Markets and Responsible Sourcing: From Forests, For Forests.

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Topics Highlights:
- Sustainable Wood
- Sustainable Natural Rubber
- Sustainable Fashion & Textiles
- Value Chain Integrity
- EUDR
- Biodiversity
- Climate Solutions
- E-Commerce

AM SESSION
WELCOME & OPENING
Opening Remarks by Kim Carstensen, FSC International Director General

PLENARY DISCUSSION
FORESTS AND INNOVATION
Participating Brands:
Birla Cellulose, CMO Group, Hainan Rubber Group, and IKEA
Moderator: Prof. Yanjie Hu, Research Institution of Forestry Policy and Information, Chinese Academy of Forestry

FSC SPOTLIGHT: TODAY AND TOMORROW, THE CONSTANT EVOLUTION OF THE ASIA-PACIFIC

TEA BREAK

FASHION FOREVER GREEN PACT SIGNING CEREMONY
Participating Brands:
Birla Cellulose, H&M, Jiangsu Dasheng Group, Yibin Grace Group, Value Source Group, and more

PARALLEL BREAK OUT SESSIONS:
RESPONSIBLE SOURCING AND FOREST VALUE CHAINS

SESSION 1:
DIALOGUES ON SUSTAINABLE WOOD
The role of wood from sustainably managed forests in low carbon, circular and bio-economy.
Participating Industry Players:
Guangxi Sunway Group, Olam Group, ADEO China
Moderator: Gao Ya, Value Chain Development Manager, FSC International

SESSION 2:
DIALOGUES ON SUSTAINABLE NATURAL RUBBER
How brands and manufacturers move forward to sustainability pathways.
Participating Industry Players:
· Ulrich Antoni, Head of Business Development & Partnerships, Agridence Rubber
· Yang Yu, Vice General Manager, Hainan Rubber Group
· Keelong Foo, Director, TATWIN
Moderator: Sean Nyquist, Value Chain Development Manager, FSC International

PARALLEL BREAK OUT SESSION 3:
DIALOGUES ON SUSTAINABLE FASHION
Participants in this session will look at how to build a stronger, greener tomorrow together in fashion and among brands.
Participating Brands:
Arauco, H&M, Value Source Group, Yibin Grace Group
Moderator:
Devendra Gupta, Value Chain Development Manager, FSC International

NETWORKING LUNCH

PM SESSION
HOW FSC CAN SUPPORT WITH THE EUDR?
Led by Matteo Francesco Mascolo, Lead EU Affairs & Engagement. FSC International

PANEL DISCUSSION
BOOSTING INTEGRITY: BUILDING RESILIENCE THROUGH INNOVATIVE APPROACHES
· Ms. Heidi Su, Head of Sustainability Asia, Suzano Asia
· Mr. Marc Jessel, Chief System Integrity Officer, FSC International
· Mr. David Brunelle, FSC Program Manager, Assurance Service International (ASI)

CLIMATE & ECOSYSTEM SERVICES AT FSC
The session will unveil the true value of forests through FSC Ecosystem Service Claims for forest managers and businesses by measuring the full impact of excellent forest management and fostering partnerships that contribute to solving climate and biodiversity crises.
Speakers:
· Fabian Farkas, Chief Commercial Officer, FSC International
· Rocky Iskandar, Regional Climate and Ecosystems Services Lead, South East Asia, FSC International

CLOSING AND VOTE OF THANKS
Cindy Cheng, Regional Director, FSC Asia-Pacific

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Set in a commercial complex in the heart of the Yanbu area, the hotel is 30 minutes’ drive to Guangzhou and 45 minutes from the airport.

- Guangzhou Baiyun International Airport: 39km
- Guangzhou East Railway Station: 20km
- Guangzhou South Railway Station: 30km
- Foshan Shadi Airport: 14 km

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For more information on these exciting opportunities, get in touch with our team:

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