

PROGRAM
26 September (Thursday)

K. Dineika Wellness Park, Sausoji g. 1, Druskininkai (entrance from SPA Vilnius Hotel)

9:00 - 9:50	Arrival, registration, and breakfast for participants	
10:00 - 10:45	THE XVITH CONFERENCE DISCUSSION FORUM. WASTE MANAGEMENT 2019. OPENING CIRCLE	
	<p>Aistė Lasytė "Miško drama" "Gera diena ateina... kartais"</p> <p>QUESTIONS. INTRODUCTION CIRCLE. REFLECTION OF THE PAST, PRESENT, AND PROJECTION OF THE FUTURE. OPENING SPEECH.</p> <p>Presentation of format, partners, topics, current events, and trends of conference discussion forum for selection</p> <p>"For 16 years now, the community involved in waste management has been coming together at the same time and place to listen attentively to take heed of each other's feelings, needs, expectations, sympathies, and disparities. It has become a place for shared reevaluation of values, search for understanding, meeting, commitment, action, change, partnership and learning."</p> <p>#allparticipants</p> <p>Participants: conference participants, members of the Seimas of the Republic of Lithuania, members of the Committee on Environment Protection under the Seimas of the Republic of Lithuania, representatives of the Ministry of Environment of the Republic of Lithuania, representatives of the Ministry of Economy of the Republic of Lithuania, representatives of associations, representatives of NGO organizations, experts</p> <p>Moderator: Vilma Ramanauskaitė, ILAW partner, lawyer Lina Šleinotaitė-Budrienė, UAB „Ekokonsultacijos“ Managing Partner</p>	
10:45 - 11:15	Conference participants and speakers return to SPA Vilnius Conference Centre	
	Hall A	Hall B
11:15 - 12:30	<p>PLENARY SESSION Video: Sharing of World Leadership Conference 2019: Invisible Forces</p> <p>What is your personal „career“, organizational, state institutional, associative or business strategy in the chaos of change?</p> <p>Systematic evolution of society and organizations: at the individual, organization, sector levels. What encourages changes, what expectations are given by future society? Examples of organizations, environmental protection and waste management.</p> <p><i>Developing strategies for companies, associations, municipalities, and the state under conditions of uncertainty. Why the strategies "dropped" by the state / municipalities do not work? Why the role and power of experts is undermined? What methods will ensure future performance models? Waste management in Lithuania: from managing money / infrastructure / centralized / individual lobbying to rebuilding trust / open dialogue / co-creation of future scenarios and commitment to their implementation. Waste management in Lithuania: from money / infrastructure / centralized / single group lobbying management towards restoration of trust / open dialogue / common future scenario planning and commitment for implementation.</i></p> <p>#news #residents #consumers #industry #municipalities #regional waste management centres #manufacturers #importers #waste management companies #energy manufacturers #public authorities #NGOs #administrators</p> <p>Irena Prankevičiūtė-Blaževičė, „Forvardas“, Organizational Consultant, PhD in Economics, Community Management and Self-Organization Researcher working with multi-country organizations, the European Commission, and the OECD Lina Šleinotaitė-Budrienė, UAB „Ekokonsultacijos“, Managing Partner</p>	<p>PLENARY SESSION Video: Sharing of World Leadership Conference 2019: Invisible Forces</p> <p>Moderator: Vilma Ramanauskaitė, ILAW partner, lawyer Expert reports</p> <p>#news #residents #consumers #industry #municipalities #regional waste management centres #manufacturers #importers #waste management companies #energy manufacturers #public authorities #NGOs #administrators</p> <p>„Advantages and disadvantages of stopping the use of disposable packaging. From isolated actions to legislation“. Plastics. Europe's Plastics Strategy. China's and India's import ban and its effect on the world's commerce of plastic waste. Recycling alternatives. Bioplastics.