

WEDNESDAY 19 APRIL

14:30 – 16:00

TEXTILES AND NONWOVENS, A SUSTAINABLE FUTURE!



Moderator: Gil Stevens, External Relations & Sustainability Director - EDANA

This seminar will feature short presentations followed by a panel discussion.

Presentation 1



Effectiveness of textile fibres recycling

Mark Croes, Consultant Hygiene and Medical - **Centexbel**

- The mapping of textile recycling activities and technologies
- The economic and environmental aspects of the textile recycling technologies
- Some options to advance textile-to-textile recycling

Presentation 2



Circular pioneers in Textiles

Heidi van den Hul, Business Development Textiles and Nonwovens – **fabriCreation**

- Showcases of circular pioneers in the Netherlands
- Recycling integral part of the business model

Presentation 3

Opportunities for nonwoven due to textile recycling

- Introduction of an innovative and future pilot unit
- Automated sorting technology for textile circularity & sustainability
- Recyclable textiles for nonwovens production



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The following topics will be discussed during the panel discussion:

- Which recycling processes are already available for creating nonwovens from textile waste?
- What are the bottlenecks and opportunities?
- Market outlook for post-consumer use for recycled textiles following the extended producer responsibility
- Innovative solutions