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AGENDA, CHEMSEC EVENT 14 NOVEMBER 2019

10:00  SETTING THE SCENE
Welcome by Anne-Sofie Bäckar, Executive Director of ChemSec and Aminda Leigh, Moderator
Jutta Paulus, Member of the European Parliament
How we can achieve a clean circular economy
Kestutis Sadauskas, Director, Directorate General for the Environment, European Commission
Outlining how the EU Commission intends to spark chemical innovation and substitution
Jaqueline Alvarez, Senior Programme Management Officer from the Chemicals and Health Branch, UNEP
On the urgency to act on hazardous chemicals – lessons from the two Global Chemicals Outlook reports

11.50  THE NEW SIN LIST CHEMICALS
Dr Anna Lennquist, Senior Toxicologist, ChemSec
Presentation of the “new” SIN List, including new chemicals
Hans Peter Arp, Norwegian Geotechnical Institute
The development of PMT/vPvM criteria to identify substances of very high concern under REACH
Professor Martin Scheringer, ETH Zurich
The science behind the new SIN List chemicals
Associate Professor Steffen Foss Hansen, Danish Technical University, DTU
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13.10 LUNCH

14.10 CLEANING UP THE CIRCULAR ECONOMY
Charlene Wall Warren, Director Environmental Technologies, Apple
How Apple goes above and beyond to lead in smarter chemistry

Sjoerd Dijkstra, DSM Resins and Functional Material
Why DSM removed SVHCs from its product portfolio and what we’ve learned

Malene Teller Blume, Quality Manager, COOP Denmark
How the Danish retailer distanced itself from competitors’ laissez-faire attitude and took chemical matters in its own hands

15.30 WORKSHOP AND PANEL DISCUSSION
Societal awareness around hazardous chemicals is low, even though we are all affected by them. How can we create a sense of urgency around hazardous chemicals in order to speed up the transition to safer alternatives?

This question will be discussed in four workshop groups from four different angles. We are proud to have excellent discussion leaders, who will also represent the groups in a final panel discussion.

Cristina de Avila, Head of Unit, Sustainable Chemicals, Directorate General for the Environment, European Commission and Frida Hök, ChemSec
Representing Society

Paul D Thacker, Freelance Journalist and Peter Pierrou, ChemSec
Representing the Media

Sjoerd Dijkstra, DSM and Theresa Kjell, ChemSec
Representing Companies

Hans Peter Arp, Norwegian Geotechnical Institute and Anna Lennquist, ChemSec
Representing Science

17.00 DRINKS AND MINGLE

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