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Agnes Soares da Silva es asesora regional en epidemiología ambiental de la Organización Panamericana de la Salud con sede en Washington DC. Es doctora en medicina por la Universidad Estatal de Londrina y es maestra en Salud Pública con concentración en salud ambiental de la Facultad de Salud Pública y doctora en Medicina Tropical, con concentración en Enfermedades Tropicales y Salud Internacional de la Universidad de São Paulo. En Brasil, trabajó en diversas áreas de atención y organización y gestión de los servicios de salud pública y fue coordinadora de un programa estatal de acciones de vigilancia de la salud pública ambiental en la Baixada Santista. Trabaja en investigación epidemiológica en las áreas de calidad del aire y exposición humana a químicos, y en la formulación de políticas públicas y programas de salud y medio ambiente, con énfasis en la evaluación de riesgos para la salud y la vigilancia de la salud pública ambiental.

Agnes Soares da Silva is Regional Adviser of Environmental Epidemiology at the Pan American Health Organization (PAHO/WHO), based in Washington DC. She holds a degree in Medicine from the State University of Londrina and a Master's degree in Public Health with a specialization in Environmental Health from the Faculty of Public Health, as well as a Doctorate in Tropical Medicine with a specialization in Tropical Diseases and International Health, both from the University of São Paulo. In Brazil, she worked on the organization and management of public health services in public healthcare facilities and was the coordinator of a state program on environmental public health surveillance and interventions at the metropolitan area of Baixada Santista, SP. Dr. Soares da Silva is also an epidemiological researcher in the areas of air quality and human exposure to chemicals, and in the formulation of environmental health public policies and programs, with an emphasis on public health risk assessment and environmental public health surveillance systems.



Andreas Bill joined empa in 2019, where he is working as a researcher with a focus on e-waste management in diverse contexts. Due to his experience as a member of the technical commission and auditor for the voluntary Swiss e-waste take back scheme Swico, Andreas is part of an expert group within the SRI Programme, supporting the development of e-waste conformity assessment schemes and providing e-waste auditor trainings in SRI partner countries.



Elena D'Angelo is currently Research Associate at UNU-ViE/UNITAR SCYCLE. Since she joined the SCYCLE team in 2016, she has been mainly involved in the coordination and research activities of EU funded projects dealing with transnational waste crimes, as well as in research activities dealing with environmental crime, mercury waste and circular economy. Working with the UN since more than 12 years, she has developed an in-depth knowledge of the phenomena related to the illicit transboundary movement and management of waste, including e-waste, also thanks to the involvement in the preparation and development of EC-funded projects CWIT, Dotcom Waste, Waste Force and STRIKE. She recently co-authored the SCYCLE publication on Global transboundary movements of e-waste – 2022 Monitor.



Angus Mackay is the Director of UNITAR's Division for Planet with responsibility for aligning all the environmental activities of the Institute with Agenda 2030. Skills development is a strategic issue that underpins the effectiveness of all national policies, plans and programmes that aim to address pressing environmental challenges, including climate change, chemicals and waste management, biodiversity conservation and the transition towards circular economy.

UNITAR undertakes skills assessments to help countries better understand their learning needs and develop national learning strategies supporting inclusive, safe and environmentally sustainable development. Angus Mackay is a climate change adaptation specialist and lead trainer, and has previously worked for a range of international organisations including the UN Department for Peace Keeping Operations, United Nations Development Programme, UK Department for International Development, World Bank, as well as private sector environmental consulting firms. He has recently been appointed to the Board of the Multi Donor Fund of the Climate Vulnerable Forum (CVF).



Carolina Quadri es Ingeniera Ambiental con más de 15 años de experiencia trabajando en empresas privadas con enfoque en regulaciones ambientales en América Latina. Desde 2015, lidera el área de Responsabilidad del Productor y Asuntos Ambientales de Dell en América Latina, gerenciando el cumplimiento ambiental de productos. Dentro de sus responsabilidades cubre el cumplimiento con regulaciones asociadas a desechos electrónicos; economía circular; sustancias; eco-diseño; eco-etiquetado; compras sustentables; derecho a reparar y programas posconsumo de equipos, baterías y empaques. Ella participa y representa los intereses de Dell con otras empresas, asociaciones comerciales e industriales regionales y locales, sector público, organismos de normalización y demás partes interesadas.

