

59th Dornbirn GFC WEBINAR WEEK

16. September 2020



OPENING



9:00 – 9:10

Federal Ministry
Republic of Austria

Austrian Minister: Leonore Gewessler
Climate Action, Environment, Mobility, Energy,
Innovation and Technology

The Austrian Minister and former Managing Director of
GLOBAL 2000 opens the Webinar Week



9:10 – 9:20

Federal Ministry
Republic of Austria

Magnus Brunner
State Secretary

“Austria’s way forward – the Future through Innovation”



9:20 – 9:40



Robert van de Kerkhof

Chief Commercial Officer - Lenzing Group

“Our Fibres: The Solution or the Problem?”



9:40 – 10:00



Rajen Udeshi

President Polyester Chain Reliance Industries

“Recycling & Circular Economy: The Textile Perspective”



10:00 – 10:20



Ruben Dekker

Policy Officer-DG Environment, EU Commission

“Textiles in the Circular Economy – towards an EU Strategy”



10:20 – 10:40



Frederic van Houte

MD CIRFS European Man Made Fibres Association

Hilmar Fuchs Prof.

STFI, TU Dresden

„Awarding Paul Schlack/Wilhelm Albrecht Prize“

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Smart, Integrated, Digital Textile Production Chain



13:00 – 13:20



Sylvain Huck

Technology Manager Digital - Oerlikon

“Yarn DNA – Digitalization to support Sustainability”



13:20 – 13:40



Maximilian Kürig

CEO - KM.ON by Karl Mayer

„KM.ON–Digitalization in the world of KARL MAYER“



13:40 – 14:00



Holger Max Lang

President North, East Europe & ME- Lectra

*“Digitization of the fashion industry in times of the crisis
not only triggered by COVID-
initial analysis and what future scenarios could look like”*



14:00 – 14:20



Robert Rosellen

Director Enterprise Commercial Lead - Microsoft

*“Empowering a sustainable digital Supply Chain
in the Textile Industry”*



14:20 – 14:50



Panel Discussion

Sylvain Huck, Maximilian Kürig, Holger Max Lang and
Robert Rosellen

Chaired by Giuseppe Gherzi – CEO Gherzi

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PPE(Personal Protective Equipment) a Challenge for the Industry in Europe?



9:00 – 9:20



People.Health.Care.

Thomas Menitz

Chief Operating Officer & VP – Lohmann und Rauscher

„Key factors for a successful PPE business“



9:20 – 9:40



Stephan Trubrich

Managing Director – Hygiene Austria, VP Lenzing Group

„Lessons learned from setting up a PPE business in Europe“



9:40 – 10:00

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Ingo Mählmann

Senior Manager Nonwovens - Oerlikon

“PPE Nonwoven Production Technology”



10:00 – 10:20



Henk Vanhoutte

Secretary General – European Safety Federation

“PPE in times of the COVID-19 health crisis”



10:20 – 10:50

edana

Intro by EDANA & Panel Discussion

Thomas Menitz, Stephan Trubrich, Ingo Mählmann
and Henk Vanhoutte

Chaired by Pierre Wiertz - General Manager EDANA

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New Recycling Technologies – what are the Challenges?



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EREMA
PLASTIC RECYCLING SYSTEMS

Wolfgang Herrmann

Business Director – EREMA Plastic Recycling Systems

“Erema’s experienced Solutions for Fibers & Textiles Recycling”



13:30 – 13:50

NGR
PLASTIC RECYCLING TECHNOLOGIES

Thomas Pichler

CTO - NGR Plastic Recycling Technologies

„rPET in Fiber without Compromise“



14:00 – 14:20

oerlikon

Markus Reichwein

Head of Product Management - Oerlikon

“On the road to a sustainable Fiber Industry”



14:20 – 14:50

syngroup

Panel Discussion

Wolfgang Herrmann, Thomas Pichler and Markus Reichwein

Chaired by Walter Woitsch – Partner Syngroup

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Circular Economy in the European Industry Recovery



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Alberto Pacanelli
President – EURATEX

*„Recovery and Sustainability:
EURATEX strategic proposals“*



9:30 – 9:50


Frederic van Houte

MD CIRFS European Man Made Fibres Association

*„Circular Economy – priorities for the Man Made
Fibre Industry“*



9:50 – 10:10



Ruben Dekker

Policy Officer-DG Environment, EU Commission

“Policy Options for EU Textiles”



Susana Solis Perez

MEP – Member of the European Parliament



10:10 – 10:40



Panel Discussion

Alberto Pacanelli, Frederic van Houte, Ruben Dekker
and Susana Solis Perez

Chaired by Mauro Scalia – Director EURATEX

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Future Rules & Regulations for Textiles what should be expected from the EU?



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Joachim Quoden

MD – Expra Extended Producers Responsibility Alliance

*„EPR (Extended Producers Responsibility) for Textiles –
Lessons learned from Packaging“*



13:30 – 13:50



Brigitte Gerstmann

Vienna School for International Studies

*„Enhancing Textile Circularity in the EU –
possible policy approaches“*



13:50 – 14:10



Matthias Neitsch

Managing Director - Repanet

“Social Economy Textile Collection & EPR”



14:10 – 14:40



Panel Discussion

Joachim Quoden, Brigitte Gerstmann and
Matthias Neitsch

Chaired by Andreas Bartl – Prof. TU Wien