

Workshop on the safe use of chemicals by SMEs



The nine new pictograms



SMEs: time to update your CLP labels!

**16 September 2014,
08:30–17:00**

Albert Borschette Conference Centre,
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Workshop programme

Chairperson: Sabine Boehmert, DG Enterprise and Industry

08:30 – 09:00 **Registration and welcome coffee**

09:00 – 09:20 **Opening**

- **Antti Peltomäki**, Deputy Director General, DG Enterprise and Industry
- **Andreas Herdina**, Director & SME ambassador, European Chemicals Agency (ECHA)

09:20 – 09:50 **Setting the scene. What is new?**

- **Roberto Scazzola**, Policy Officer, DG Enterprise and Industry
- Questions and answers*

09:50 – 10:15 **Coffee break**

10:15 – 12:15 **Session 1: The new CLP rules – What are the challenges for SMEs?**

- **Marko Sušnik**, UEAPME / WKÖ
- **Sylvie Lemoine**, Director, AISE
- **Janice Robinson**, Director, CEPE
- **Uta Jensen-Korte**, Director, FECC
- **Cristobal Bernal**, Technical Manager, CARINSA
- **Isabelle Demoment**, Regulatory Manager, HYPRED SA

Moderator: Maarit Nyman, Deputy Head of Unit, DG Enterprise and Industry

12:15 – 13:45 **Lunch break**

13:45 – 15:00 **Session 2: Supporting EU industry and SMEs to become aware of and comply with CLP**

- **Tjwan Tan**, Chair of the Bio ChemTech EEN sector group
- **Jos Mossink**, Head of Unit, European Chemical Agency (ECHA)
- **Ilja van Alten**, Consumer Safety Institute, the Netherlands
- **Andreas Fleischer**, Federal Institute for Occupational Safety and Health, Germany
- **Ludovica Malaguti**, Senior researcher, National Institute of Health, Italy

Moderator: Reinhard Büscher, Head of Unit, DG Enterprise and Industry

15:00 – 15:20 **Coffee break**

15:20 – 16:45 **Session 3: A safe use of chemicals in Europe – looking ahead**

Panel discussion

- **Otto Linher**, Deputy Head of Unit, DG Enterprise and Industry
- **Elke Schneider**, Project Manager, Agency for Safety and Health at Work
- **Björn Hansen**, Head of Unit, DG Environment
- **Karola Grodzki**, Policy Officer, DG Employment
- **Craig Barker**, Programme Product Stewardship, CEFIC
- **Sylvia Maurer**, Head of Sustainability and Safety, BEUC
- **Tony Musu**, Senior Researcher, European Trade Union Confederation (ETUC)

Moderator: Cristina de Avila, Deputy Head of Unit, DG Environment

16:45 – 17:00 **Closing Remarks**

- **Gwenole Cozigou**, Director, DG Enterprise and Industry