



TITLE - Online International Conclave on "Sustainable Plastic Waste Management for a

Greener Tomorrow"

Date: 08th August 2022

Venue: Online mode

Expert(s) Profile:

Dr. Kantappa Halake, M.Sc., PhD Designation - Sr. Manager - R&D Company: Megaplast India Pvt. Ltd

Talk: plastic based hazardous waste and industrial solutions

PhD in Chemical Engineering & Materials Science, from Chung-Ang University, Seoul, South Korea; M.Sc. in Polymer Chemistry, from School of Chemical Science, Main Campus, Solapur University.

Dr. Bhim Raju

Designation – Postdoctoral Researcher Company: Kyushu University, Japan

Talk: Plastic Waste Management for Greener Tomorrow

B.Sc. (2005), BEd (2007) and M.Sc. (2009) at the Kakatiya University, Telangana. PhD (2007) at the Indian Institute of Technology, Guwahati (IITG), India.

Dr. Girija K Bharat

Designation – Founder & Director

Company: Mu Gamma Consultants Pvt. Ltd., Gurgaon

Talk: "Microplastic in Wastewater"

She was a **Presidential Scholar** at George Mason University, USA. She has worked with many institutions including CSIR, Tripura University, TERI, USAID, The World Bank. She has drafted the **National Framework on Safe Reuse of Wastewater in India,** along with

other experts. She is the recipient of several awards including the **Women Transforming India** Award 2021 by NITI Aayog, Govt of India.

Ms. Priti Mahesh

Designation: Chief Program Co-ordinator

Company: Toxics Link

Talk: Circular economy for plastics: Toxicity a Barrier

Priti has been engaged in various researches on plastic waste and has been deeply involved in bringing out new data and information related to microplastics. She has been also associated with the issues of E-waste, Bio-Medical waste management and Mercury and has extensively worked on E-waste assessments, model systems, occupational safety issues in healthcare, mercury management in healthcare institutions and bio-medical waste minimization.

Mr. N. Subramanyam

Designation: Joint Director (HSM Division) Company: MOEF&CC, Govt. of India

Talk: Plastic Waste Management Rules and Historical Perspective

N. Subramanyam studied B.Tech in Mining Engineering from Kothagudem, School of Mines, Telangana. He studied M.tech in Environmental Science and Engineering from IIT Bombay in 2010. He worked in Zuari Cements ltd., essar oil and reliance industries for 7 yrs. He joined Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, New Delhi as Deputy Director/Scientist C in 2016 and currently promoted to Joint Director/Scientist D in MoEFCC

Dr. Veenu JOON

Designation: Joint Director/Scientist, Eco-Sensitive Division and Environmental Health Cell **Company:** Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Indira Paryavaran Bhawan, Jor Bagh, New Delhi

Talk: Plastic Waste Management-Impact on human beings and wildlife

Ph.D: Indian Institute of Technology Delhi (IITD), Thesis: Indoor Air Pollution Associated with Cooking Fuels: An Exposure and Respiratory Health Assessment Study in Jhajjar District of Haryana.

M.Sc. (Environmental Sciences) Department of Environmental Sciences & Engineering, Guru Jambheshwar Technical University, Hisar

Received World Health Organization's (WHO) Fellowship on "Community Health Care & Research" in 2009.



