

**RSB Transition Leaders Forum**  
**ParkRoyal Collection Marina Bay, Singapore**  
 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2023



Join RSB as we bring together Transition Leaders from across industry, civil society, academia and the finance community to advance sustainable solutions to the climate crisis in the region via the bio- and circular economies. Whether you are looking at building new materials supply chains or transitioning to low-carbon fuels, join us to build a strong, sustainable foundation that will help to future-proof the feedstock and investment decisions you make today.

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Time	Session	Speakers
8.30am-9am	<b>Registration and welcome coffee</b> <i>Atrium Ballroom at ParkRoyal Collection Marina Bay</i>	
9am-9.45am	Welcome	<b>Elena Schmidt</b> , Executive Director, <b>RSB</b> <b>Jacqueline Lam</b> , Sustainability Policy & Partnerships, <b>The Boeing Company</b> <b>Maiju Helin</b> , Head of Sustainability and Regulatory Transformation, <b>Neste</b>
9.45am-10.45am	<b>Ensuring Credible Claims with Sustainable Supply Chains</b> At a fundamental level, all organisations are on an urgent path to decarbonisation. But getting that right and ensuring that decarbonisation is linked to broader positive impacts is where Transition Leaders can set themselves apart – and create credible claims to fulfil consumer demand for truly sustainable products. In this session, we will explore how organisations can make the right decisions today that will ensure credible claims and regulatory compliance.	<b>Nicola Noponen</b> , Technical Director, <b>RSB</b> <b>Ace Fung</b> , Manager of Sustainability and Regulatory Transformation, <b>Neste</b> <b>Vishnu Sridhar</b> , Sustainability and Innovation Director, <b>P&amp;G Beauty AMA</b>
10.45am-11.15am	<b>Coffee Break</b>	
11.15am-12.45pm	<b>Sustainable feedstock, sustainable landscapes</b> Transitioning to a bio-based and circular economy requires industries to switch from fossil to renewable feedstock. In this session we will explore how sustainability considerations are being integrated in feedstock assessments and sourcing, and how important it is for sustainability to be integrated in the very design of the biocircular economy transition in order to achieve wider sustainability impact. Here, we will also address the issue of cross-sectoral competition for feedstock, as well as discuss how we could turn this challenge into an opportunity.	<b>Arianna Baldo</b> , Programme Director, <b>RSB</b> <b>Khoo Hock Aun</b> , Director, <b>Green Renewable Organic World (GROW) Centre</b> <b>Jayant Sarnaik</b> , Director, <b>AERF</b> <b>James Deverell</b> , Director, <b>CSIRO Futures</b>
12.45pm-2.15pm	<b>Lunch</b>	
2.15pm-3.30pm	<b>Bioeconomy's Real Impact - Sustainability in Practice</b> In this session, we will dig deep into what must underpin all biocircular economy development: a robust foundation in sustainability that takes into account local context and supports positive social and environmental impacts. During this session we will explore what 'sustainability' really means in the biocircular economy context, how it is defined and by who, and the regional adaptations and approaches that need to be considered to make it truly practical – and credible. Join us to learn how transition leaders can create an aligned understanding of what sustainability means - to give a clear and	<b>Alex Ehrenhaus</b> , Sustainable Feedstock Expert, <b>RSB</b> <b>Triyoga Widiastromo</b> , Programme Manager, <b>Earth Innovation Institute</b> <b>Himlal Baral</b> , Senior Scientist, <b>CIFOR</b> <b>Law Chu Chien</b> , Country Manager, <b>Solidaridad Network</b>



	consistent message to their supply chain in order to facilitate the development of products that really meet the expectations of brand, consumer and regulator.	
3.30pm-3.45pm	<b>Coffee Break</b>	
3.45pm-4.45pm	<p><b><i>Sustainable Futures – financing the biocircular economy</i></b></p> <p>Unlocking the potential for sustainable feedstock around the world and linking this into existing supply chains will require financial institutions to take big steps into the bioeconomy – a realm outside traditional commodity and energy investing. In a global boom of potential projects, selecting the most impactful remains a challenge. Analysing projects through a lens that looks beyond just the GHG emissions impact, but to also consider the more nuanced topics of social impacts and broader environmental benefits that are increasingly on the radar of policy makers and public perception is essential to future-proofing investments in a world in flux. This session will explore how financiers can advance projects that both support a global shift to nature-based solutions – and generate value. Topics include the new ASEAN green taxonomy, ESG expectations in the region, and the role of financiers in project development.</p>	<p>Roger Charles, Executive Director IBG Sustainability, <b>DBS</b></p> <p>Assyl Ikhsan, Transition Finance, <b>Standard Chartered</b></p> <p>Jacqueline Lam, Sustainability Policy &amp; Partnerships, <b>The Boeing Company</b></p> <p>Oskar Meijerink, Head of Future Fuels, <b>SkyNRG</b></p> <p>Nicholas Ong, AVP (Investment), <b>GenZero</b></p> <p>Hannah Walker, Outreach &amp; Engagement Director, <b>RSB</b></p>
4.45pm-5pm	<b>Closing session</b>	
5.30pm-7.30pm	<b>Networking Reception</b> Skyline Bar at ParkRoyal Collection Marina Bay	