

## **RESET 5th Thematic Seminar** "Eco-creativity, natural fibres, short value chains" Lodz, 17th October 2017



## **@Ambasador Centrum Hotel** Al. Piłsudskiego 29, 90-307 Lodz

09:00		Registration
09:15		<b>Official Welcome</b> – Marcin Pawlak, Deputy Director of Regional Policy Department, Lodzkie Region and Daniela Toccafondi, Councillor for Economy and Labour of the Municipality of Prato.
09:30		Presentation of the RESET project – Besnik Mehmeti, Municipality of Prato
09:45		Introduction to the topic "Eco-creativity, natural fibres, short value chains" – Dawid Stawski, Lodz University of Technology
10:00		Presentation of Good Practices (Part 1) Okra Fibres: Properties and Possible Applications – Dawid Stawski, Lodz University of Technology
	•	Lighter than light – Potential of blends from natural fibres and recycled carbon fibres for lightweight applications – Bernd Gulich & Anna Große, Saxon Textile Research Institute (STFI)
		Digital Heritage – Lorena Vidas & Besnik Mehmeti, Municipality of Prato
		Eco-creation thanks to Design Thinking - Thierry Leblan, Centre of European Textile Innovation (CETI)
11:00		Q&A
11:15		Coffee break
11:30		Presentation of Good Practices (Part 2)  BleNaBIS (CORNET) – Complex utilization of natural (linseed flax waste) and biosynthetic (PA) fibres – step forward to the bioeconomy and textile resource sustainability – Mr. Jan Marek – INOTEX Ltd
		WOOL4BUILD - Isolation material for eco-building based on natural wool - Oscar Calvo, AITEX
		The World's only Natural FR System, Craig Lawrance - Textile Centre of Excellence (TCoE) Huddersfield
	•	Romanian Angora Mohair Fibres: from acclimatized Angora goats to final textile products, Lilioara Surdu - National Research & Development Institute for Textiles and Leather (INCDTP)
		CORK-A-TEX YARN: Eco-Creativity in Home Textiles with Cork - Albertino Oliveira, SEDACOR
	•	Plissettatura Rosalba: handcraft and textile art mixed with product innovation – Enrico Venturini, Next Technology Tecnotessile
13:00		Q&A
13:15		Lunch & networking
14:30		Policy Brokerage Event with exchange of experience & networking – Besnik Mehmeti, Municipality of Prato
16:30		Wrap-up and end of meeting – Joanna Brzezinska, Lodzkie Region





