
EUROPEAN WOOD DUST CONFERENCE:
HOW TO IMPLEMENT THE NEW OCCUPATIONAL LIMIT VALUE
Brussels, 16 May 2019

DRAFT AGENDA

- 08:30 Registration and Coffee
- 09:00 Welcome words - Jörg Tagger, Head of Unit “Social Dialogue”,
DG Employment, Social Affairs and Inclusion
- 09:05 Opening of the conference -Claude Rolin, Member of the European Parliament
- 09:15 State of art regarding the new legislation – Stefan Olsson, Director “Employment”,
DG Employment, Social Affairs and Inclusion
- 09:45 First Session: CHALLENGES
- Different measurement systems in the Member States
Hubert Gentner, BGHM, Germany
- Wood Dust Measurements in practice
Isabelle Monnerais, OPPBTP, France
Vincent Quint, FCBA, France
- Existing experiences in the concerned industrial sectors
- The Hardwood Sawmill Industry
Michel Astier, EOS Hardwood, France
 - Wood dust reduction in the Furniture and Woodworking Industries
Speaker EFIC
- What predicts wood dust exposure in the furniture industry
Vivi Schlünssen, Aarhus University, Denmark
- 11:00 Coffee break

11:20 Second Session: OPPORTUNITIES

Innovation in wood dust prevention – technology

General overview (hand held machines)

EUMABOIS /Hilti

Stationary Machines

EUMABOIS

Exhaustion systems

VDMA, Germany

12:30 Lunch break

14:00 Third Session: Good practices

“Dust was yesterday” support and incentives for better prevention

Walter Gunreben, BG BAU, Germany

“Visualisation of the exposure of wood dust and how to reduce the exposure peaks”

Ing-Marie Andersson and Gunnar Rosén, Högskolan Dalarna, Sweden

Wood dust exposure prevention: the “Interreg Danube” project

Ana Dijan, Croatian Wood Cluster, Croatia

16:00 Closing remarks by

- Social Partners: stakeholder cooperation and perspectives
- Barbara Kauffmann, Director “Employment and Social Governance”,
DG Employment, Social Affairs and Inclusion