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Dana Congratulates Ceres on its 30th Anniversary

Ceres is a leading nonprofit that boldly declares, “Sustainability is the bottom line.” This week, Ceres celebrated its 30th anniversary, a true milestone. Ceres began with a handful of thoughtful people in the wake of the Exxon Valdez oil spill in 1989 and, through dedication and hard work, has become a world-renowned leader on sustainability issues and efforts. **Dana Investment Advisors is a proud member of the Ceres Investor Network** that includes over 170 institutional investors managing more than \$26 trillion in assets and focused on the advancement of leading sustainability investment practices. **Lydia Miller, Dana’s ESG Specialist, attended Ceres’ anniversary event and notes, “Ceres is a nonprofit that combines the best vision, implementation, collaboration, and sheer grit in getting stakeholders to design and implement sustainable solutions and practices. We applaud them!”**

For **Mindy Lubber, Ceres indomitable CEO and President**, no time was spent on past successes; instead, she challenged attendees to increase efforts and advance timetables to implement the transition to a low-carbon economy. She also announced the launch of a new center named the **Ceres Accelerator for Sustainable Capital Markets**. The Ceres Accelerator aims to move financial regulators and asset owners to large-scale systems changes that address the systemic risk of climate change. Honoree **Tim Cook, CEO of Apple, Inc.**, addressed the attendees as well, providing strong corporate leadership and commitment to sustainable practices and innovations.

At Dana, we understand that *sustainability is the bottom line* and incorporate sustainability factors in our research. We look forward to continuing our efforts alongside those of Ceres and other like-minded individuals and organizations.

<https://www.ceres.org/events/ceres-30th-anniversary-gala>