

International Circular bioeconomy Conference

CIRCULAR BIOECONOMY - HIGH-LEVEL MEETING

Tartu, Estonia

AGENDA

12 OCTOBER 2022

ARRIVAL OF PARTICIPANTS TO TALLINN/TARTU

- 14:00** Study tour for EaP countries, programme for high-level participants and delegates
- 18:15-19:15** Arrival to Tartu, accommodation to hotels
- 20:00-22:00** Dinner for high-level ministerial meeting participants (Ministers and delegations) hosted by the Minister of Rural Affairs

13 OCTOBER 2022 (conference streamed online)

Moderator of the Conference Kristo Elias**8:30-9:30 OPEN REGISTRATION & WELCOME COFFEE****9:30-10:00 WELCOME**

- Urmas Kruuse, Estonian Minister of Rural Affairs
- Janusz Wojciechowski, Commissioner for Agriculture and Rural Affairs, European Commission (online)
- Mykola Solskyi, Ukrainian Minister of Agrarian Policy and Food (online)
- Katrin Jögi, EU Bioeconomy Youth Ambassador

1ST SESSION: ROLE OF CIRCULAR BIOECONOMY IN FOOD SYSTEMS' TRANSFORMATION**10:00-10:15 RETHINKING CIRCULARITY IN BIOECONOMY: WHAT ARE THE PROMISING DEVELOPMENT DIRECTIONS FOR THE CIRCULAR USE OF BIORESOURCES**

Rando Värnik, Estonian University of Life Sciences

10:15-10:30 BIOECONOMY - NEW PERSPECTIVES FOR THE PRIMARY PRODUCTION AND RURAL AREAS

Diego Canga Fano, designated director for Outreach, Research & Geographical Indications, DG AGRI (online)

10:30-10:45 BIOEAST INITIATIVE'S ROLE IN BOOSTING OF BIOECONOMY IN CEE

Barna Kovács, BIOEAST Secretary General, Permanent Representation of Hungary to the European Union

10:45-11:15 **PANEL DISCUSSION - DEVELOPMENT OF CROSS-BORDER BIOECONOMY VALUE CHAINS AND BUSINESS MODELS**

Panellists:

- Rando Värnik, Estonian University of Life Sciences
- Barna Kovács, BIOEAST Secretary General
- Noa Sainz Lopez, Policy Officer, European Commission
- Tanel Ilmjärv, OÜ Vetik

11:15-11:45 **COFFEE BREAK**

11:45-13:30 **ROUNDTABLE OF EU AND EAP MINISTERS IN SEPARATE MEETING ROOM**

13:30-14:30 **LUNCH BREAK**

14:30-15:30 **EXPO TOUR**

15:30-17:00 **CONFERENCE RECEPTION**

17:00 **LEISURE TIME IN TARTU, POSSIBLE TRANSFERS BACK TO TALLINN DEPENDING OF THE FLIGHT SCHEDULES**

