



PROGRAM

Tour language: ENGLISH



Arrival in Vienna – Sunday, 3 Sep

18:00/18:30

Welcome Reception and registration for those already arrived
Restaurant "Zum Leupold"

Day 1 – Monday, 4 September

07:45-08:15

Checkout Hotel Regina – Loading luggage in bus

08:15-09:00

Drive to Bioforschung Austria, Vienna

09:00-09:30

Welcome Tour de Table - Introduction - Forecast

09:30-10:45

Key elements and structural and legal framework of successful bio-waste management – experience from Europe and Austria – strategic & legal background, key features, quantities, current development

Florian Amlinger, CEO Compost – Consulting & Development

Maria Amon, Federal Ministry for Climate Action, Environment, Energy, Mobility, Innovation and Technology



Bio-waste and compost strategy – a best practice example from Vienna

Viktoria Wechselberger, Municipal Department 48, Waste Management, Street Cleaning and Vehicle Fleet, City of Vienna

10:45-12:30

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LECTURE & DEMONSTRATION: Compost, an important element in ecological soil and humus management (Eva Erhart, [Bioforschung Austria](http://www.bioforschung.at))

12:30-13:15

Lunch Buffet: **Iss mich!** – Bio Catering
<https://www.issmich.at/>



13:15-14:15

Drive to BIOGAS plant Margarethen am Moos

14:15-15:15

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EVM Biogas Energy Supply Margarethen am Moos LTD – (60,000 tpa): liquid fermentation of agricultural by-products, energy crops, manure; upgrading bio-methane & gas station, use of CO₂ for greenhouse production (Fritz Schwarz) <https://evm-bioenergie.jimdo.com/english/>

15:15-16:15

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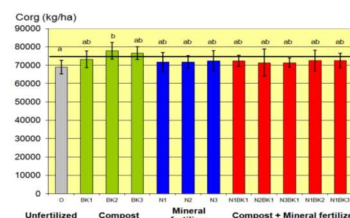
General conditions for successful AD in bio-waste recycling: capacities, green electricity law, feed in tariffs general economics etc. (Franz Kirchmeyr KBVÖ/Compost & Biogas Association Austria) <http://www.kompost-biogas.info/>

16:15-17:30

Drive to Hotel Steinberger - Altlengbach

18:30

Dinner & round table /exchange of experience



Day 2 – Tuesday, 5 September

08:30-09:00	Drive to 3er Hof – St. Poelten	
09:00-11:00	 3ER-HOF Wo Mensch, Tier & Natur aufblühen Bioerde und -kompost Erlebnistour Pferdewelt	Bio-waste and green waste collection and composting scheme in cooperation with farmers <i>Johann Freiler / Floian Amlinger, Waste Management Association of the District „St. Pölten Land“</i> https://stpoeltenland.umweltverbaende.at/ 30 years composting on an organic farm motivation, composting practice and compost use <i>Family Hieret, 3er Hof</i> https://www.3er-hof.at/erde-und-kompost/
11:00-11:30	LECTURE: Towards a deeper understanding of the biology and the technique of composting – PART 1 Florian Amlinger	
11:30-12:30	Lunch buffet served by the farm family Hieret	
12:30-14:30	Drive to Wels	
14:30 – 16:30		O.Ö. Landes-Abfallverwertungsunternehmen AG (Upper Austria Waste Recycling Enterprise Inc.) – Logistics, performance and economics of an provincial integrated municipal re-use and recycling cooperation <i>Christian Ehrenguber, CEO</i> http://www.lavu.at/home.html
16:30-17:30	LECTURE: Towards a deeper understanding of the biology and the technique of composting – PART 2 Florian Amlinger	
18:00	Dinner	sponsored by 
19:30-20:30	Drive Transfer to Hotel Wolfsegger in Upper Austria; http://www.wolfsegger.at/	
20:30	OPEN FORUM, Q & A Session ??	

