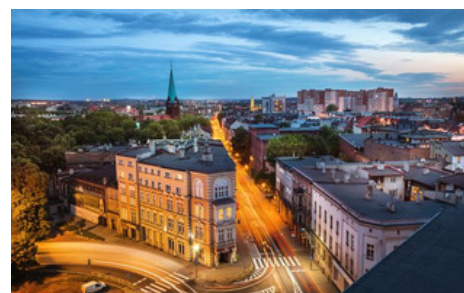


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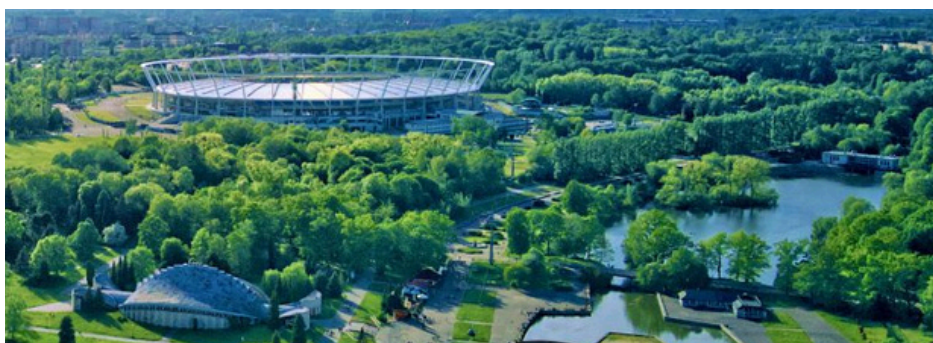
Chemical Management & EU Chemicals Legislation & Product Safety – REACH Conference 2025

POLAND, KATOWICE-CHORZOW, 22-23 September 2025



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Introduction

Ekotox Centers together with partners and representatives of DUCC and European industry associations A.I.S.E., Cosmetics Europe, Fecc and other colleagues and partners from European industry, authorities and NGOs are delighted to announce the REACH Conference 2025 in Katowice-Chorzow, which will focus on the new legislative requirements and its potential impact on companies and member states covering the following topics:

- SESSION 1** Safety of Consumer Products (GPSR)
- SESSION 2** The European Chemicals Industry Action Plan and upcoming revision of the REACH Regulation
- SESSION 3** The Sixth Simplification Omnibus and changes to the CLP Regulation
- SESSION 4** Chemicals – Knowledge base, Enforcement

Official language of the Conference 2025 is English. However titles translation to different languages is possible.

The REACH Conference will be a hybrid event, held both in person and online.

REACH Conference Background

REACH Conference is organized for the 15th time combining lecturers and participants from different sectors of industry, authorities, academia, NGOs and other stakeholders.

From 2019 to 2023, due to COVID, the conference was not taking place. Now, after 2024 REACH Conference in Bratislava we are moving to Poland - Katowice/Chorzow!

We are happy to be able to put together top speakers from chemicals management area again and to facilitate discussions on the topics which will have an impact on assessment and management of chemicals for at least a decade to come.

So the REACH Conference 2025 is to discuss the present and future aspects of the European “chemicals +” legislation, having also GPSR invited expert from the Republic of Korea. Also Ukraine chemicals legislation including REACH (pre)registration will be discussed during the Conference.

Online participation

The „Chemicals management - REACH Conference 2025“ will be shared online through **Microsoft Teams**.

You can join a seminar or the conference from your computer, mobile or video device. Choose the one that works best for you.

The link will be shared to your e-mail address (the one provided in the registration file) for both days 22nd and 23rd September.

In case you will have any technical problems or questions, please **contact us**.

How to register

Registration is possible on the REACH Conference 2025 webpage.

Online and in-person participants will have an access to presentations and panel sessions as well as the REACH Conference documents and web information.

Refreshments, coffee and tea, snacks and lunch are served on the corridors of the REACH Conference venue.

Conference Venue



Free participation and discounts

Free for MSs and EU authorities

30% discount for Academia / Universities

20% discount apply also for the A.I.S.E, Cosmetics Europe and Fecc members.

Please contact the respective secretariats for the discount code.

Access to the REACH Conference 2025 in-person or online will be possible only after participation acceptance by the Conference Secretariat and paid participation fee or after manually checking the free status eligibility.

