



Provisional Agenda

To the Circular Economy Working Groups Workshops of the project
“KNOWING CIRCULAR ECONOMY IN BLACK SEA BASIN”BSB - “CirclEcon”
21-22 December 2021
On-line sessions

1st Workshop

Title: Georgia's Transition to Circular Economy

Date and Time: 21/12/2021 at 12:00 Tbilisi Time

Subject: A high-level online workshop, aiming to set the basis for implementing policies under the broad banner of circular economy in Georgia.

The participants will offer in-depth discussion and exchange on EU principles and latest reviews, outline the coherence with ENI and BSB strategies and present the Georgian Authorities initiatives.

Time	Topic
11:45-12:00	Technical preparation / Opening
12:00-12:10	Dr. Michael A. RUPP - Principal Administrator, DG NEAR - Eastern Partnership, C.1. Team leader Georgia, European Commission
12:10-12:20	Mr. Alexandre Darras - Attaché, Sector Coordinator Connectivity, Energy, Environment & Climate change, EU Delegation to Georgia
12:20-12:25	Mr. David Bujiashvili - Director of the EU Assistance Coordination and Sectorial Integration Department, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, EU Assistance Coordination and Sectorial Integration Department
12:25-12:30	Mr. Alverd Chankseliani -Head of the Waste and Chemicals Management Department of the Ministry of Environmental Protection and Agriculture of Georgia;
12:30-12:45	Mr. George Kremlis - Honorary Director of the European Commission for circular economy, Non-Paid Principal Advisor to the Greek Prime Minister on energy, climate, environment and circular economy
12:45-13:00	Dr. Dariusz Edward Prasek - International Expert in environmental, social and governance areas and Circular Economy, member of the United Nations Advisory Board on Circular Economy, former Director of Operations in Environmental and Sustainability Department of the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development. Team leader of the projects: "To Map Circular Economy in Georgia" and "Circular Economy Programme in Georgia";
13:00-13:15	Dr. Mariam Kimeridze - Chair of Georgian Society of Nature Explorers "Orchis", Project Manager of Keep Georgia Tidy Project. Director of the projects: "To Map Circular Economy in Georgia" and "Circular Economy Programme in Georgia";

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13:15-13:30	Video- Circular Economy
13:30-14:00	Questions and Discussion

2nd Workshop

Title: Promote Circular Economy to Georgia

Date and Time: 22/12/2021 at 12:00 Tbilisi Time

Subject: Presentation of the project BSB1021 CirclEcon, aiming to promote the broad banner of circular economy.

The speakers will outline the basics of the project BSB1021 and the opportunities for Georgian businesses and society derived from the Circular Economy. The local representatives will have the opportunity to get details about the EU priorities and present their current situation and challenges

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11:45-12:00	Technical preparation / Opening
12:00-12:10	Dr. George Ivaniashvili-Orbeliani - ICSRPA Chairman - “Prospects for Transformation to Circular Economy and New Competitive Strategy”
12:10-12:20	Mr. Alkis Angelos Stavridis - Overall Project Manager-The Project BSB1021 CirclEcon
12:20-12:30	Ms. Elene Chkheidze - Executive Director, International Centre for Social Research and Policy Analysis; ICSRPA activities & deliverables within the Project
12:30-12:40	Mr. Nikolaos Petropolous - Chairman / ERFC Founder; GreenLand Project and Synergies: Opportunities for Business
12:40-12:50	Dr. Dariusz Edward Prasek - International Expert in environmental, social and governance areas and Circular Economy, member of the United Nations Advisory Board on Circular Economy, former Director of Operations in Environmental and Sustainability Department of the European Bank for Reconstruction and Development. Team leader of the projects: "To Map Circular Economy in Georgia" and "Circular Economy Programme in Georgia";
12:50-13:00	Dr. Mariam Kimeridze - Chair of Georgian Society of Nature Explorers "Orchis", Project Manager of Keep Georgia Tidy Project. Director of the projects: "To Map Circular Economy in Georgia" and "Circular Economy Programme in Georgia";
13:00-13:10	Dr. Medgar Chelidze - Key National Expert in Sustainable Development (Deputy Team Leader), "To Map Circular Economy in Georgia", GSNE "Orchis";

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13:10-13:20	Dr. Professor Mikheil Jibuti -President of the Georgian Academy of Economic Sciences, Deputy Chairman of the Center for Innovation and High Technologies, Invited Expert of the project "To Map Circular Economy in Georgia".
13:20-14:00	Questions and Discussion

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