



**WASTE AS A FEEDSTOCK
FOR THE CIRCULAR ECONOMY –
CHALLENGES AND OPPORTUNITIES
FOR THE CHEMICAL INDUSTRY**

20 April 2022 | 10:00 - 12:00, online

Moderation - Mr. Folco Ciulli, ECRN Executive Director, Lombardy

10:00 - 10:10 WELCOME AND KEYNOTE SPEECH

Mr Stephan Satijn - Limburg's Regional Minister for Economy, Land Management, and Education, the Netherlands

10:10 - 10:15 EUROPEAN CHEMICAL REGIONS NETWORK - INTRODUCTION

Ms Monika Bańka - ECRN Policy and Network Coordinator

**10:15 - 10:50 THE ROLE OF REGIONS IN SUPPORTING
THE CIRCULAR ECONOMY AND CHEMICAL INDUSTRY -
IDENTIFIED CHALLENGES AND EXPECTED LEGISLATIVE CHANGES**

Ms Aile Silvija - DG ENV, Deputy Head of Unit, Circular Economy, From waste to resources

Mr Stefano Panozzo - Secretariat-General of the European Committee of the Regions, the ENVE Commission

Ms Yolanda Schmal - ex-tax concept, Province Noord-Holland, NL

Ms Luisa Mascia - Circular Bio-based Europe Joint Undertaking

**10:50 - 11:30 THE BEST PRACTICES HOW TO DEAL WITH WASTE AND
IDENTIFIED BOTTLENECKS**

Mr Frank Schaap - Chemelot strategy 2050 and the challenges of using waste as circular feedstock, Limburg, NL

Ms Agnieszka Zdanowicz - Vice-president, The Waste Management and Recycling Cluster (PL)

Mr Mattia Adani - CEO of NowalChimica and Member of the General Council of Chemical Industry Assolombarda, Italy - Bi-Rex project

Ms Maria Dolores Núñez Sanchez - chemistry, enabling driver of the green transformation - Catalonia success stories

11:30 - 12:00 DISCUSSION