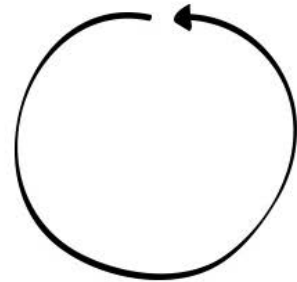


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Seeing is Believing – and this is why we invite our students, employees and partners to this

**Triple site visit @ Energie AG Umwelt Service, Walter Kunststoff Recycling and Walter Plastics Technologies
Friday, 17th May, 2019 – 9:00-17:00**

exciting field trip all along the plastics life cycle! See how valuable plastic resources are collected from consumers, sorted in high tech facilities and ultimately (re)produced to quality products using recycled content. This tour is part of JKU's pledge for the *Global Commitment*!

Hosts: JKU – Institute for Integrated Quality Design (IQD)
Erik Hansen, Head of the Institute

Cleantech-Cluster
David Schönmayr, Head of Circular Economy Innovation

Registration *Anna Morpurgo, anna.morpurgo@jku.at, 0732-2468-5521*
Please register until 6th of May!

Follow the circular plastics: *The example of food packaging foil*

17.05.2019 10:00 - 17:00 Uhr



Programme

09:00 Meeting point – Central railway station Linz

STATION 1 – Energie AG Umwelt Service l Hörsching

09:10 – 09:40 Travel and Introduction to the company:
„Post-Consumer Plastics: Collection, sorting, detecting, treatment by other partners”

09:40 – 11:00 Briefing and site visit

STATION 2 – Walter Kunststoff Recycling l Wels

11:10 – 11:30 Travel

11:30 – 12:30 Introduction to the company and discussion:
„Recycling of post-consumer foils to regranulate“

12:30 – 13:00 Lunch

13:00 – 14:00 Site visit

STATION 3 – Walter Plastics Technologies l Gunskirchen

14:00 – 14:20 Travel

14:30 – 15:30 Introduction to the company and discussion:
“Usage of regranulates in the plastics production”

15:30 – 16:15 Site visit

16:15 – 17:00 Travel back to Linz Central railway station

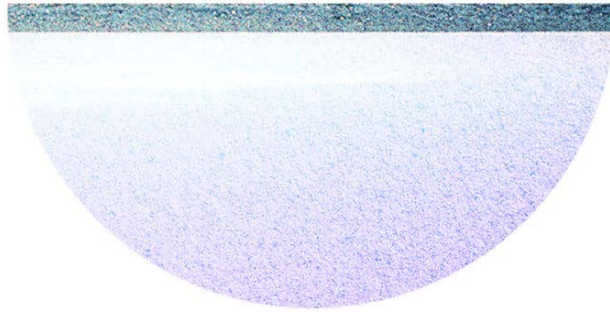
¹ This field trip also contributes to the role of Johannes Kepler University as a signatory of the Ellen MacArthur Foundation’s “New Plastic Economy Global Commitment” with the following targets (<https://newplasticseconomy.org/projects/global-commitment>):

- *Eliminate problematic or unnecessary plastic packaging and move from single-use to reuse packaging models*
- *Innovate to ensure 100% of plastic packaging can be easily and safely reused, recycled, or composted by 2025*
- *Circulate the plastic produced, by significantly increasing the amounts of plastics reused or recycled and made into new packaging or products*

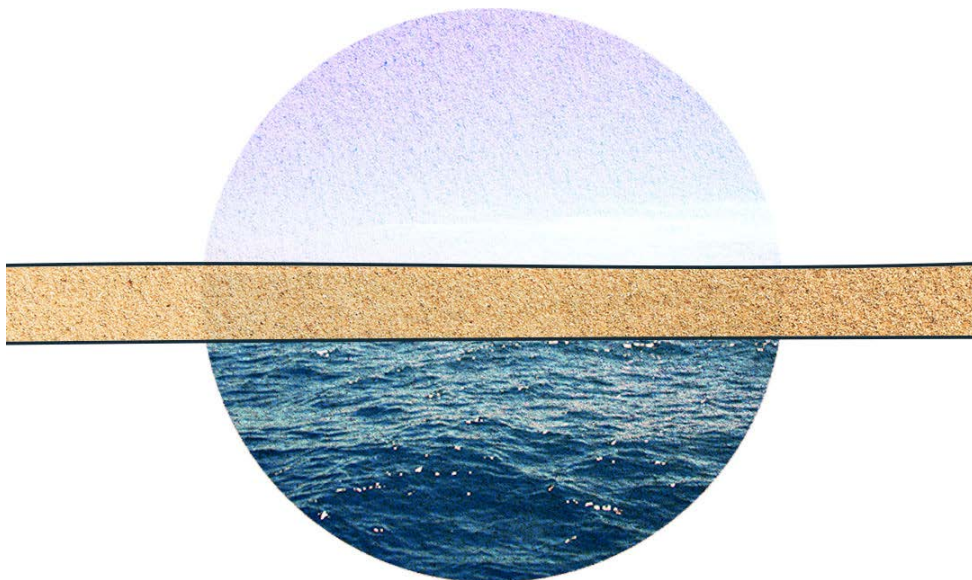


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WORLD WITHOUT PLASTIC POLLUTION
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