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# Corporate Social Responsibility *Activities Update*

# Chambers Ireland CSR Awards

- Held in September 2015
- Have run for the past 12 years
- More than half of this years applicants were new applicants





## Activities in 2015

- Hosted two regional workshops in Shannon Chamber of Commerce and Wexford Chamber for SMEs
- Launched a Guide for SMEs “CSR and SMEs- Picking a Charity Partner” with The Wheel and Dóchas





## Activities in 2015

- Partnered a workshop with DFAT to discuss the proposed Business and Human Rights National Action Plan





# International Chamber of Commerce

- International Partner ([www.iccwbo.org](http://www.iccwbo.org))
- Member of Commission on Corporate Responsibility and Anti-Corruption
- Pioneer in helping companies develop their own approach to fight corruption etc (guides made available on the [www.chambers.ie](http://www.chambers.ie) website)
  - Anti Corruption Clause
  - Guide to Responsible Sourcing
  - Rules of Combating Corruption





# Sustainable Development Goals

- ICC played a significant role, as the voice of business, in driving this agenda and will continue to work with the United Nations
- Many of the SDGs are linked to our policy priorities here in Chambers Ireland

