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08:00 Morning Coffee & Registration  
 09:00 CMT & Moderator's Welcome  
 Mr. Eugenio Cavallini  
 Technical Manager for Food Contact and Safety  
**Confederation of European Paper Industries (CEPI)**

09:10 **Single-Use Plastic Ban & Packaging Directives Updates**  
 Ms. Bettina Lorz, Senior Expert Circular Economy  
**European Commission, DG Environment**

Ms. Hazel O'Keeffe, Partner  
**Keller & Heckman LLP**

Ms. Cynthia Lieberman, Partner  
**Keller & Heckman LLP**

10:30 Networking & Coffee

11:00 **Carbon Footprint (and Assessment) | Circular Economy | "Close the Loop"**  
*The Unique Pressures of Reducing Carbon Footprint in Food Contact Packaging*  
 Mr. Mauro Cozzi, Founder  
**Emitwise**

*Packaging Design, A Key Parameter to Move into New & More Sustainable Fibre-Based Packaging Technologies*  
 Ms. Anna Altner, Founder & CEO  
**The Loop Factory AB**

Ms. Liselotte Tingvall  
 Head of FutureLab, **Grow**

**Avoiding High Risk Forest Fibre - Next Gen Alternatives**  
 Ms. Valerie Langer  
 Fibre Solutions Strategist  
**Canopy Planet**

12:30 Networking Luncheon

13:50 Afternoon Chair/Moderator  
 Mr. Marco Scialpi, Food Contact Material Global Business Development Manager & FCM Senior Expert  
**TÜV Rheinland**

13:55 **The Evo-Innovation in Paper & Fiber Packaging (Materials, Barriers, Recyclability, Compostability, etc)**  
*Supporting Brand Owners' Efforts towards Sustainability in Direct Food Contact Packaging*  
 Ms. Helene Lehtinen  
 Barrier Development Director  
**Metsä Board**

14:25 **Bio-Based Coffee/Tea Filters Using Innovative Viscose Fibres**  
 Mr. Rahul Bansal, AVP & Head – Global Business Development (Nonwovens)  
**Birla Cellulose Pvt. Ltd**

14:55 **Sustainable Barrier Coatings and OPV Solutions for Paper & Molded Fiber Packaging**  
 Mr. Stanislav E. Solovyov  
 Senior Research Scientist  
**Mantrose-Haeuser Co. Inc.**

**15:25 to 15:55 hrs. Networking Tea (Virtual & In-Person)**

15:55 **The Next Evolution in High-Barrier, Recyclable Paper Solutions – How Businesses can Meet the Challenge of Paper Packaging**  
 Mr. Kurt Somers, Product Development Manager, Snacks & Confectionery  
**Amcor Flexibles**

16:25 **Dry Molded Fiber - Sustainable Fiber Packaging with Unit Economics Competitive to Plastics**  
 Ms. Sanna Fager  
 Chief Commercial Officer  
**PulPac AB**

16:55 **New Ecological Solutions for the Paper Industry – Grass Fiber & Paper**  
 Mr. Niklas Frase, Head of R&D,  
**Creapaper GmbH**

17:25 End of Day ONE

17:30 **Networking Cocktail Reception** for ALL speakers & participants

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4 MAY 2022, Wednesday

09:00 CMT & Moderator's Welcome  
Mr. Kurt Somers, Product Development  
Manager, Snacks & Confectionery  
**Amcort Flexibles**

09:10 **Food-Contact Compliance in Paper  
& Fiber Packaging – Regulations  
& Harmonisation**  
*Food-Contact Compliance & Regulations  
for Paper-Based Packaging in the EU*  
Mr. Eugenio Cavallini  
Technical Manager for  
Food Contact and Safety  
**Confederation of European  
Paper Industries (CEPI)**

*Food-Contact Compliance in Paper & Fiber  
Packaging Outside EU*  
Mr. Marco Scialpi, Food Contact Material  
Global Business Development Manager  
& FCM Senior Expert  
**TÜV Rheinland**

