council on 29 September 2016

• Apprenticeships for the construction industry of tomorrow

- part of the European Alliance for Apprenticeships
- 55 construction pledges
- monitoring of the implementation = getting insight on VET
- a workshop on VET in the construction sector on 27 September 2017

https://ec.europa.eu/growth/sectors/construction/apprenticeships_en
• European Construction Sector Observatory
  
  - launched in 2013
  - individual country profiles, fact sheets on individual national and/or regional policy measures and analytical reports
  - Analytical Report - Improving the human capital basis

Fitness Check for the Construction Sector

- Regulatory Fitness and Performance Programme
- 15 EU legislative texts in the policy fields of Internal Market, Energy Efficiency, Environment and Health & Safety

https://ec.europa.eu/growth/sectors/construction/fitness-check_en
• Blueprint for Sectoral Cooperation on Skills

- The construction sector is being considered as one of the more mature sectors, with high awareness of the importance of the importance of skills.
- Three focus areas suggested: energy efficiency; digitisation; circular economy, including bio-based and secondary recycled products.
- Support of DG GROW to stakeholders
Construction: Let's build changes!

Conference, 6 July 2017

Topics: Digitalisation - Innovation
Connections for sustainable growth
Modularity/Industrialisation - Markets
• Using construction to reshape our cities
• Presenting the trends and conditions in our cities as well as best practice solutions.

• **Resource efficiency**
• Making progress in delivering a common sustainability language for the built environment.

• **Innovation and Digitalisation**
• Providing insights into opportunities to increase productivity and efficiency.

• **Skills**
• Discussing new ways of looking at skills and competencies.
Thank you for your attention!

Questions?

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