REGISTRATION LINK FOR REACH CONFERENCE 2025

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

22 SEPTEMBER MONDAY

8.15 – 8.50	Registration of participants
8.50 – 9.00	REACH Conference 2025 opening
9.00 – 9.15	EU Chemicals Legislation to support transition towards safe and sustainable chemicals <i>Martin Hojsík, European Parliament</i>

SESSION 1: Safety of Consumer Products (GPSR)

9.15 – 9.40	GPSR Online Sales and Market Surveillance, Digital Passport, Risk Assessment and Product Safety Requirements <i>TBA</i>
9.40 – 10.00	How to manage the interplay between Horizontal and Sector-Specific Legislation to ensure safety of consumer products: The Case of Cosmetics and the GPSR <i>Gerald Renner, Cosmetics Europe</i>
10.00 – 10.20	Overview of the new EU Detergents Regulation <i>Julie Janssis, A.I.S.E.</i>
10.20 – 10.40	Product classification system for pre-market safety management of consumer chemical products (South Korea) <i>Eunsook Moon, the Institute for Consumer Safety Standards (ICSS)</i>
10.40 – 11.00	COFFEE BREAK
11.00 – 11.30	Panel Discussion
11.30 – 11.50	An update on ECHA's new public chemicals database <i>Anna Daszynska and Gerson Martin, European Chemicals Agency</i>
11.50 – 12.10	Update on the PFAS restriction <i>Martijn Beekman, European Commission</i>
12.10 – 12.30	PFAS – State-of-the-Art, Fecc Perspective <i>Pierre Germain, European Association of Chemical Distributors (Fecc)</i>
12.30 – 12.50	Panel Discussion
12.50 – 13.30	LUNCH

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

22 SEPTEMBER

MONDAY

SESSION 2: The European Chemicals Industry Action Plan and upcoming revision of the REACH Regulation

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| 13.30 - 13.50 | The EU Action Plan for the Chemicals Industry
<i>Hans Ingels, European Commission</i> |
| 13.50 - 14.10 | Upcoming REACH revision
<i>Otto Linher, European Commission</i> |
| 14.10 - 14.30 | DUCC's perspective on future changes
<i>Triin Kaup, Downstream Users of Chemicals Co-ordination Group</i> |
| 14.30 - 15.00 | Panel Discussion |
| 15.00 - 15.30 | COFFEE BREAK |
| 15.30 - 16.00 | Supporting the EU approximation process for Ukraine in the field of chemicals management. Adaptation and implementation of EU acquis and capacity building
<i>Per Johansson, Swedish Chemicals Agency (KEMI)</i> |
| 16.00 - 16.30 | Ukraine REACH (pre)registration & CLP status registration
<i>Martin Murín, Ekotox Centers</i> |
| 16.30 - 17.00 | Panel Discussion
<i>The attendance of the presenters, authorities, local NGOs, industry representatives</i> |
| 17.00 - 17.45 | Glass of wine and corridor discussions |
| 19:30 | DINNER |

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

23 SEPTEMBER

TUESDAY

SESSION 3: The Sixth Simplification Omnibus and changes to the CLP Regulation

9.00 - 9.30	Overview of the Sixth Simplification Omnibus on Chemicals <i>Jérémy Pinte, European Commission</i>
9.30 - 9.50	CLP revision and simplification omnibus: consequences for the detergents industry <i>Jan Robinson, A.I.S.E.</i>
9.50 - 10.10	Ensuring a high level of human health protection at the core of the Omnibus VI (CPR) provisions <i>Solène Flahault, Cosmetics Europe</i>
10.10 - 10.40	Panel Discussion
10.40 - 11.00	COFFEE BREAK
11.00 - 11.20	European Chemical Industry Action Plan and it's Impact on Chemical Regulatory Landscape – BASF perspective. <i>Kinga Świerad, BASF</i>
11.20 - 11.40	CLP revision & Chemicals Omnibus: Regulatory Changes and Industry Implications <i>Tatjana Staruchova, ExxonMobil</i>
11.40 - 12.00	Practical challenges of SME's <i>Aleksandra de Abgaro Zachariasiewicz, Ekotox Centers</i>
12.00 - 12.30	Panel Discussion
12.30 - 13.30	LUNCH

CONFERENCE SCHEDULE

23 SEPTEMBER

TUESDAY

SESSION 4: Chemicals – Knowledge base, Enforcement

- 13.30 – 13.50 Partnership for the Assessment of Risks from Chemicals (PARC), Science to Policy
Lubica Murínová, Slovak Medical University
- 13.50 – 14.10 Control of the chemicals from an inspector's perspective
Dominik Pisarek, Warsaw Inspectorate
- 14.10 – 14.30 **COFFEE BREAK**
- 14.30 – 14.50 Enforcement activities
Tatjana Kolesniková, Ministry of the Environment Czech Republic
- 14.50 – 15.20 **Panel Discussion**
The attendance of the presenters, authorities, local NGOs, industry representatives
- 15.20 – 15.30 **CLOSING OF THE REACH CONFERENCE 2025**

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In previous editions, we have regularly welcomed representatives from the European Commission, the European Chemicals Agency, enforcement authorities, and industry associations such as Cefic, Eurometaux, DUCC, and BASF.



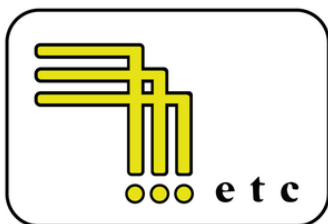
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