





of the Federal Republic of Germany

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Transforming Islands' Waste Management:

Overcoming Challenges with Sustainable Solutions



	Day 1: Wednesday, 20.11.2024
12:00 - 13:00	Registration & Lunch
13:00 - 13:30	Opening Session (Moderation: Beatrice Decker, RETech)
	Welcome Remarks by the Federal Environment Ministry Charlotte Dieter (BMUV)
	Welcome Remarks by German RETech Partnership Dr. Armin Vogel (Chairman RETech)
	Keynote Eddy Frank Vásquez-Sánchez (UN & Parley for the Oceans, Video)
13:30 - 14:40	Islands' Waste Management - General Best Practice Projects (Moderation: Beatrice Decker, RETech)
	Focus: Caribbean Islands (Project CAP) Kathryn Youngblood (University of Georgia College of Engineering)
	Focus: Caribbean Islands - Aruba (Project CAP) Juliet Carvalhal (Ministry of Transport, Integrity, Nature & Senior Affairs)
	Focus: Mediterranean Sea (Pantelleria) Alberto Sala (Altereko sas)
	Focus: Baltic Sea - Denmark (Project Bornholm) Britta Detlefsen (Bornholms Affaldsbehandling (BOFA))
	Q&A
14:40 - 15:00	Coffee Break
15:00 - 16:00	Islands' Waste Management - Spotlight Projects (Moderation: Beatrice Decker, RETech)
	Focus: Maldives (Project Promise, Tourism) Evita Hegemann (adelphi)
	Focus: Indonesia - Bali (Project STOP, Plastics, Local Society) Loecky Harvianto (Systemiq)
	Focus: Mauritius (Project OACPS, WtE) Hassim Pondor (TAS – Trans Africa Services)
	Q&A
16:00 - 17:30	Topic Islands (Moderation: Beatrice Decker, RETech)
	Time to Exchange for a deeper Overview and Understanding of the Session and Topics Meeting Experts
	Solid Waste Management
	Organic Residues
	Recyclables
	European Union
18:30 - 23:00	Networking Dinner
	Day 2: Thursday, 21.11.2024
09:00 - 09:30	Registration & Coffee
09:30 - 10:30	Panel Discussion (Moderation: Anja Schwetje, UBA)
	Identification and Summarizing of the main Challenges Islands are facing
	Timo Krause (Nehlsen GmbH & Co. KG) Juliet Carvalhal (Ministry of Transport, Integrity, Nature & Senior Affairs) Aurel Lübke (Compost Systems GmbH) Joanna Constantinidou (Department of Environment Cyprus)
10:30 - 10:45	Workshop - Overcoming Challenges with Sustainable Solutions (Moderation: Beatrice Decker, RETech and Experts)
10.00 10.40	1) Islands' specific Economy and Tourism
	2) Land based Infrastructure and general Waste Management
	3) Maritime related Aspects, incl. Harbors
10:45 - 11:00	Settling in Groups with Coffee
11:00 - 13:00	Station 1 - 3
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch
14:00 - 15:00	Station 1 - 3
15:00 - 15:30	Coffee Break
15:30 - 16:30	Presentation of the Results & Discussion (Moderation: Anja Schwetje, UBA with our Experts)
16:30 - 16:40	Closing Remarks Dr. Armin Vogel (Chairman RETech)
	Day 3: Friday, 22.11.2024 (only on invitation)
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