

Renewable Horizons: Biogas & Circular Economy

26.5.2025

10:00 – 16:30 (EEST)

Alere, Wolffintie 31 or Online

MINI FAIR & SEMINAR

10:00 – 12:15 Biogas & Circular Economy Mini Fair

- Biometaanin tuotantolaitos
- Boost Nordic Biogas
- Hajautettu biokaasun Tuotanto Lapissa
- Mirka
- MAP-UP-P2X
- Nature Refines

11:00 – 12:15 Light Lunch

- ProAgria
- SF-BioVac
- VASEK

12:30 – 16:30 Seminar

Session 1 – Welcome

- 12:30 **Opening remarks** - *Cynthia Söderbacka*, SF-BioVac's Main Coordinator
- 12:35 **Greetings from Novia** - *Patric Granholm*, Dean at Novia UAS
- 12:45 **Greetings from the Finnish Embassy in Zambia** - *Jan Koivu*, Deputy Head of Mission and Head of Cooperation
- 12:50 **Greetings from HEP financier** - *Kaija Pajala*, OPH

Session 2 – Projects

- 12:55 **SF-BioVac** - *Copperbelt University and University of Zambia*
- 13:10 **BITUPROP** - *Petri Hietaharju*, Postdoctoral Researcher at University of Oulu
- 13:25 **Boost Nordic Biogas** - *Andreas Willfors*, Project Leader at Novia UAS
- 13:40 **Nature Refines** - *Cynthia Söderbacka*, Project Leader at Novia UAS
- 13:55 **Break**

Session 3 – Circular Economy

- 14:15 **Circular Economy in Agriculture – A politician's view** - *Christoffer Ingo*, Member of the Finnish National Parliament
- 14:30 **The Central Union of Agricultural Producers and Forest Owners (MTK)** - *Nora Berglund*, Project Leader
- 14:45 **Zambeef Products PLC** - *Priscilla Dinga Msiska*, Head of Sustainability
- 15:00 **Break**

Session 4 – Biogas

- 15:10 **Gas1** - *Ari Haapanen*, Ecosystem developer
- 15:25 **Rural Electrification Authority of Zambia** - *John Mwale*, Senior Engineer Planning
- 15:40 **Stormossen** - *Johan Saarela*, Chief Product Officer
- 15:55 **Biogas production in agriculture** - *Bjarne Mara*, Cattle Farmer
- 16:10 **Closing remarks** - *Ackim Zulu*, Dean at University of Zambia



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