</p> <p>Strong global movements have affected not only the EU legislation, but also billions of citizens worldwide, while the Single-Use Plastics Directive and the amendments to the Basel Convention were the actual first steps towards more sustainable environment and social justice. Customers are increasingly asking for alternatives to non-recyclable plastics, as the consumer becomes choosy when it comes to the packaging. Packaging is at the heart of the company's socio-environmental strategy. The EU legal framework is prepared for the wider use of high value-added materials of biological origin, which also secures ban on oxo-degradable plastics and collection of organic waste, strengthens the prohibitions on the chemical composition of plastics, and implements the Integrated Product Policy (IPP). Not to lose their position in the chemical industry, the organic waste management sector will be forced to develop high value-added products and embrace the best features of the stream.</p> <p>Rasa Tumaševičiūtė, Vilnius University, the Life Sciences Centre, the Nature Research Centre, PhD student</p>
	<p>Engagement and co-creation / sharing of knowledge</p> <p>What will win: power or resistance? From ignorance to the new vision of Lithuania in a global context.</p> <p><i>Supportive mechanisms for effective change management. Engineering of social change. Top-down and bottom-up approach. Evolution, threat, and opportunities in the development of social movements. From bullying to dialogue.</i></p> <p><i>The most successful bottom-up initiatives in Lithuania: what can we learn from them? Emerging trends towards cooperation between public authorities and business in the waste management sector. How do young people see the future of waste management, what do they talk about and what do they actually do?</i></p> <p><i>The forest conservation movement. Waste prevention: confrontation between waste management system and new trends. Zero waste movement in Lithuania: personal and organizational transformations. When will we feel the real effect on municipal waste management systems and start operating in an integrated way?</i></p> <p>Participants: conference participants, Laura Prievelytė-Juknė, Miglė Makuškaitė, Urban Earth Lovers, Valdonė Daugėlaitė, Founder of CupCup, Domantas Tracevičius, VŠĮ „Žiedinė ekonomika“ Expert, Monika Peldavičiūtė, Justina Vidžėnė, Austė Juozapaitytė, „Gyvas miškas“ Coordinators, Mantas Varaška, Mayor of City Kazlų Rūda, Verutė Vitkevičienė, Ambassador of World Leadership, Mentor of „Versli Lietuva“, Co-owner of UAB „Rempaka“</p> <p>Moderators: Irena Prankevičiūtė-Blaževičė, Lina Šleinotaitė-Budrienė.</p>	<p>Current Lithuanian society: Why are we unable to agree and pursue common goals?</p> <p><i>The picture of Lithuanian society according to the dominant types of value creation and how it is reflected in the public sphere; major challenges preventing full engagement and shared goals, both at business and government levels; global entrepreneurship community value chain model – as strategic thinking and sustainable growth tool.</i></p> <p>Domas Zdanavičius, strategic branding expert, founder of ID Navigation, trainer in Entrepreneurs Institute Master</p>
12:30 - 14:00	Lunch	
	Hall A	Hall B
14:00 - 15:30	<p>Re-use policy, legislation, practical models, and good practices Re-use and repair at the heart of the European circular economy. Second chance for products and people: how reuse helps to combat social exclusion.</p> <p>Jana Žorková, RREUSE Europe, Network Coordinator and Communication Manager</p>	<p>Sharing the World Leadership Conference: Simono Sineko "Infinite and finite game strategies"</p> <p>Simonas Sinekas, New York bestselling author, optimist. He firmly believes in bright future and our ability to build it together. Best known for creating and popularizing the "Pradėk nuo Kodėl" concept. His posts on this topic via "TED-talk" are third in popularity.</p>
	<p>How are Ukraine's waste management policy, legislation, and infrastructure developing? What experience will be contributed by Lithuania?</p> <p>Olya Melen-Zabramna, Environment - People - Law (Ukraine), Legal Department Manager</p>	<p>Since 2016, new participants in the legal system – private detectives – have emerged in Lithuania. Can their potential and experience be employed to enhance the environmental protection? How to do it effectively?</p> <p>Olegas Rimanas, Director of Rimano biuras, UAB, Responsible Partner of Rimanas ir partneriai, a group of private detectives in Vilnius</p>