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Day 3 – Wednesday, 6 September

<p>08:15-9:00</p> 	<p>The Upper Austria agricultural composting strategy</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Historic development • the role of the authorities • environmental and waste licensing and control - important requirements <p><i>Paul Zarzer, Waste Department of the Upper Austria Government</i></p>
<p>09:00-09:30</p>	<p><i>Drive to Composting Plant "Huemer Kompost"</i></p>
<p>09:30-11:15</p> 	<p>From a farmer to a professional compost facility Huemer Kompost (10.000 t/a)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Quality Management for high end Compost products, • Electronic quality management and documentation system, in house quality control and laboratory tests • Compost market <p><i>Rudi Huemer, Huemer Kompost; http://huemerkompost.at/</i></p>
<p>11:15-12:15</p>	<p><i>Drive to Waste Management Association Rohrbach</i></p>
<p>12:30-13:30</p> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How to achieve 0,2% impurities in source separated kitchen waste from households? • Separate Collection for food waste with compostable plastic and paper bags operated by a local farmer • 100% bring scheme for Garden waste to on-farm composting plant • Public relation work and logistics of municipal waste management association – on the route to Zero Waste in a rural environment <p><i>Ursula Salomon, Waste Management Association Rohrbach & the On-Farm composting scheme in Upper Austria () https://www.umweltprofis.at/rohrbach/home.html; http://www.umweltprofis.at/en/home.html</i></p>
<p>13:30</p>	<p>Lunch Buffet</p>
<p>14:00</p>	<p>Visit of the Recycling Centre Rohrbach collecting > 60 waste fractions for reuse and recycling</p>
<p>14:30-16:30</p> 	<p>Visit of the On-Farm agricultural compost plant – a full service partner for <u>separate collection and composting</u>; The farmer has been awarded with the COMPOSKAR 2017 for best quality compost and offers different compost substrates</p> <p><i>Gerald & Karin, https://www.hofer-natur.at/</i></p>
<p>16:30-19:30</p>	<p><i>Drive to Vienna – Hotel Regina https://www.hotelregina.at/de/hotel-regina-wien</i></p>
<p>20:30</p>	<p><i>Dinner in Restaurant "Fromme Helene"</i></p> <p style="text-align: right;"><i>sponsored by:</i>  KOMPTECH</p>

Day 4 – Thursday, 7 September

09:00 –09:30	Drive to Practitioner Day – Composting Plant Lobau, City of Vienna
09:30-14:00/15:00	  <p>6th International Practitioner Day – Composting – Austrian Compost & Biogas Association</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • One of the largest exhibitions and machine shows in Europe presenting latest developments in compost and biomass technologies <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Newest innovations, trends and Visions in bio-waste technologies • Leading companies present their products and services to an international audience • Shredders, choppers, crushers for biomass for all purposes, • Windrow turners at all scales, Screening of compost • Monitoring and controlling compost process and product • Loaders and transport • CompOscar award of the competition of best performing composts in Austria. <p>https://www.kompost-biogas.info/6-internationaler-praktikertag-kompostierung/ http://huemerkompost.at/</p>
15:00 –17:00	Drive to Hotel Rose, Maria Taferl
17:15 – 19:00	<p>LECTURES and Talks:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • ISWA campaigns for carbon recycling via compost and some international success stories (<i>Marco Ricci, ISWA Working Group on Biological Treatment of Waste</i>) • European policy perspectives and challenges for a consistent biowaste recycling - role and activities of the European Compost Network (<i>Riccardo Gambini, European Compost Network, ECN</i>) • National and International Quality Assurance Scheme for Compost – data monitoring and reporting (<i>Florian Amlinger</i>)
19:30	Dinner at Hotel Rose

Day 5 – Friday, 8 September

08:30-09:00	Drive to Composting Plant Seiringer - Wieselburg
9:00-11:30	 <p>Innovative Composting techniques – ~ 20.000 t composting plant:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Separation and pre-treatment of different organic waste fractions before composting or anaerobic digestion • Efficient forced aeration with and without bio-filter systems • Innovative purification techniques <p>Valentin Seiringer, Seiringer Environmental Service & composting plant http://www.seiringer.at/;</p>
11:30 – 12:30	<p>LECTURE: Collection schemes for Bio-Waste: combined collection of kitchen and garden waste, Johannes Kadla, Waste Counselor Waste Management Association Melk</p>
12:30-14:30	 <p>Lunch Wrap-up Q&A Session Certificates & Official Closure</p>
14:30-16:30	Drive back to Vienna ...