

# MONITORING PROGRESS IN EUROPE'S CIRCULAR ECONOMY

## THE BELLAGIO PROCESS



### Webinar 2 – Monitoring Experience (Non-national entities) The 'how to monitor' question

**Aim:** With a point of departure in a first draft of the Bellagio declaration, a select number of representatives of non-national stakeholders (cities, regions, industry, civil society and sectoral representatives) are invited to present initiatives around CE monitoring. This will be followed by a discussion on roles of non-national reporting, gaps in monitoring, relevant monitoring principles and possible strategies to fill some of the gaps.

**Thursday 18 June 2020 – 10:00 – 13:00 (CEST)**

Time	Agenda item
09.55 – 10.00	<b>Connection to WebEx open for participants</b>
10.00 – 10.20	<p><b>Welcome and overview of the agenda</b> Peder Jensen, Expert on resource efficiency in a circular economy (EEA)</p> <p><b>Overview of the Bellagio Process and introduction to the draft Bellagio Declaration</b> Alfredo Pini, Technologist Manager (ISPRA)</p>
10.20 – 10.35	<p><b>The involvement of cities and regions in the monitoring of circular economy</b> Philippe Micheaux Naudet, Programme Coordinator Greening the Economy, Eco-Innovation and Circular Economy, Association of Cities and Regions for sustainable Resource management (ACR+) Elina Ojala, European Green Capital, Lahti, Finland</p>
10.35 – 10.50	<b>Discussion</b>
10.50 – 11.05	<p><b>Innovative approaches to circular economy monitoring – use of non-traditional datasets</b> Karl Vrancken, Research Manager Sustainable Materials, VITO</p> <p><b>Taxonomy for sustainable business activities and its relevance for circular economy</b> Andreas Barkman, Senior expert for sustainable finance (EEA)</p>
11.05 – 11.20	<b>Discussion</b>
11.20 – 11.25	<b>5-minute comfort break</b>
11.25 – 11.40	<p><b>The involvement of sectoral organizations in the monitoring of circular economy</b> <b>Plastics:</b> Tobias Nielsen, Researcher, Swedish Environmental Research Institute (IVL); Giuseppe Riva, Director, Plastics Europe Italy <b>Consumption footprint of products:</b> Serenella Sala, Project Officer, Scientific Research, Joint Research Centre of the European Commission (JRC)</p>
11.40 – 11.55	<b>Discussion</b>
11.55 – 12.55	<p><b>Moderated discussion around the role of non-country entities when it comes to monitoring of circular economy</b> Co-moderated by EEA/ISPRA Bio-economy and its relevance for Circular Economy, Fabio Fava, Prof. University of Bologna The first part of the discussion will be between the speakers and a number of invited discussants. This will be followed by a part where all participants are invited to contribute.</p>
12.55 – 13.00	<p><b>Wrap up</b> Peder Jensen, Expert on resource efficiency in a circular economy (EEA)</p>

