

## Conference Programme ERF

<b>Day 2</b>	<b>Tuesday, 11 November 2014</b>
<b>09.00</b>	<p><b>Parallel session A:</b> Resources for the “Energiewende“</p> <hr/> <p><b>Parallel session B:</b> UNEP’s International Resource Panel (IRP) on Decoupling &amp; Circular Economy</p> <hr/> <p><b>Parallel session C:</b> Sustainable development goals and post 2015 process</p> <p>For more information about the parallel session, please visit the following website: <a href="http://www.resourcesforum.eu">www.resourcesforum.eu</a></p>
<b>10.30</b>	Coffee & tea break
<b>11.00</b>	<b>Short reports from parallel sessions</b>
<b>11.30</b>	<p><b>Plenary session: Sustainable resource use and the role of the financial system</b> <b>Paul Ekins</b> Professor of Resources and Environmental Policy, Director, UCL Institute for Sustainable Resources, University College London, member of UNEP International Resource Panel, United Kingdom</p> <p><b>Alois Flatz</b> Zouk Capital LLP; co-founder of Dow Jones Sustainability Index, United Kingdom</p> <p><b>Anne Mieke van der Werf</b> Director of Energy &amp; Climate, Triodos Investment Management, United Kingdom</p> <p><b>Moderator: Anders Wijkman</b> Co-President of the Club of Rome; Former member of the European Parliament; Vice-Chairman of the Tällberg Foundation, Sweden</p>
<b>13.00</b>	Lunch break

<b>14.00</b>	<p><b>Plenary session: Resource efficiency in business – experiences from EU member states</b> <b>Harald Gründl</b> Institute of Design Research Vienna, Austria</p> <p><b>Paula Eskola</b> Motiva, Finland</p> <p><b>Ander Elgorriaga</b> Ihobe, Basque Country</p> <p><b>Janneke van Veen</b> Public Waste Agency of Flanders, Belgium</p> <p><b>Marissa Lippiatt</b> Head, Resource Efficient Scotland, Zero Waste Scotland</p> <p><b>Daniel de Graaf</b> Section Substance-related Product Issues, Federal Environment Agency, Germany</p> <p><b>Moderator: Bettina Rechenberg</b> Head, Department Sustainable Production, Resource Conservation and Material Cycles, Federal Environment Agency, Germany</p> <p><b>Martin Vogt</b> Managing Director, VDI Centre for Resource Efficiency, Germany</p>
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<b>15.45</b>	<p><b>Plenary session: How can Europe reach a sustainable use of natural resources?</b> <b>Gerben-Jan Gerbrandy</b> Member of European Parliament</p> <p><b>Magda Stoczkiewicz</b> Director, Friends of the Earth Europe, Belgium</p> <p><b>Reinhard Loske</b> Former Minister in the State of Bremen, Professor for Sustainability, Witten/Herdecke University, Germany</p> <p><b>Xaver Edelmann</b> President, World Resources Forum, Switzerland</p> <p><b>Friedrich Hinterberger</b> President, Sustainable Europe Research Institute, Member of UBA Resource Commission; Austria</p> <p><b>Moderator: Harry Lehmann</b> General Director Division Environmental Planning and Sustainability Strategies, Federal Environment Agency, Germany</p>
<b>17.15</b>	<b>Summary and conclusion of the conference</b>
<b>17.30</b>	<b>End of the conference</b>
<b>18.00</b>	Get Together European + National Resources Forum 2014

## Conference 2<sup>nd</sup> European Resources Forum

10-11 November 2014  
Venue: Eventpassage  
Kantstraße 8, 10623 Berlin, Germany

## European Resources Forum (ERF 2014)

After the success of the conference in 2012 with 440 participants from over 40 countries including more than 40 high-level speakers the German Federal Environment Agency is hosting the 2nd European Resources Forum on November 10-11, 2014, in Berlin, Germany.

The aim of the European Resources Forum (ERF) is to provide a European platform for discussion of the issue of sustainable resource use by focusing on the political and scientific debate on this subject. The ERF takes place biennially and is hosted by the German Federal Environment Agency. It seeks to contribute to the development and implementation of common positions for policymaking in Europe and internationally. The ERF is an important instrument for communication on resource issues and for setting up networks and initiating stakeholder alliances at European level.

The European Resources Forum is held in the context of the European Commission's 2011 Road Map to a Resource Efficient Europe and relevant follow-up processes.

The ERF addresses European decision-makers and experts from the fields of policy development, industry, academia, civil society and the media, and, especially, the young generation. The 2014 ERF is expected to draw some 400 participants.

Back to back with the 2014 European Resources Forum, the Federal Environment Agency will host the second National Resources Forum on 12 November 2014 ([www.ressourcenforum.de](http://www.ressourcenforum.de)).

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Day 1	Monday, 10 November 2014
12.00	<b>Registration</b>
12.45	<b>Welcome and opening</b> <b>Maria Krautzberger</b> President, Federal Environment Agency, Germany
	<b>Plenary session: Europe's responsibility for a sustainable use of natural resources</b> <b>Barbara Hendricks</b> Federal Minister for the Environment, Nature Conservation, Building and Nuclear Safety, Germany <b>Maciej H. Grabowski</b> Minister of the Environment, Poland <b>Chris Kuijpers</b> Directorate General, Ministry for the Environment, The Netherlands <b>Karl Falkenberg</b> General Director, European Commission, DG Environment, Belgium Moderator: <b>Maria Krautzberger</b> President, Federal Environment Agency, Germany
15.00	<b>Plenary session: Targets for a sustainable resource use</b> <b>Ernst Ulrich von Weizsäcker</b> Co-Chair, UNEP International Resource Panel, Co-President, Club of Rome, Germany <b>Marina Fischer-Kowalski</b> Head, Institute of Social Ecology, Alpen Adria University, member of UNEP International Resource Panel, Austria

### Arjen Hoekstra

Professor in Water Management, creator of the water footprint concept, University of Twente, The Netherlands  
Moderator: **Harry Lehmann**  
General Director, Division Environmental Planning and Sustainability Strategies, Federal Environment Agency, Germany

16.30 Coffee & tea break

17.00 **Plenary session: Natural resources – to whom do they belong?**

**Shaoyi Li**  
Head Integrated Resource Management Unit, United Nations Environment Programme, France  
**Silke Helfrich**  
Author and Expert on the Commons, Co-founder of Commons Strategies Group, Germany  
**Detlef Schreiber**  
Head, Competence Center Environment, Resource Efficiency, Waste, GIZ - Deutsche Gesellschaft für Internationale Zusammenarbeit, Germany  
Moderator: **Inge Paulini**  
Secretary-General, German Advisory Council on Global Change, Germany

19.00 **Get together**  
**Speech: Wouter van Dieren**  
Instituut voor Milieuen Systeemanalyse, The Netherlands



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### Registration

To register for the conference please visit the conference homepage [www.resourcesforum.eu](http://www.resourcesforum.eu).

### Venue

The 2014 European Resources Forum will take place at the "Eventpassage" conference and event centre, which is located in the immediate vicinity of "Berlin Zoologischer Garten" train station (distance of 100 metres). The venue is 5 km away from Berlin's main train station ("Hauptbahnhof") and 7 km away from Tegel Airport. The Federal Environment Agency recommends that participants travel by public transport.

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