

Sustainable Materials Reuse to Promote a Circular Economy

Policy Solutions Lab

November 4, 2016

Agenda

1:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Lunch from 12 – 1pm, Networking Reception at 4 pm

Rooms 220-222
 Vancouver Convention Centre West
 1055 Canada Place, Vancouver
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Workshop Objectives:

- Understand the landscape on sustainable materials management and how policies are accelerating or inhibiting the transition towards a circular economy;
- Assess barriers and enablers to materials management and reuse;
- Identify potential solutions to scale up action on material reuse within and across sectors that accelerate the transition towards a circular economy.



1:00 pm	<p>Welcome and Context Setting</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Malcolm Brodie, National Zero Waste Council • Andrea Brown, World Business Council for Sustainable Development <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Workshop objectives ○ Overview of global and national landscape
1:15 pm	<p>Roundtable Introductions</p>
1:25 pm	<p>Business Panel: Perspectives on Materials Reuse in North America (50 min)</p> <p><i>Business leaders share their perspectives on optimizing circular material flows and enabling materials reuse.</i></p>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Nadine Gudz, Interface • David Redfern, Lafarge Canada • Elena Papakosta, Dell Canada • Gary Calicdan, Lush
2:15 pm	<p>Discussion: Barriers (30 min)</p> <p><i>Moderated discussion to solicit participant’s experience and insights on enhancing materials reuse.</i></p>
2:45 pm	<p>Discussion: Actions and Solutions (30 min)</p> <p><i>Moderated discussion to identify solutions to enhance material reuse within and across sectors towards a circular economy.</i></p>
3:20 pm	<p>Report out and Prioritization of Actions and Solutions (30 min)</p>
3:45 pm	<p>Next Steps and Wrap Up</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Malcolm Brodie, National Zero Waste Council • Andrea Brown, World Business Council for Sustainable Development
4:00 pm	<p>Networking Reception</p>