

20th The Research Forum on the Recycling Technology of Rare Metals

Main Title : Outlook of Circular Economy Vision and Resource Recycling - Circular Economy in EU and Japan -

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The Resources Processing Society of Japan,
The Ecomaterials Forum, the Society of Non-traditional Technology,
Date : March 18, 2021 (Thursday), 15:00-18:30 (Japan time)
Join Forum : Online (with Zoom)

Program

Japan Time
(UTC+1)

- 15:00 - 15:10
(7:00 - 7:10) **Greetings by the representative of the Committee.**
Toyohisa Fujita,
Chairperson, the Research Forum on the Recycling Technology of Rare Metals.
- 15:10 - 15:55
(7:10 - 7:55) **Lecture 1**
What is Circular Economy (CE) ? - The Role of Japanese venous industry for the CE. -
Kohmei Halada,
Emeritus Researcher, the National Institute for Materials Science.
Chairperson, the Sustainability Design Institute.
Chairperson, the Society for Circular Economy and Global Multi-value Circulation.
Chairperson, the Ecomaterials Forum, the Society of Non-traditional Technology.
- 15:55 - 16:40
(7:55 - 8:40) **Lecture 2**
Challenges and Future Direction of Circular Economy (CE). - Strong and Weak Points in Resource Recycling in Japan-EU. -
Takashi Nakamura,
Emeritus Professor, Tohoku University.
Director, Fukuoka Research Commercialization Center for Recycling System.
Chairman, ISO/TC323 Circular economy Committee in Japan.
Director, the Research Forum on the Recycling Technology of Rare Metals.
- 16:40 - 17:25
(8:40 - 9:25) **Lecture 3**
Circular Economy in the EU - Recent Policy Initiatives and Trends in Resource-efficiency. -
Arnold Tukker,
Professor of Industrial Ecology and Director of the Institute of Environmental Sciences (CML), Leiden University, Netherlands.
- 17:25 - 17:35
(9:25 - 9:35) **Break (at Zoom Breakout Room).**
- 17:35 - 18:25
(9:35 - 10:25) **Discussion with Lecturers and Participants.**
- 18:25 - 18:30
(10:25 - 10:30) **Closing Remark**
Yoshiaki Imai,
Director, the Research Forum on the Recycling Technology of Rare Metals.
- 18:40 - 19:30
(10:40 - 11:30) **Exchange Meeting with Zoom.**