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HOW DO COOPERATION MODELS STRENGTHEN STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT FOR CIRCULAR BIO-ECONOMY

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Christian Schulz is a project manager at European Bioplastics e.V. He is in charge of EU project activities, which include the BBI-JU projects BIONtop and BIOSUPPACK, in which the properties and fields of application, as well as recycling and recovery possibilities of bio-based, degradable food packaging are investigated. He also works with the H2020 projects - PRESERVE and BIOMAC, supporting with project communication and developments of international standards and legal framework conditions.



Marco Versari is Chair of Biorepack, the first Extended Producer Responsibility scheme for compostable plastics packaging and member of the administration board of C.I.C. - Consorzio Italiano Compostatori (Italian Consortium of Compost Producers). Marco has been working as Public Affairs Manager in the Italian company Novamont since 1996.