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## Eurobois 2024: a record-breaking edition! The show confirms its leadership.



*Credit @alexandremoulard*

**With 29,363 professionals meeting over four days at Eurexpo Lyon, the latest edition of Eurobois set a new attendance record.**

**This year, 523 exhibitors and brands were represented, a third of them from abroad.**

**These exceptional figures confirm the position of Eurobois as the show that represents the whole industry, from primary to secondary processing and interior design.**

**These were intense days of meetings and friendly exchange. Eurobois was the setting for many highlights and events, giving industry professionals a demonstration of the sector's dynamism and ambition.**

### **The 2024 edition in figures**

- 29,363 professionals
- 523 exhibitors and brands
- 31% international exhibitors
- 60+ speakers

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### Visitors' top 5 activities

- Interior design, decoration: +77.83% compared with 2022
- Joinery: +31.62% compared with 2022
- Timber frame: +114.18% compared with 2022
- Sawing, sharpening, drying: +41.37% compared with 2022
- Other uses of wood (crafts): +141.54% compared with 2022

### Major growth in the following activities compared with the 2022 edition:

- Design offices: +112.44%
- Exterior design: +126.96%
- Architects: +139.39%

### Comprehensive representation, from primary processing to interior design

The 2024 edition of Eurobois stood out for its diverse and balanced coverage of the whole timber industry.

For primary and secondary processing, Eurobois retains its place as an exclusive venue in France for product demonstrations, enabling visitors to discover machinery in real-life operation and watch the production of Maison Ossature Bois timber-frame panels carried out live over the four days. An event coordinated by Mach Diffusion in collaboration with the companies exhibiting at the show. Other highlights of the 2024 edition included the final of the 15<sup>th</sup> European Young Carpenters Championship, with unlimited access to the entrants' competition area. The interior design sector consolidated its presence with a dedicated exhibition area, where visitors were able to discover the latest product releases and major developments in design with COHOME, a laboratory and life-sized demonstrator organised by the Equipementiers de l'Ameublement Français.

### Youth, training and jobs in the spotlight

With 2,100 students visiting over the four days, a jobs and training area offering more than 60 vacancies and record numbers engaging with training providers, Eurobois reflects the major importance of the sector in terms of attractiveness, training and jobs.

This latest show also hosted **the final of the 15<sup>th</sup> European Young Carpenters Championship, organised jointly with the Fédération Compagnonnique and the Compagnons du Devoir!**



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Over three days, 16 competitors under the age of 23 from across Europe spent 22 hours building sophisticated carpentry models.

Hosting this European championship raised awareness across the timber sector of the importance of communicating and supporting the promotion of these careers, for which recruitment is difficult and qualified technicians are in short supply.

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**The winners announced at the awards ceremony on Friday 9 February:****Individual professional award:**

David Clemencin (France)

Paul Castagne (France)

Linus Brossa (Germany)

**Team professional award:**

1. France (team B)

2. France (team A)

3. Germany

**2024 Eurobois Awards: CSR, industry attractiveness and design in the spotlight!**

This competition sets the standard for the market, rewarding innovation, new ideas and technological progress. At the ceremony on Wednesday 7 February, six prizes were awarded by the professional jury, the Compagnons du Devoir trainers' jury and the student jury.

**First Eurobois Awards prize and Compagnons du Devoir trainers' prize:** DUREL MACHINES for the TPR 360 eco-brazer/de-brazer for carbide

**CSR PRIZE:** PFLEIDERER France for the OrganicBoard Pure P2 boards

**Furniture design prize:** HETTICH France for its FurnSpin hardware system and its innovative rotary movement

**Industry attractiveness prize:** SYSTELL ALPHACAM for the HxGN Machine Trainer

**Students' special award:** KNAPP GMBH for the Solid Connector



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## PISCINE GLOBAL

19 to 22 November 2024 – Eurexpo – Lyon



2 au 4 December 2025 – Eurexpo – Lyon

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### ABOUT THE ORGANISER

#### GL events Exhibitions Opérations

With 200 events organised worldwide for professionals and the general public, GL events Exhibitions Opérations has unequalled expertise in organising exhibitions and trade shows – a business that must stay abreast of increasingly specialised marketing, communication and organisational techniques while retaining close ties with market players. The Eurobois exhibition is organised by the **GreenTech+** division, which also manages seven other events: BePOSITIVE, Open Energies, Expobiogaz, Hyvolution, Paysalia, Piscine Global, Rocalia.

**GreenTech+** is a division of the GL events group, providing a unique shop window born from the synergies between exhibitions that touch on common themes of ecological innovation and sustainable development.

GL events created **GreenTech+** to play a full part in the world's major environmental issues, based on the only format of its kind, building bridges between the sectors of the future and maximising their visibility. GreenTech+ is an accelerator committed to accompanying the sector's stakeholders in their developments and in their search for the solutions of tomorrow, while instilling an ever-greater eco-awareness among our citizens.

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