Traditionally, recycling initiatives have largely focused on plastic, but plastic recycling is not a catch-all solution to this global crisis. In recent years, stringent regulatory rules and standards have augmented the adoption of eco-friendly packaging materials. The Australian Government revealed its National Packaging Targets for industry include 100% of packaging is reusable, recyclable or compostable and 70% of plastic packaging goes on to be recycled or composted. Numerous initiatives have been taken up by packaging producers and brand owners to tackle the issue of waste and to find sustainable alternatives. Mars Wrigley announced plans to roll out compostable packaging for Skittles, and depending on outcome of this North Americanbased "test and learn" initiative, may incorporate the innovation across its portfolio of brands, as well as take it to other parts of the world with underdeveloped recycling infrastructures. Why Mars Wrigley is Turning to Compostable

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# **COMPOSTABLE PACKAGING**

27 MAY 2021 | 16:00 SGT (GMT +8)

#### **SPEAKERS**



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## **27 MAY 2021, THURSDAY**

- Pre-Event Networking 15:00 (Participants are strongly encouraged to Log on to get acquainted with CMT MEET Platform)
- 16:00 Welcome by CMT

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- Chairperson's Opening Remarks 16:05 Bruno Pereira, Chief Sustainability Officer **BioLogiQ**
- The Impact of Legislation in Promoting the Adoption of Compostable Packaging: **Australian Context** Brooke Donnelly, Chief Executive Officer Australian Packaging Covenant Organisation (APCO)
- **Rethinking Flexible Packaging with Composting** 16:35 Innovations
  - Overcoming plastic pollution, food waste and soil degradation issues
  - Latest innovations and
  - Real case studies: Industrial and home composting implementation

Vincent Kneefel, Senior Director of Sustainability

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Truly Circular: Optimizing Compostable Packaging Management Marco Versari, Head of Institutional Relations

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- Networking Break at CMT Connect
- Recyclable and Compostable Paper-based Packaging
  - Global market outlook and trends
  - Innovative solutions
  - Current and future production capacities Atul Tyaqi, Vice President,

Export Sales Industrial White BU

Asia Pulp & Paper (APP) Live Q&A

18:05 Compostable Packaging as a Feedstock: Values, Challenges & Opportunities

> Susan Thoman, Managing Director Compost Manufacturing Alliance Live Q&A

- Closing by CMT 18:30
- 18:35 **End of Event**