

BRATISLAVA

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May 22-23, 2023

REACH CONFERENCE BRATISLAVA 2023



EU CHEMICALS LEGISLATION—Towards a new REACH 2.0
IMPACT AND STRATEGIES

AUTHORISATION; EVALUATION; RESTRICTIONS



REACH 2.0's MAIN FOCUS ON IMPROVING / UPDATING RISK
MANAGEMENT

CHEMICALS MANAGEMENT BEYOND REACH ENFORCEMENT

The official language of the REACH Conference 2023 is English.



REACH CONFERENCE 2023

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European Precious Metals
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REACH Conference 2023 is organized for the thirteenth time combining lecturers and participants from different sectors of industry, authorities, academia and other stakeholders. Now REACH legislation reached the important milestone and REACH 2.0. is in front of us. To manage all new requirements will be a challenge.

The European Commission published a chemicals strategy for sustainability on 14 October 2020. It is part of the EU's zero pollution ambition, which is a key commitment of the European Green Deal.

Some of recent actions listed below:

- 19 December 2022 - Commission proposed a revised Regulation on classification, labelling and packaging of chemicals (CLP) and introduced new hazard classes;
- 8 December 2022 - Recommendation on a framework for safe and sustainable by design chemicals;
- 10 June 2022 - Commission clarifies definition on nanomaterials;
- 25 April 2022 - Commission publishes REACH Restrictions Roadmap.

So what are the main topics of REACH Conference 2023?

- Expected new requirements (other than on Risk Management) affecting registration and safe use demonstration for registrants;
- REACH 2.0 's main focus on improving / updating Risk Management;
- Chemicals management beyond REACH;
- Enforcement;
- Other initiatives - PARC: investment in new science and data in support of chemicals.

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Simply there is a lot of what to discuss so you should not miss this opportunity!

The most important topics to be discussed:

- EU CHEMICALS LEGISLATION—Industry sectors REACH / CLP Impact and Strategies
- REACH 2.0
 - REACH Registration Consequences
 - MAF Factor
 - Low Volume Chemicals
 - Polymers
 - Risk Assessment
 - Enforcement
 - Chemicals Management
 - Tools and Solutions

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- Cosmetics
- risk assessment...risk management...

SDS, eSDS, exposure scenarios...

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Chemicals Management



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22 May Monday



8,15–8,45

REGISTRATION OF PARTICIPANTS

8,45–9,00

REACH Conference 2023 opening
Martin Murín, Ekotox Centers

SESSION 1

Expected new requirements affecting registration and safe use demonstration for registrants & downstream users

9,00–9,30

Mixture Assessment Factor: a challenge for most registrants
Hugo WAETERSCHOOT, Chemicals Management Advisor, Eurometaux

9,30–10,00

Low Volume chemicals: finding the right balance between knowledge and relevancy
France CAPON, Secretary General, European Precious Metals Federation

10,00–10,30

Polymers: a large new territory requiring a pragmatic approach
Filipe ALMEIDA, Director Product Stewardship, European Chemical Industry Council, Cefic

BREAK

10,30–11,00

COFFEE BREAK

PANEL SESSION 1

11,00–12,00

Panel discussion led by Dunja DRMAČ, Manager Chemicals Legislation (REACH), Cefic
The attendance of the presenters, authorities, local NGOs, industry representatives

BREAK

12,00-12,45

LUNCH

12,45–13,00

EU Chemicals legislation—vision for healthier Europe
Martin HOJSÍK, member of Renew Europe group, European Parliament

SESSION 2

SESSION 2 REACH 2.0 's main focus on improving / updating Risk Management

13,00–13,40

REACH Revision - Overview and Implementation Plan
Finn PEDERSEN, Seconded National Expert at European Commission

13,40–14,10

Building Block of the (overall) Reform: what to expect and key issues for industry
France CAPON, Secretary General, European Precious Metals Federation

14,10–14,40

REACH Authorisation & Restriction Reform: the perspective of industrial and professional users
Clemens ROSENMAYR, EU Representation Wirtschaftskammer Österreich, Austrian Federal Economic Chamber

BREAK

14,40-15,00

COFFEE BREAK

15,00–15,30

Designing Future Group Restrictions: lessons from the past and present
Triin KAUP, Senior Policy Officer, European Apparel and Textile Confederation—EURATEX

15,30–16,00

Towards Effective Regulatory Risk Management
Dunja DRMAČ, Manager Chemicals Legislation (REACH), European Chemical Industry Council - Cefic

PANEL SESSION 2

16,00–17,00

Panel discussion led by Hugo WAETERSCHOOT, Chemicals Management Advisor
Eurometaux - European Metals Association
The attendance of the presenters, authorities, local NGOs, industry representatives

17,00–17,45

GLASS of WINE and Corridor Discussions

19:30

DINNER



23 May Tuesday



SESSION 3		Chemicals Management beyond REACH 2.0
9,00–9,30		How to ensure the balance between Chemicals, Climate, Circularity & Critical Raw Materials policies to make the EU more resilient? <i>Kamila SLUPEK, Sustainability Director, Eurometaux – European Metals Association</i>
9,30–10,00		Transitional pathways: a (sectorial) solution? <i>Filipe ALMEIDA, Director Product Stewardship, European Chemical Industry Council - Cefic</i>
10,00–10,30		From the substance design to the end of life <i>Pierre GERMAIN, Technical and Regulatory Affairs Manager, European Association of Chemical Distributors–Fecc</i>
BREAK	10,30–11,00	COFFEE BREAK
11,00–12,00		Panel discussion led by France CAPON , Secretary General, European Precious Metals Federation The attendance of the presenters, authorities, local NGOs, industry representatives
BREAK	12,00–12,45	LUNCH
12,45–13,00		A tool for Chemical Management, CLP Classification & Regulatory Compliance <i>Product Development & Regulatory Affairs, CHEMDOX GmbH</i>
SESSION 4		Chemicals – Knowledge base, Rights to know, Enforcement
13,00–13,20		Partnership for the Assessment of Risks from Chemicals (PARC) <i>Lubica MURÍNOVÁ, Head of Environmental Medicine Dpt., Slovak Medical University</i> <i>Violaine VEROUGSTRAETE, Chemicals Management Director, Eurometaux – European Metals Association</i>
13,20–13,40		Toxics-free Economy, Consumer Right to Know and the Chemicals Transparency in Products for Downstream Users <i>Karolína BRABCOVÁ, Toxic Substances and Wastes, Arnika</i>
13,40–14,00		Fair Play: need for better enforcement in Europe <i>Triin KAUP, Senior Policy Officer, European Apparel and Textile Confederation–EURATEX</i>
BREAK	14,00–14,20	COFFEE BREAK
14,20–14,40		Update from ECHA's Forum for Exchange of Information on Enforcement <i>Katja vom Hofe, Chairperson, ECHA Enforcement Forum, Federal Institute for Occupational Safety and Health</i>
14,40–15,00		Enforcement activities – articles & online sales <i>Karin RUMAR, Inspector, Swedish Chemicals Agency</i>
PANEL SESSION 4		
15,00–16,00		Panel discussion led by Dunja DRMAČ , Manager Chemicals Legislation (REACH), European Chemical Industry Council - Cefic The attendance of the presenters, authorities, local NGOs, industry representatives
16,00–16,15		CLOSING OF CONFERENCE

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