

NonHazCity 2 (#X006)
Hazardous Substances - knowledge and behaviour change!
Start of the “Plastic diet” month!!

April 14-15, 2021

Draft Program

Wednesday, April 14, 2021

Knowledge

9:30 – 10:00 CET/ 10:30 – 11:00 EET	Virtual arrival to the seminar
10:00 – 10:45 CET/ 11:00 – 11:45 EET	Welcome and Interactive “Tour de Table” (<i>Heidrun Fammler, Baltic Environmental Forum Germany</i>)
10:45 – 11:00 CET/ 11:45 – 12:00 EET	Opening of the meeting and insight to chemicals in Pärnu (<i>Silver Smeljanski, deputy mayor</i>)
11:00 – 12:00 CET/ 12:00 – 13:00 EET	<p>Session I: Plastic as vector of hazardous substances</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ <u>Introduction talks</u>: Plastic as source of exposure: (<i>Martyn Futter, Swedish University of Agricultural Science, Aleksandra Rutkowska, Medical University of Gdansk</i>) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Health aspects - Environmental aspects - Plastic as vector ➤ <u>Plenary “Ask the expert”</u>: Deepening knowledge on health, PFOs and more <i>Panellists - Martyn Futter, Aleksandra Rutkowska</i>
12:00 – 13:00 CET/ 13:00 – 14:00 EET	<p style="text-align: center;">Lunch break</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><i>TIP: Do not cook rice in plastic bags</i></p>
13:00 – 14:30 CET/ 14:00 – 15:30 EET	<p>Session II: Plastics, circularity and climate</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ <u>Keynote</u>: Plastics – chemicals risk to circularity and climate change mitigation? (<i>Harri Moora, Stockholm Environment Institute Tallinn</i>) <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Plastics – valuable material or a problem? - Triangular – climate change, circularity and hazardous substances in relation to plastic - Life-cycle aspects - Controversial materials and products <p><u>Group work</u>: To discuss 3 aspects during the life cycle of the product (climate change, circularity, hazardous substances) for better choice of the material. WG1- floor covering: PVC or natural material based WG2 – windows with different frames: PVC, wood, aluminium WG3 – T-shirt: polyester or natural (cotton) shirt</p> <p>Short reporting from group work – 5-7 minutes; 3 working groups (leaders) Wrap up of working groups results</p>
14:30 – 14:45 CET/ 15:00 – 15:45 EET	Closing of the day

Thursday, April 15, 2021

Behaviour change

9:00 – 9:10 CET/ 10:00 – 10:10 EET	Welcome and introduction to the day
9:10 – 11:00 CET/ 10:10 – 12:00 EET	<p>Session III: Making the invisible visible</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ <u>Keynote:</u> Environmental behaviour change – why is it so difficult and how we can achieve it? (<i>Prof. Susanne Stoll-Kleemann, University Greifswald</i>) ➤ <u>Keynote:</u> What behaviour we want to change looking at hazardous substances in plastics? (<i>Audrone Alijosiute-Paulauskiene, Marina Vogel, Kai Klein, Baltic Environmental Forum</i>) ➤ <u>Group work:</u> Motivating behaviour change with regard to hazardous substances & plastics <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - What are the barriers for reaching the desired behaviour? - How can we overcome/reduce these barriers? - What are concrete examples for overcoming the barriers? <p style="text-align: center;">WG 1 – cosmetics WG 2 - food contact materials WG 3 - textile</p> <p><u>Wrap-up session on group works:</u> conclusions and synergies from the working groups</p>
11:00 – 12:00 CET/ 12:00 – 13:00 EET	<p>Lunch break</p> <p><i>TIP: Avoid plastic food containers</i></p>
12:00 – 13:30 CET/ 13:00 – 14:30 EET	<p>Session IV: May 2021 is Plastic Diet month</p> <p><u>Swedish cities active on Plastic management:</u></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ <u>Västerås:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - The political vision for Plastic Diet (<i>Anna Thunell, Deputy Mayor of Västerås</i>) - Experiences from the City of Västerås – being on plastic diet since February 2020 (<i>Elin Vallgård, project manager of Plastic Diet of Västerås</i>) ➤ <u>Stockholm:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Plastic consumption in a city – which product groups and amounts matter? Experience and plans (<i>Anne Lagerqvist, City of Stockholm</i>) <p>Preparing for the NonHazCity Plastic Diet</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ <u>Presentation:</u> Introduction of the idea and activities of Plastic Diet month - Plastics and the hidden threat to your health (<i>Kai Klein, Baltic Environmental Forum Estonia</i>) ➤ <u>Co-creation by the seminar participants:</u> Your input to design of the campaign <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - What would be good and innovative elements or actions for Social Media campaign to achieve a behaviour change? - Your ideas and experiences how to motivate people with help of Social media. <p>WG group discussions:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">WG 1- Textile and cloth WG 2 - sport WG 3 – Toys WG 4 – Accessories WG 5 - food contact materials WG 6 - bioplastic</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Feedback from working groups and wrap-up
13:30 CET/ 14:30 EET	Closing of the seminar