

FINAL EVENT

Beyond Waste: Shaping the Future with Bio-Based Materials

29.04.25 | L42 BUSINESS CENTER, BRUSSELS

MORNING

09:00

Registration and Welcome Coffee

09:30

Welcome and Introduction

Helena Vilaça, CITEVE | W2BC Project Coordinator

09:40

Keynote Speech: EU Policies and the Future of Bio-Based Materials

Werner Bosmans, European Commission DG Environment

10:00

Waste2BioComp Value Chains Results

Textile Value Chain

Ângela Teles, Riopelle & Helena Silva, CITEVE

Packaging Value Chain

Davide Crapanzano, Propagroup & Belén Montero, University of A Coruña

Footwear Value Chain

Mario Kröger, nora by interface

Inkjet Printing

Hélio Mendonça, INESC TEC

11:50

Showcase of Bio-Based Materials

12:30

Networking Lunch & BIOMATTERS Corner

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AFTERNOON

14:00

BIOMATTERS Cluster: Spotlight on Collaborating Projects

Introduction to BIOMATTERS Cluster
Maria Maschio, CRIT | Ambiance Project

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Gemma Ibarz Ric, ITA

Bio-Uptake Project

Leyre Hernandez, Aitiip Technology Centre

Green-Loop Project

Alfonso Hernández Bustos, IDENER

New Wave Project

Hans Heeres, Biomass Technology Group (BTG)

VITAL Project

Lisa Wikstrom, VTT

Waste2BioComp Project

Teresa Silva, CITEVE

15:20

Unlocking Market Potential: Exploiting BIOMATTERS Innovations for Sustainable Industry Solutions

Keynote Speaker:

Simone MACCAFERRI, CBE-JU

Roundtable Panellists:

Silvia Maltagliati, DG Research & Innovation

Lutz Walter, Textile ETP

Rick Passenier, GO!PHA

Željko Pazin, EFFRA

16:40

Closing Remarks & Next Steps

Carla Silva, CITEVE

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