

Global Action Partnership for EPR





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Thinking ahead jointly – this is our mission. As the Global Action Partnership for EPR, we **connect** practitioners and experts worldwide, **foster** collaboration, and **innovate** the global conversation on EPR.



Who we support

The GAP for EPR is available to international stakeholders as a support tool for the development and implementation of their own EPR systems during the different implementation phases.

Our target group encompasses

- Governments of partner countries that want to introduce EPR systems
- Organizations and institutions that have been mentored by their governments to set up EPR systems, especially PROs
- Other stakeholders, for instance informal sector representatives
- Practitioners and experts who seek to exchange with peers

How we work



We strive for a Common Understanding on EPR

by providing an extensive library of EPR-related documents and hosting public events.



We provide coordinated and tailored Technical Support

to policy makers and other relevant stakeholders (such as PROs) for the operationalization of EPR



We bring together an international EPR Community

- To facilitate the sharing of best practices and lessons learned
- To think ahead jointly and innovate EPR
- To contribute to relevant international processes on EPR

We provide tailored support with our EPR Helpdesk

01

Community of Practice

Host of peer-learning sessions.

Additional and more detailed support through expert pool.

02

Expert Pool

The expert pool provides three levels of support:

- **Short-Term:** Short expert engagement session on pre-defined topic
- **Medium-term:** Consultancy on a concrete case / set of questions
- **Long-Term:** Holistic engagement and consultancy through a separate expert tender

We provide both targeted and flexible support.



01

Targeted country support

Commissioning party: Norwegian Retailers' Environment Fund

Goal: Support of two countries (CEMPRE Argentina, MAREA Malaysia)

Duration: 6 months

02

Helpdesk

Commissioning party: BMZ

Goal: Flexible short/medium-term support to different stakeholders (government, PROs, informal sector associations, and others)

Duration: about 14 months

Zoom in: Community



GAP for EPR Community: Formats

Public events

- Open to anyone
- Sharing of new studies, best practices

Find upcoming events here:

<https://gap-epr.prevent-waste.net/events-news/>

Find recordings of past events here:

<https://youtube.com/playlist?list=PLEtESd2Nqmjq5e7HZQIzvJclTqB4cow0k&feature=shared>

Meetings of the EPR working group of the PREVENT Waste Alliance

- Open to members of the PREVENT Waste Alliance
- Trusted space – potential to discuss more sensitive topics
- Chance to continuously work on a topic with a smaller group if there is interest
- Peer to peer learning

GreenTechKnowledgeHub EPR CoP

- Closely linked to the GAP for EPR activities
- Registration open to anyone
- Forum for questions, discussions and knowledge exchange
- Opportunity to find and exchange ideas with other experts

Priority topics of last months

Public events

- Technical Session Series with EPR Experts
- Presentation of new EPR studies
- Critical discussion to develop the EPR policy tool further

PREVENT working group

- Practical implementation of EPR in different local contexts
- EPR of material streams other than packaging
- Digitalisation of EPR

Outlook: topics and priorities depending on interest of members and partners, recent discussions

Where we're going in 2024



Extension of library



Contribution to international processes



Technical support to Argentina and Malaysia and extension of support service to other countries



Sessions at events, such as WCEF and IFAT Trade Fair



Webinars on diversity of topics



Potential extension of activities to other material streams

Thank you for your attention!

If you have any questions, feel free to contact us!

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