15:30 - 16:00	<p>Kazakhstan and environmental protection. How and why Kazakhstan's waste management policy is changing. Why don't investments, which are worth millions, give the expected effect? How could Lithuania contribute to the development of waste management system?</p> <p>Andrius Burba, Director and Founder of Centrinės Azijos projektai, UAB</p>	<p>Cities and trends in automobilization. End-of-life vehicle (ELV) waste and management thereof: policy, legislation, visions of the future, and impact on present-day's systems.</p> <p>Simonas Dunauskas, Environmental Analyst Vidas Pocius, Automotive Recyclers Association Danguolė Butkienė, Tire Importers Organization</p>
	<p>GreenTech and consumer product revolution. Millennials and sustainability market trends</p> <p>Dr. Pandwe Gibson, Ecotech, President, USA Author of books, teacher and founding member of communities, actively working in education, business, administration, sustainable urban and community development, entrepreneurship and ecopreneurism.</p>	<p>Reports by MiniBoss (Vilnius, Kaunas, Klaipėda) Business School:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sapropel-based seed germination containers Separation of organic waste from food waste and grinding thereof; formation of a habit of separating vegetable waste from meat food waste <p>Domantas Tracevičius, Expert at public organization Ziedinė ekonomika</p> <p><i>The contribution of „Maisto bankas“ and partner organizations on reducing food waste, social and environmental impact of results. „Maisto bankas“ efforts to ensure that Lithuania has a national food waste prevention policy in line with UN's sustainable development goals and EU's ambition to reduce food waste in half by 2030.</i></p> <p>Modestas Bastys, Head of Vilnius branch in „Maisto bankas“</p>
16:00 - 18:00	<p>How long can we be in denial: bankruptcy of packaging waste management policy, regulation, organization, and management? Systemic crisis resolution.</p> <p>Participants: conference participants, Vilma Ramanauskaitė, Partner and Counselor at ILAW law firm, Tomas Šlogeris, Consultant on Packaging and Packaging Waste Management, Counsellor, dr. Feliksas Milutis, Senior Lawyer at GLIMSTEDT, packaging manufacturers and importers, representatives of waste collection and municipalities, Lina Šleinotaitė-Budrienė, „Forvardas“</p>	<p>HOW MUNICIPAL WASTE MANAGEMENT SYSTEMS ARE ORGANIZED. FOOD WASTE PREVENTION. COLLECTING FOOD WASTE SEPARATELY. LEGAL ASPECTS. INNOVATIVE BUSINESS MODELS. WHAT ARE WE REALLY GOING TO DO IN LITHUANIA?</p> <p>THE LEGAL BACKGROUND TO WASTE INCINERATION. Where do we go and do we go the same way with legislative requirements?</p> <p>#municipalities #waste management companies #public authorities #collectors of waste #utility companies</p> <p>Vilma Ramanauskaitė, Partner and Attorney-at-Law at ILAW law firm</p>
18:00 - 20:00	<p>How Ljubljana and Slovenia have become a zero-waste city / country: an example of individual (one-man) leadership, integrated approach, community / employee involvement</p> <p>#news #residents #consumers #industry #municipalities #regional waste management centres #manufacturers #importers #waste management companies #energy manufacturers #public authorities #NGOs #administrators</p> <p>Nina Sankovič, Representative of Ljubljana Utility Company</p>	<p>Handling ash from waste and energy use of biofuels or other solid fuels: policy, legislation, initiatives</p> <p>CHALLENGES TO INCREASE THE EFFICIENCY AND COMPETITIVENESS OF MUNICIPAL SERVICES. Can municipal waste collection become cheaper? How does the cost of waste collection change with the availability of separate collection of food waste?</p> <p>#municipalities #waste management companies #public authorities #collectors of waste #public utility companies</p> <p>Eugenijus Rimkevičius, Technologinių paslaugų sprendimai, UAB, Manager Inga Muiliuvė, Ekokonsultacijos, UAB, Project Manager</p> <p>#news #residents #consumers #industry #municipalities #regional waste management centres #manufacturers #importers #waste management companies #energy manufacturers #public authorities #NGOs #administrators</p> <p>Simonas Barsteiga, CSD Engineers Manager in Lithuania Inga Karaliūnaitė, UAB „Ekokonsultacijos“ Project Manager Kęstutis Skridaila, Environmental Engineer</p> <p>Discussion. Moderator: Vilma Ramanauskaitė, ILAW partner, lawyer Participating the speakers and Ruslan Sklepovič, UAB "Modus group" representative</p>
18:00 - 20:00	Meetings / Free time	
20:00	Picnic. Performance by BALTIC BALCAN band.	