*4evergreen Journey Towards Perfection  
Circularity of Fibre-based Packaging*  
Ms. Susanne Haase  
Program Director, 4evergreen  
**Confederation of European Paper  
Industries (CEPI)**

10:30 Networking & Coffee

11:00 **The Evo-Innovation in Paper & Fiber  
Packaging (Materials, Barriers,  
Recyclability, Compostability, etc)**  
*The move to paper based packaging:  
opportunities and challenges*  
Mr. Herwin Wichers, Head of  
FMCG Category Fiber Foodservice  
**Huhtamaki Global**

*The Road Towards Fully Cellulosic Barrier  
Materials - Possible Alternatives to Plastics*  
Ms. Fleur Rol, Project Leader  
**CTP - Centre Technique du  
Papier (Technical Paper Center)**

*Natural Greaseproof Paper as PFAS-free  
Alternative for Packaging Papers*  
Mr. Henrik Kjellgren  
Product Manager  
**Nordic Paper**

12:40 Networking & Closing Luncheon

14:00 End of Conference.  
**Virtual Networking is open for ALL  
Speakers & Attendees (virtual & in-person)  
to continue your interaction & discussions,  
until 00:00, 7 May 2022 (Saturday).**

 **Sustainable  
PAPER & FIBER PACKAGING  
for Food Contact**



*"High-performance food packaging vital to  
climate change and world hunger mitigation"*  
~ Tetra Pak Sustainability VP

Food and beverage brand owners, converters and packaging material producers have NOW a strong need to demonstrate their corporate responsibility and environmental stewardship. Extensive research and collaboration through the packaging supply chain are invested to ensure **food-contact** packaging comply to **food safety** guidelines, and meet **carbon neutrality** target. Hence the journey towards sustainably sourced packaging materials, with uncompromising barrier properties, and is **fully recyclable/ compostable**, and etc.

Consumer's growing awareness and demand for sustainable products and packaging is a strong pull factor to this pursuit. More consumers are inclined to shop with brands/retailers with strong sustainability commitments and willing to pay a premium. Moving away from the single-use plastics, paper and board packaging is often lauded and now promoted as an environmentally friendlier alternative for food and even beverage.

Food and beverage packaging needs to maintain food quality, safety compliance, temperature, and etc. While the industry awaits the harmonised European legislation for food packaging materials made from paper and board, member countries have established guidelines and requirement.

The ongoing innovations in **high-functionality** and **sustainable barriers** for paper packaging, as well as alternative fibre sources from barley, straw, hemp, also created new possibility towards sustainable packaging solution.

The evolution does not stop here. Moving forward there is a continuous need for more innovative recycling solutions to ensure packaging can be easily and fully recyclable and incur less carbon footprints. The circular economy propelled the growth of "closing the loop", enabling the recovery, traceability and recycling for new packaging products.

CMT is organising the hybrid conference on **Sustainable Paper & Fiber Packaging for Food Contact** on 3 – 4 May 2022, virtually and onsite in Cologne. The agenda aims to look at evolving regulatory and compliance developments, and disruptive innovations in food and beverage paper/fiber packaging solutions, thriving through food safety, recyclability, compostability, sustainability and achieving carbon neutrality in the supply chain:

- **Regulatory Update on Packaging & Plastic Waste Directive**
- **Carbon Footprint (and Assessment) of Paper & Fiber Packaging Solutions**
- **Initiatives to "Close the Loop" & Recyclability Guidelines**
- **Harmonising Food-Contact Compliance Regulations/Guidelines for Paper/Fiber Packaging Materials**
- **Innovations in Paper & Fiber Packaging for Food & Beverage – Materials, Barriers/ Coatings, Labels, etc**

Join us at **CMT's Sustainable Paper & Fiber Packaging for Food-Contact**, on 3 – 4 May 2022, as the panel of industry lead speakers and participants share insights on the sustainability goals and journey on food-contact paper/fiber packaging, unfold the future trends and opportunities, and what more can be done to realise a circular economy in packaging.

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