

RETECH CIRCULAR ECONOMY GCC FORUM

How to Create a Circular Economy Around Waste Management:
A Dialogue with Gulf Cooperation Council (GCC) Countries

Berlin, Germany

As the GCC accelerates its transition towards a more **sustainable and diversified economy**, the demand for advanced waste management and circular economy solutions continues to grow. **Germany offers proven expertise across the entire waste value chain**, from policy and planning to technology and project implementation.

The **RETech Circular Economy GCC Forum** brings together representatives from government, industry, finance, and academia to exchange perspectives, showcase innovative solutions, and foster new partnerships between Germany and the GCC.

The event is planned within the framework of a funding application submitted to the **German Federal Ministry for the Environment, Climate Action, Nature Conservation and Nuclear Safety (BMUKN)**, supporting international exchange and cooperation on environmental and circular economy solutions.



Date:
15 December 2026



Time:
09:00 - 18:00 CET



Location:
VKU Forum
Invalidenstraße 91, 10115 Berlin

Why Attend?



Gain insights into the latest developments in circular economy and waste management across Germany and the GCC.



Hear directly from policymakers, industry leaders, investors, and international experts.



Discover innovative technologies, financing approaches, and implementation models.



Exchange knowledge and best practices with key stakeholders from both regions.



Build strategic partnerships and explore future business and project opportunities.

Participation & Registration

Who Should Join?

- Government representatives and public authorities
- Industry and technology providers
- Investors and development partners
- Business and research stakeholders

Participation is **free of charge**.
Attendance is limited and registration is required.



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Programme Agenda

09:00	Registration & Coffee
09:30	Opening Remarks Welcome remarks by BMUKN & RETech
09:45	Keynote Session Opening Keynotes: Perspectives from BMUKN and Industry Leaders
10:00	Presentation Financing Structures for Waste Management and Circular Economy Projects: International Models
11:00	Panel Discussion Diversification Beyond Landfills
12:00	Networking Lunch
13:20	Company Pitches Best Practice Technologies and Local Solution Approaches
14:15	Workshop Session Expert-Led Sessions on Circular Economy Policy, Technology and Investment
16:00	Coffee Break
17:00	Panel Discussion Project Implementation and Opportunities for Enhanced Cooperation
17:50	Closing Remarks
18:00	Evening Networking Event

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