

MONDAY, 25 OCTOBER 2021 / 14:00 - 17:00 CET

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14:00 – 14:10 Welcoming of the day.

• Interview with **Patrick Clerens**, ESWET Secretary-General

14:10 – 14:50 "Circular Economy: can we close the loop?"

- Piotr Barczak, Senior Policy Officer for Waste, European Environmental Bureau (EEB)
- Ella Stengler, Managing Director, CEWEP

14:50 – 15:30 "The environmental impacts of non-recyclable waste"

- Janek Vahk, Climate, Energy, and Air Pollution Programme Coordinator, Zero Waste Europe
- Tom Croymans, ESWET CCUS Working Group Chair

15:30 – 16:10 "EU Climate Neutrality: is carbon capture the future of Waste-to-Energy?"

- Jannicke Bjerkas, CCS Director, Fortum Oslo Varme
- Eve Tamme, Founder and Managing Director, Climate Principles

16:10 – 17:00 Panel Discussion – "Is non-recyclable waste represented in the EU Taxonomy?"

- Jonas Helseth, Bellona Europa, Director
- Valerie Plainemaison, FEAD Secretary-General
- Patrick Clerens, ESWET Secretary-General

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SESSION:

14:10 – 14:50 "Circular Economy: can we close the loop?"



Piotr Barczak,
Senior Policy Officer for Waste,
European Environmental Bureau (EEB)



Ella Stengler,
Managing Director,
CEWEP

Moderated by Kira Taylor, Energy and Environment Journalist, EURACTIV The session will focus on the management of non-recyclable waste in the context of a Circular Economy.

How can we succesfully enhance waste prevention, and to what extent? What follows reuse and recycling? Is there a place for Waste-to-Energy in the circular economy?

The session includes presentations by the speakers, followed by a Q&A.





SESSION:

14:50 – 15:30 "The environmental impacts of non-recyclable waste"



Janek Vahk,
Climate, Energy, and Air Pollution
Programme Coordinator,
Zero Waste Europe

Moderated by Kira Taylor, Energy and Environment Journalist, EURACTIV



Tom Croymans, Chair of the CCUS Working Group, ESWET

The session focuses on the environmental impact of non-recyclable waste management.

What policies are needed to minimise those impacts? Can the Waste-to-Energy sector offer a sustainable contribution?

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15:30 - 16:10

"EU Climate Neutrality: is carbon capture the future of Waste-to-Energy?"



Jannicke Bjerkas
CCS Director,
Fortum Oslo Varme

Moderated by Kira Taylor, Energy and Environment Journalist, EURACTIV



Eve Tamme,Managing Director, *Climate Principles*

The session will focus on exploring the state-of-play of Carbon Capture and Utilisation or Storage (CCUS) implementation in the Waste-to-Energy (WtE) sector.

The debate will present the main opportunities and challenges of CCUS in WtE.

The session includes presentations by the speakers, followed by a Q&A.





PANEL DISCUSSION

16:10 – 17:00 "Is non-recyclable waste represented in the EU Taxonomy?"



Jonas Helseth, Director, Bellona Europa



Valerie Plainemaison,
Secretary General
FEAD



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