



Sustainability

Prague Airport cuts carbon emissions in half

Last year, the Prague Airport cut its COD emissions by 59.45% from 2009 benchmark. This helped the airport maintain the Airport Carbon Accreditation Level 3, involving third parties, namely airlines, tenants, service providers, and others.

"Last year, for the first time, we adopted a long-term commitment to purchase green electricity in the proportion of 60%, with a gradual increase until 2030," explained Soňa Hykyšová, Prague Airport Environmental Protection and ESG Director. "We launched operations of the first photovoltaic power plant at the airport, located at Terminal 3. We purchased Dacia Spring electric cars and will continue purchasing electromobiles." more



Macro

Reducing carbon flight footprint

With a growing demand for their Green Fares fare Lufthansa started testing the Green Fares test on 12 long-haul flights in November. The Green Fare allows individual travelers to offset their carbon emissions through a combination of sustainable fuel and high quality climate conservation projects. **more**



Technology

Al as support staff

Microsoft's head of EU Policy <u>Jeremy</u> <u>Rollison</u> visited Prague to explain to business how AI is being implemented into the company's suite of office tools, and how that will provide each person in the organization with their very own assistant to improve the quality and quantity of their output.



PASSERINVEST GROUP

Passerinvest Group presented its ESG strategy

PricewaterhouseCoopers

PwC Česká republika has entered into a multi-year partnership agreement with the VŠ

Certicon

Creating innovative tech solutions

CTP

CTP leases so far over 400,000 sqm of logistics space in Czech Republic in 2023

CTPark Brno: Science Tehnology Park

Clifford Chance

Clifford Chance facilitates another transaction for Finep in Harfa project expansion

Weinhold Legal

Weinhold Legal assists in the acquisition of FONERGY

Mazars

Mazars and FORVIS to form unique new top-10 global network

Aures Holding

<u>Aures Holding provides battery</u> health certificates for the used cars

Clifford Chance

Clifford Chance advises Československá obchodní banka, a. s. on food and retail market acquisition executed by Oriens

Letiště Václava Havla Praha

Exotic Places, Popular European Cities, and Direct Flights to Go Skiing; This Winter from Prague to Over a Hundred Destinations

Panattoni Europe

Panattoni Park Pilsen West II in Nýřany is completed. The tenant of the new building is Panasonic

Renomia Group

The RENOMIA GROUP enters the Austrian market and has reached EUR 800 million in managed insurance premiums

Aviareps

Aviareps offers a new alternative for flights to the USA





AmCham Board of Directors

Luca joins Vodafone and continues to drive ICT agenda

<u>Violeta Luca</u> will become Vodafone CEO in January. The AmCham Board of Directors voted that she would continue her role on the Board supervising our digital and ICT activities.

"Over the last three years I have seen what potential the Czech Republic has and I like the people here," Violeta says. "In my new role, I have a great opportunity to further contribute to the development of the Czech economy and society as a whole. I want to provide the best customer service and, together with our partners, achieve sustainable growth,"

Violeta has managed transformation projects in retail, banking, e-commerce, healthcare and telecommunications and has over 20 years of experience in leadership positions.



Hays Czech Republic

Pietrasik takes over at Hays

Hays Czech Republic has announced the appointment of Agnieszka Pietrasik as its new Managing Director, effective from December 2023.

"Hays in the Czech Republic has a longstanding reputation and I look forward to working not only with the new team but also with our local partners. The Czech and Polish labour markets have nuanced differences but face similar challenges overall. I am very pleased to have opportunity to enhance our offices in Prague and Brno, expanding our individual recruitment specialisms and continuing to develop services that address the unique challenges of our customers." more



Mazars
New duo to lead outsourcing

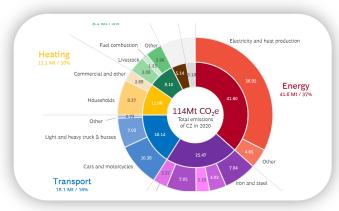
Mazars has appointed two new leading partners to its Outsourcing Department. Jana Boštíková (pictured on the right) has been in the management of the company since 2017 and is responsible for Payroll Outsourcing, HR and ESG services. Vendula Pešková (pictured on the left) has been newly appointed to lead the Accounting Outsourcing services section. Vendula Pešková replaces the current outsourcing leading partner Nicolas Candy, who will continue at Mazars with a new role which will be announced shortly. more

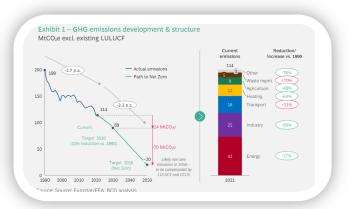


Eversheds Sutherland
Eversheds announces three
Promotions in their practice

Barbora Bugova (above), Jan Cermak and Monika Vodickova were promoted this year. Bugova specializes in M&A, contract and employment law. Cermak concentrates on insolvency and corporate law. Vodickova focuses on commercial law and litigation. More.







BCG

The Czech path to net zero

The transition towards a greener economy with a Net Zero greenhouse gas emission ambition by 2050 is accelerating across Europe. It is generally agreed to be necessary for stopping climate change and increasing quality of life in the long run. As a result, new policies and regulation are being enacted on the EU level, and countries are preparing their transformational pathways. Motivation to do so is not purely environmental, but also to create a spark and boost economic performance. This presents a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity with a potential to redraw the economic map of Europe. more

Deloitte

2024 investment management outlook

Bnt attorneys-at-law

Czechia: Key concepts in the new Building Act with relevance for the permitting process

EY

Amendment to the Investment Incentives Act approved

KPMG Česká republika

New developments in investment incentive legislation

Gen Digital

Gen Reveals Cybersecurity Predictions for 2024

Weinhold Legal

Amendment to the Act on Capital Markets

Eversheds Sutherland

ATTENTION! Whistleblowing | Employers with 50-249 employees must implement a whistleblowing system by 15 December 2023

Deutsche Lufthansa AG

<u>Technology cooperation for aviation fuels of the future</u>

Clifford Chance

The corporate sustainability reporting directive became part of the government's budget consolidation package

BCG

<u>Crisis on Pause, Europe Still Needs a Green Industry Transformation</u>

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Consolidation package 2023 from the perspective of labour law

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Employer has burden of proof in waiver of compensation case