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Daniel Ott has a Master of Science in Environmental Engineering from ETH Zurich and an MBA from Quantic School for Business and Technology. He has more than 18 years of experience working with and in Latin America. Since 2006 he has been dedicated to the issue of the management of waste electrical and electronic equipment (WEEE) in developing countries, with a special focus on Latin America. Between 2008 and 2013 he was Project Director of the "Swiss e-Waste Program Latin America", implemented by Empa and financed by the Swiss Cooperation SECO. In 2014 he participated as an expert consultant in the formulation of the UNIDO PREAL project in Latin America. Since 2013 he is the Manager Latin America of Reverse Logistics Group (RLG), providing support to the electronics industry for environmental legal compliance and the implementation of WEEE collection systems.



Heinz Böni has a degree in Rural and Environmental Engineering from ETH Zürich with postgraduate studies in Water Supply and Wastewater Management. (He worked as a scientist, in development cooperation and more than 10 years as engineer and consultant in Waste and Resources Management in Switzerland.) At Empa he is head of the research group CARE – Critical Materials and Resource Efficiency. His scope of work covers research in WEEE recycling, auditing WEEE recycling companies and capacity building in WEEE management in developing countries.



Leandro Navarro es doctor ingeniero de Telecomunicación por la Universitat Politècnica de Catalunya (UPC) en 1992. Es profesor de la UPC y su actividad de investigación y docencia está centrada en los sistemas distribuidos, la economía circular de los dispositivos digitales, la tecnología digital para el desarrollo y la sostenibilidad, y las redes de computadores.

Es co-relator de la cuestión 7 de la Comisión de Estudio 5 del UIT-T sobre residuos electrónicos, economía circular y gestión sostenible de la cadena de suministro. Copresidente del grupo de trabajo GAIA de la Grupo de Investigación de Internet (IRTF): Acceso global a Internet para todos. Presidente de la Junta Directiva de la Asociación para el Progreso de las Comunicaciones (APC).

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Lucía Herreras Martínez, works for the WEEE Forum since 2013. With responsibility for the technical file at the WEEE Forum, Lucia manages the WEEE Forum technical team, and is in charge of the technical tools and resources such as the Key Figures Database, LibraWEEE, WEEE Directory and the Operations Task Forces and working groups.

Lucía coordinates and participates in the technical activities associated with the various EU funded projects in which the WEEE Forum participates. Lucía completed her bachelor's degree in Marine Sciences from the University of Vigo (Spain) in 2000, and holds a master's degree in Environmental Impact Assessment and Auditing (2003, University of Barcelona).

After graduating, she participated in European Projects related to gender equality. Lucía has over 7 years' experience working as an environmental consultant in a law firm, its clients being mainly in the private industry sector (automotive and electronic). She is an internal auditor for ISO 14,001 and 9,001, WEEELABEX trainer, and developed a legal and technical auditing procedure for WEEE treatment plants.

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Marco started his career as scientific advisor in the Swiss Federal Office for environmental protection working primarily in the development and implementation of national and international regulations on transboundary movements of hazardous waste. After a one year stay in a geological engineering company where he worked mainly on environmental themes, he turned back to the government.

His main focus was then hazardous waste management on national and international level. He represented Switzerland for long years as delegate in the OECD Waste Management Group and was involved in the negotiations of OECD decision and recommendations in waste and resources management. He also represented Switzerland for the negotiations and implementation of the international Basal Convention on transboundary movements of hazardous and other wastes. During his international engagement he was chair of different working groups of the OECD and Basel Convention. As chair of the Mobile Phone Partnership and co-chair of the Partnership on action on computing equipment of the Basel Convention he was a pioneer in introducing the Public Private Partnership approach into the work of the Convention

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