9th CEWEP Waste-to-Energy Congress 2018



Waste-to-Energy Making Circular Economy Happen



Congress Programme 20th-21st September in Bilbao



Venue Euskalduna Conference Centre Abandoibarra Etorb. 4 48011 Bilbao Spain



Programme

Wednesday 19th September 2018



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Thursday 20th September 2018*

CEWEP Welcome Dinner

Location: Guggenheim Museum Bilbao, Abandoibarra Etorb. 2, 48009, Bilbao

- 20:15 Visit to Guggenheim Museum Bilbao
- 21:30 Welcome Address by Juan Mari Aburto, Mayor of Bilbao, Rafael Guinea, President of AEVERSU and Paul De Bruycker, President of CEWEP, followed by Walking Dinner hosted by AEVERSU

8:15	Registration and Welcome Coffee
9:00	Welcome Address Paul De Bruycker, CEWEP President
	Unai Rementeria Maiz, President of the Government of Biscay

Walk the talk in a Circular Economy

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Moderator: Katrina Sichel

9:20 Keynote Speech: Implementation of the Circular Economy, Non-Toxic Environment, Interface Between Chemical and Waste Legislation, Plastic Strategy... What's Next? William Neale, Adviser Circular Economy and Green Growth, DG Environment, European Commission

Implementation of the Circular Economy in Spain Margarita Ruiz Saiz-Aja, Assistant Deputy Director General for Waste, Ministry of Agriculture, Food and Environment of Spain



Panel Discussion: Will Europe Achieve its Waste Targets? Will the Chinese Ban on Waste Imports Help Europe to be More Resource Efficient?

William Neale, Adviser Circular Economy and Green Growth, DG Environment, European Commission Rafael Guinea Mairlot, President, AEVERSU, Spain Antonello Ciotti, President, Corepla, Italy Christine Leveque, Director Business Innovation, SUEZ Jarno Stet, Waste Services Manager Waste & Cleansing, Westminster City Council

Q & A

11:00 – 11:30 **Coffee Break**

Energy and Climate

11:30 Heat Roadmap Europe: Potential for Waste-to-Energy in District Heating Systems

Susana Paardekooper, Research assistant, PhD Fellow, Aalborg University Copenhagen

WtE and CO₂ Accounting

Alessio Boldrin, Senior Researcher, Technical University of Denmark

Carbon Capture from Waste and Usage in Horticulture, a Unique Dutch Cooperation

Liane Schoonus, Policy Officer, Dutch Waste Management Association and Dennis Medema, Innovation Specialist, LTO Glaskracht

Waste-to-Energy: Raising Efficiency with Energy Storage Technologies – Potential and Best Practice

Helena Teschner, Senior Expert for Politics and Regulatory Affairs, German Energy Storage Association

Q & A

13:00 – 14:30 **Lunch**



Technical Session

Chair: Mario Grosso Politecnico di Milano

14:30 **Best Available Technology for Waste Incineration** Lighea Speziale, Technical & Scientific Officer, CEWEP

If Earthworms Cannot Help: Tiered Approach in Line with Chemical Legislation

Carsten Spohn, Managing Director, ITAD (German Waste-to-Energy Association), Chair of CEWEP Working Group Residues

Bottom Ash: How Much Gold is Actually in it?

Jan-Peter Born, Business Manager, HVC Alkmaar, The Netherlands

Q & A

15:30 – 16:00 **Coffee Break**

Perception of Waste-to-Energy and lessons to learn

Chair: Katrina Sichel

16:00 **Zero Waste**

Peter Quicker, Director Unit of Technology of Fuels, RWTH Aachen University

Panel Discussion: Waste-to-Energy and Post-Truth Communication

Luke Walsh, Editor ENDs Waste and Bioenergy Ana Loureiro, Communication Director at Environmental Global Facilities, Portugal Dan Cooke, Director of Regulatory Affairs, Viridor, UK Philip Heylen, ISVAG (Antwerp inter-municipal waste management organisation)

Q & A

CEWEP Awards

17:30 Conclusions Ella Stengler, Managing Director, CEWEP
17:40 CEWEP Award Ceremony Katrina Sichel
18:00 End



Congress Dinner

20:00 Departure from **designated bus parking** spot in front of Euskalduna Conference centre (Abandoibarra Etorb. 4, 48009 Bilbao)

> Dinner at Aspaldiko restaurant, Zabaloetxe Etorbidea, 14, 48180 Loiu



Thursday 20th September 2018: Partners Programme



Departure from **designated bus parking spot in front** 10.00 of Euskalduna Conference centre (Abandoibarra Etorb. 4, 48009 Bilbao) Walking City Tour, including Pintxo (local tapas) tasting in a local restaurant Free time

13.00

Friday 21st September 2018

Zabalgarbi Waste-to-Energy **Plant Technical Visit**

8:45	Departure from designated bus parking spot in front of Euskalduna Conference
	centre (Abandoibarra Etorb., 4, 48009 Bilbao)
9:15	Start of the plant visit
13:30	Lunch
14:30	End of visit
15:00	Arrival at designated bus parking spot in front of Euskalduna Conference centre
	(Abandoibarra Etorb., 4, 48009 Bilbao)





Who are we?



CEWEP (Confederation of European Waste-to-Energy **Plants**) is the European umbrella association of the operators of Waste-to-Energy Plants.

CEWEP's members are committed to ensuring high environmental standards, achieving low emissions and maintaining state of the art energy production from waste that is not suitable for sustainable recycling.

Waste-to-Energy: creating reliable, cost-effective energy from waste, which is not suitable for recycling.

In cooperation with:



AEVERSU

AEVERSU is the Spanish WtE plants association, composed by 11 plants (10 in Spain and 1 in Andorra), whose objective is to process non-recyclable fraction of urban waste to produce electricity or steam, within a framework of circular economy, and in accordance with European guidelines, thus avoiding its inevitable landfill disposal. With our message "We are the energy of the circular economy", we promote the benefits (environmental, economic and social) of the energy use of nonrecyclable waste and the need to avoid landfills due to its negative impact on the environment and health.



Zabalgarbi

The Zabalgarbi Waste-to-Energy plant in Bilbao, thanks to its innovative design, achieves very high energy efficiency levels. This cutting-edge technology involves a qualitative and quantitative improvement in the performance of modern WtE facilities. Zabalgarbi has the capacity to treat 230,000 tonnes of waste and to generate 650 GWh of electricity annually. It minimises the use of fossil fuels and produces large amounts of electricity by using municipal waste and natural gas in one single integrated cycle.