PROGRAM
27 September (Friday)

	Hall A	
9:00	THE XVITH CONFERENCE DISCUSSION FORUM. WASTE MANAGEMENT 2019. DAY 2 OPENING	
9:00 - 9:05	Presentation of day 2 topics. Reflections after day 1.	
9:05 - 9:35	<p>Lina Šleinotaitė-Budrienė, UAB „Ekokonsultacijos“, Managing Partner</p> <p>Waste management from the point of view of the Lithuanian resident's budget</p> <p>#waste management companies #municipalities</p> <p>Danguolė Pranckėnienė, Certified Auditor, Managing Partner, Moore Stephens Vilnius</p>	
9:35 - 10:00	<p>Sharing of World Leadership Conference 2019: Anyone Can Exercise Influence. A Greater Vision – Deltan Dallagnol, a Brazilian Attorney of the Federal Public Ministry of Brazil.</p> <p>#all event participants #waste management companies #municipalities #representatives of state bodies</p> <p>Kristina Mareckienė, Conference Sales Manager Verutė Vitkevičienė, PLK ambassador, "Versli Lietuva" Mentor, UAB "Rempaka" Co-owner</p>	
10:00 - 10:40	<p>Zero Emissions. Zero Cities. Zero People.</p> <p><i>As the system becomes more complex, it becomes increasingly difficult to identify the individual parts of such system and define the relationship between its individual components and elements. It is also increasingly difficult to answer the fundamental question: "Who are we and where are we going?". Do we shape the environment around us or does it shape us?</i></p> <p><i>What is Zero Emissions? A new (relatively) PR product or a serious public aspiration to review the society's needs and relationship with the blue planet?</i></p> <p>Zero City - what is it? A city with an essentially unchanging urban structure and a stable society converting all waste generated into new forms of energy? Or is it just stagnating area, where any change is useless both economically and politically and society is indifferent to any innovation? And Zero People – the masses, whose expectations and attitudes are easy to manipulate with (because free will doesn't exist)? Or a conscious and active society made up of anti-ecologists, which is clearly aware of the consequences of each of its actions, takes responsibility, and follows the Leave No Trace Principles.</p> <p>Tomas S. Butkus, Urbanist, Publisher, Poet, Doctor of Humanities, Director of public organization Vario burnos Conversation with / between Tomas S. Butkus, Urbanist, Publisher, Poet, Ph.D., „Vario burnos“ Director and Andrius Gričius, Visionary and UAB "Uruga" Creative Director</p>	
10:40 - 11:10	Coffee break	
11:10 - 11:50	<p>Why are traditional workplace safety methods ineffective? When will the old work equipment related safety issues become a story? How is Machinery Directive (CE) implemented in Lithuania in practice? Are we ready to work safely using high-tech? Can a robot face the consequences for an employee's injury at work?</p> <p><i>Employees are trained and instructed, they know everything, pass the tests without fail, have all safety equipment in place, but accidents still take place. Rational safety at work knowledge and rules that we know are simply not properly applied in the workplace and such behaviour is determined by our physiological properties - especially emotions. There is a need to find ways to arouse such emotions to make an individual feel responsible and endeavour safe conduct at work.</i></p> <p>#waste management companies #municipalities</p> <p>Raimedas Burba, Multiple Best Occupational Safety Consultant of the Year, Lithuanian-German private limited liability company TUVLITA, Director of Consultancy Service Irma Spudienė, DSP plus Founder and Manager</p>	
10:40 - 11:10	THE XVITH CONFERENCE DISCUSSION FORUM. WASTE MANAGEMENT 2019. Closing / Reflections after the event. Answers to questions.	

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- The organizers and partners are not responsible for the content of reports;
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