

3RD BIOBASED & RECYCLED TEXTILES

18 - 19 March 2024
Rotterdam, Netherlands

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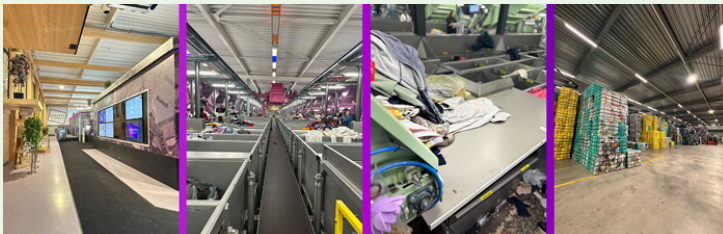
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DAY 1 - 18 MAR 2024, MONDAY

Separately Bookable Site Visit

Monday, 18th Mar 2024 | (08:45 – 12:30 hrs.)

Erdotex



The Dutch **Erdotex Group** is involved in the collection and sorting of post-consumer discarded textiles. The collected used textile is first categorized per type. Next the textiles are assessed for quality and sorted into high quality products for re-use. Through our personal and versatile approach Erdotex can meet all customers desires. Erdotex disposes of a state-of-the-art production facility where high level automation is integrated with the meticulous manual labor of textile quality grading. Hence ensuring a professional and reliable sorting process.

09:30	Gather at lobby
09:45	Depart for Erdotex (Schrijnwerkerstraat 1, 2984 BC Ridderkerk)
10:15	Visit
12:00	Depart for Rotterdam Hilton Hotel
12:30	Registration and light finger food lunch
13:30	Conference commence

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12:30 **Conference Registration & Light Finger Food**

13:30 **The targeted revision of the Waste Framework Directive as cornerstone to increase circularity in textiles**

Dr. Wolfgang Trunk, Team Leader DG Env - Circular Economy, European Commission

14:00 **Transforming the textiles industry towards zero waste & 100% circularity**

Micha Vugts, Chief Operating Officer, Circularity

14:20 **Perspective from Spain**

Ana Rodes, Head of Sustainability, Recover

14:40 **Design-for-disassembly technology for an optimized textile recycling at scale**

Dr. Acerina Trejo Machin, Chief Technology Officer, Resortecs

15:00 **Full automatic sorting for textile recycling**

Jean-Francois Gryspeert, Sales & Business Developer, Valvan



15:20 Discussion. Followed by Tea

16:00 **Reaching cost competitiveness - next step for man-made cellulосics using textile waste**

Lucja Michalina Wanicka, Manager, AFRY - Pöyry Management Consulting Oy

16:25 **Turning textile waste into new cellulose fiber**

Erik van der Weerd, CEO, SaXcell

16:50 **Scaling up straw based cellulosic fibre for textile applications**

Janne Einola, Chief Revenue Officer, Fortum Bio2X

17:15 Final Discussion. Close of Day 1

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DAY 2 - 19 MAR 2024, TUESDAY

- 08:50 **Chairman's Introductions**
- 09:00 **Keeping it circular with 100% recycled cotton technology**
Annabelle Georgina Hutter, Managing Director, Saentis Textiles
- 09:30 **Sustainable textile innovations - Trends & Opportunities**
Perspectives from
i) Home textiles & printed fabrics
Miguel Ramoa, Technical Director, Adalberto Textile Solutions

ii) Fashion & textiles manufacturer
Dr. Barbara Leite, Head of Business & Product Devt, RDD Textiles
- 10:00 **Scaling up plant-based leather**
Joint presentation:
Aaron Amstutz, Chief Technology Officer, NFW

Frank Maue, Global Product Manager, IPCO Germany
- 10:35 **High quality biobased pants made from castor oil**
Claus Bretschneider, Founder, Breddy's
- 11:00 Discussion followed by Coffee Break
- 11:30 **Innovative sustainable plant based fur**
Martin Stuebler, Chief Executive Officer, BioFluff
- 12:00 **Natural biobased black pigment from wood waste**
Christine Goulay, Board Member, Nature Coatings
- 12:30 Discussion. Followed by Lunch
- 14:00 **Transforming waste into useful carbon for inks & coatings for fabrics**
Garrett Benisch, Co-Founder, OurCarbon

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- 14:25 **Panel Discussion - Transparency in the fashion and textile industry supply chain**
Feico Van Der Veen, Managing Director, Aware

Pepe Costa, Owner, Retecycle

Semora Mangnoesing, Commercial Director, Eon Group Holdings
- 15:30 Final Discussion. End of Conference.

The EU EPR for textiles mandates the compulsory collection and sorting of textile waste by 2025. In order to meet these regulatory requirements, the textile industry must significantly increase its recycling capacity and foster collaboration among different players within the value chain.

At the heart of this transformation are also investments in biobased textiles, derived from renewable resources such as plant fibers. Biobased textiles offer a sustainable alternative to conventional fabrics, reducing dependency on non-renewable resources and minimizing the environmental footprint of the textile industry.

Circularity in textiles goes beyond material choices. Design for longevity, repairability, and end-of-life considerations are integral aspects of creating a circular economy.

In summary, the EU's commitment to biobased and recycled textiles, reduction on overconsumption, promoting reuse models reflects a strategic move towards a more sustainable and environmentally conscious textile industry.

The **3rd Biobased & Recycled Textiles** event brings together the entire textile supply chain to share developments in reducing environmental footprint for the industry.

Some of the key highlights to be covered include:

- Revision of the Waste Directive Framework as cornerstone to increase textiles circularity
- Brandowners and retailers addressing sustainability targets and optimising recovery of waste from their own brands
- Innovative renewable, biodegradable materials with low carbon footprint - Biobased, sustainable dye & inks
- Boosting reuse & repair models
- Innovations in man made cellulosic fibres – beyond cotton
- Traceability & transparency in supply chain
- Textiles to textiles recycling challenges

And many more...

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Testimonials from Participants of 2nd Biobased & Recycled Textiles

"CMT organizes fantastic and insightful events for companies and partners that address the current sustainable needs and solutions on the market & future" **Peelsphere**

"CMT brought together a diverse group of speakers providing compelling information as the markets transition to circularity" **Accelerating Circularity**

"CMT offers every time again well-organized events with key players in the industry" **Clean & Unique**

"The conference brought together a diverse range of industry experts to have important discussions on how to better the industry" **Alpine Group / Paradise Textiles**

"This was an enriching experience, informative session and great networking opportunity" **Grasim Industries**

"It was great to go in-depth on these important developments. Getting the right expertise around the table is critical to move the sector forward" **Sustainabelle Advisory Services**

"Was a great conference! Enjoyed being here! Learned a lot and met many innovative people" **Beiersdorf**

"Re-examine the present for a new start route of a more compromised and correct textile industries in the world" **FDG - Fiaico Da Graca**

"All relevant presentations. Presentations were all a high quality" **Carrington Textiles**

"Recycled textiles fast growing market!" **Freudenberg Performance Materials**

"It was a very good and interesting conference, well arranged!" **ICL Industrial Products**

"One room, ideas, solutions" **3R Green**

"I hope that this topic will be alive in future and there will be more manufacturers in the chemical recycling field" **Malfini**

"Informative & engaging" **Kottex Industries**

"Green transition in action!" **Valmet Technologies**

"Very good audience & speakers" **Noosa**

FEES

Fees (per person)	€
IN-PERSON	
1-2 delegates	1395
3 or more delegates	1195
OPTIONAL & ADDITIONAL	
Site Visit to Erdotex	195
Video Recording	235
VIRTUAL	
Per login	1195