

AFRICER Webinar Series-Invitation and Agenda **“Taking a second look at Bio-waste: Circular economy in Africa” webinar**

Dear participants and interested parties,

This webinar is part of **Eco Amet Solutions’** initiative dubbed the **“AFRICAN ECO-RESEARCH REPORTS-AFRICER”**. It aims to promote the education of circular economy and sustainable practices across the continent. The **“Taking a second look at Bio-waste: Circular economy in Africa”** is the first of the AFRICER webinar series, and it aims;

- To create awareness on the current burden of bio-waste and the need to reduce the load.
- To examine food waste prevention methods, practices, and strategies.
- To assess the feasibility of selling biogas to local businesses.
- To examine regulations surrounding the production of biogas.
- To develop and encourage a waste segregation system in local communities.
- To encourage food waste composting in local communities that will recycle locally sorted food waste to valuable products for sale.

Program Line up and List of Events “Taking a second look at Bio-waste: Circular economy in Africa” webinar.

Date: **31st July 2021**

Venue: **Virtual** ([Register to get access](#))

Time: **12 pm GMT** (8 am Toronto, 8 pm Beijing)

Speakers

(B)energy (Germany): Edoardo Federici

(B)energy is a social business that provides households in rural Africa, Asia, and Latin America with access to cooking biogas in an innovative, entrepreneurial, technical, and ecological manner. This mission-driven business believes that local entrepreneurs are the ones who should be taking up the responsibility for the production and distribution of renewable cooking energy in their community, and it is working with local partners to make it possible.



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Edoardo Federici, Marketing & Communications Manager at (B)energy, will present the unique approach of this social enterprise, its innovative technology, and the real business potential of household biogas.

Topic: Making BIOGAS a business and the benefits of aid-free business. Small- and large-scale biomass business

Fortescue Future Industries (Australia) | AFRICER-Eco Amet Solutions (Ghana): Basil Amuzu-Sefordzi, PhD.

Basil is an environmental advisor at Fortescue Future Industries. He’s also the principal managing consultant at TG Innovation Systems.



Basil holds a PhD in renewable energy and innovation studies. His main research interests are the sustainability of internationally funded renewable energy projects in Africa, sustainability transitions and innovation diffusion.

Topic: Diverting bio-waste from the landfills into resources.

Agenda

Opening Remarks 3 minutes	By organisers
Presentation- 1st Speaker 20 minutes	Basil Amuzu-Sefordzi, PhD- Fortescue Future Industries (Australia) AFRICER-Eco Amet Solutions (Ghana) Diverting bio-waste from the landfills into resources.
Breakout Room Discussions 15 minutes	By organisers The participant will engage in discussions-based topic/case study and present their questions.
1st Poll 1-2 minutes	By organisers
Health Break 10 minutes	10 minutes
Presentation- 2nd Speaker 20 minutes	Edoardo Federici- (B)energy (Germany) Making BIOGAS a business and the benefits of aid-free business: Small- and large-scale biomass business.

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<i>2nd Poll</i> 2 minutes	By organisers
<i>Plenary Question and Answer Session (After all presentations)</i> 20 minutes	By organisers and guest speakers Q&A section
<i>Announcements & Closing Remarks</i> 5 minutes	By organisers

The AFRICER project will adopt an all-inclusive approach of collaborating with all stakeholders in environmental sustainability in and around Africa to create awareness of different subject matters of having a greener economy and starting pilot projects in bio-waste management. This project will be Pan-African with the involvement of both the private and public sectors. From the feedback, these webinar series will be used as baseline data to create awareness and develop circular economy-related projects across the continent in collaboration with all stakeholders.

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