CaixaBank named 'Best Bank for Sustaining Communities' by Global Finance

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CaixaBank has been recognised by US magazine Global Finance for its commitment to society and social inclusion. In the latest edition of the Sustainable Finance Awards, the bank received global recognition with the **'Best Bank for Sustaining Communities'** award for the second consecutive year, as well as the **'Best Bank for Social Bonds'** award.

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The winners were selected by Global Finance's editors from the submissions received and following independent research. The assessment considered institutions' governance policies and objectives in sustainable, social and environmental finance, as well as the progress made in these areas during 2024.

Commitment to society

CaixaBank's support for society is reflected in its sixth social bond issuance, completed in September 2024, which totalled €1.25 billion and attracted demand of more than €4.7 billion. For the first time, the issuance identified eligible projects focused on gender equality, reducing inequality and social housing.

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Since publishing its UN framework for bonds linked to the Sustainable Development Goals in 2020, CaixaBank has become a leading European issuer of ESG bonds, with a total of 14 issuances: eight green bonds and six social bonds, amounting to €13.3 billion.

As a leading European provider of microfinance, CaixaBank strongly supports local communities through MicroBank, its social bank. In 2024, MicroBank completed 233,603 transactions worth €2.066 billion, representing increases of 61.7% and 49.3%, respectively, compared with 2023.

Regarding the 'Best Bank for Social Bonds' award, Global Finance highlighted CaixaBank's ability to mobilise resources to support the communities most affected by challenging circumstances. The magazine recognised the bank's commitment to society following the severe rainfall and flooding that affected parts of Spain at the end of October 2024, causing loss of life, major disruption and economic losses, particularly in the Valencian Community. CaixaBank responded by making available a credit facility of more than €2.5 billion for businesses affected by the climate disaster. In addition, for seven days, customers using cards issued by other banks were able to withdraw cash free of charge from the 785 CaixaBank ATMs operating in Valencia. In the first half of 2024, CaixaBank also allocated €1.08 billion to financing projects with a positive impact on local communities. These included the Velindre project, which helped finance the design, construction and operation of an oncology hospital in Wales. Throughout 2024, CaixaBank also focused on lending to finance projects related to affordable housing, education, healthcare, social and economic inclusion, and support for small and medium-sized enterprises in the Madrid area.

International recognition for sustainability and social commitment

The Global Finance Sustainable Finance Awards 2025 add to the accolades CaixaBank has received in previous editions, including the global 'Best Bank for Sustaining Communities 2024', 'Best Bank for Sustainable Finance in Western Europe 2024', 'World's Best Bank for ESG-Related Loans 2023', 'Best Bank for Sustainable Finance Loans in Western Europe 2024' and 'Best Bank for Social Bonds in Western Europe 2024'.

In 2024, British magazine Euromoney named CaixaBank 'Best Bank in Spain', marking the fourth consecutive year in which the bank received the award, as well as 'Best Bank for ESG in Spain'.

CaixaBank, a European leader in sustainability

CaixaBank has a long-standing commitment to creating social impact through its activities and embraces its responsibility to promote an economy that contributes positively to people's well-being.

Through its 2025-2027 Sustainability Plan, which forms part of CaixaBank's Strategic Plan, the bank has committed to mobilising €100 billion in sustainable finance to continue supporting the transition towards a more sustainable economy and contribute to people's economic and social development. This includes financing renewable energy, clean mobility and energy-efficient buildings, providing solutions that accelerate the sustainable transition of businesses and

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Euromoney Private Banking Awards 2026 Spain Best Private Bank
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households, promoting financial inclusion, supporting education and employment, and responding to the needs arising from increasing longevity.

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