

# FACILITATING A CIRCULAR ECONOMY FOR TEXTILES

WORKSHOP 2021



NIST FACET WORKSHOP

SEPTEMBER 21-23

Tuesday, September 21, 2021

Morning (all times ET)

# PROGRAM

10:00-10:10a

Welcome

10:10-10:45a

Plenary 1: Current  
landscape, bottlenecks,  
and critical gaps

Marisa Adler  
-RRS

10:45-12:15p

Session 1: Boundary  
Spanning Tools to  
facilitate a Circular  
Economy

10:45a

Cyndi Rhoades  
*Worn Again Technologies*

11:00a

Shahana Althaf  
*Yale University*

11:15a

Traci Kinden  
*Revolve Waste*

11:30a

Tonny Colyn  
*Salvation Army Canada*

12:15-12:45p

Break



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# PROGRAM

12:45-2:00p      **Session 2: Challenges with  
Collection, Reuse, Repair  
of Textiles**

12:45p      Prof. Jana Hawley  
*University of North Texas*

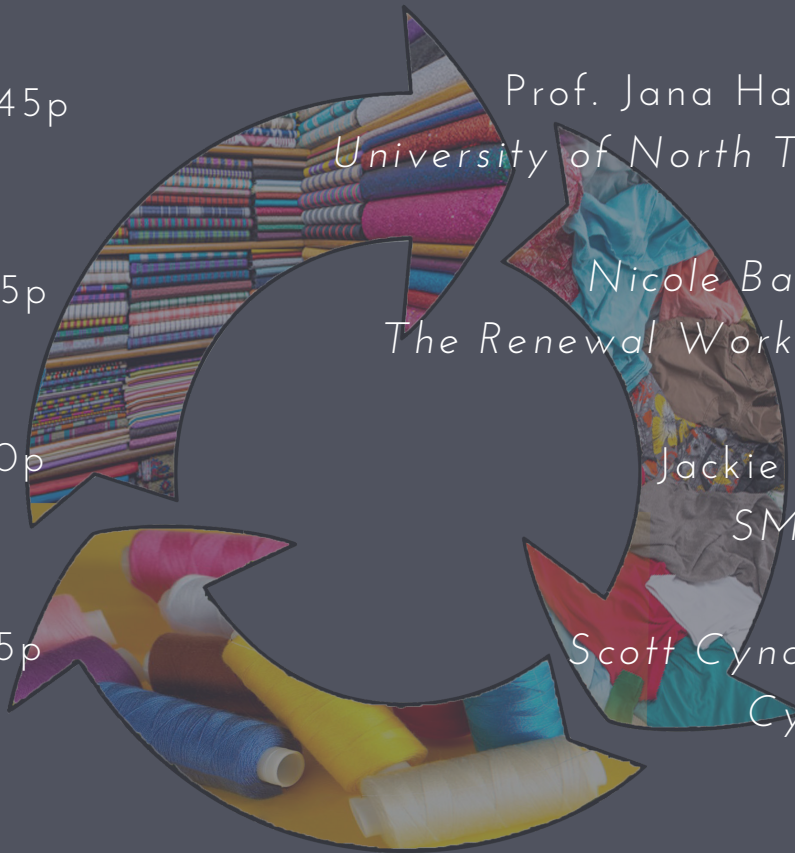
1:05p      Nicole Bassett  
*The Renewal Workshop*

1:20p      Jackie King  
*SMART*

1:35p      Scott Cynamon  
*Cyntex*

2:00-3:00p      **Roundtable A: Data,  
Standards, and  
Terminology**

3:00p      **Adjourn**



Wednesday, September 22, 2021

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# PROGRAM

10:00-10:05a

Welcome

10:05-10:45a

Plenary 2: Consumer  
Challenges and Opportunities

Marci Zaroff

-ECO-fashion Corp

10:45-12:15p

Session 3: Challenges to  
Mechanical and Chemical  
Recycling of Textiles

10:45a

Sonja Zak

Lenzing

10:57a

Franco Rossi

Aquafil

11:09a

Yong Li

Eastman Chemical

11:21a

David Bender

Circular Polymers

11:33a

Karla Magruder

Accelerating Circularity

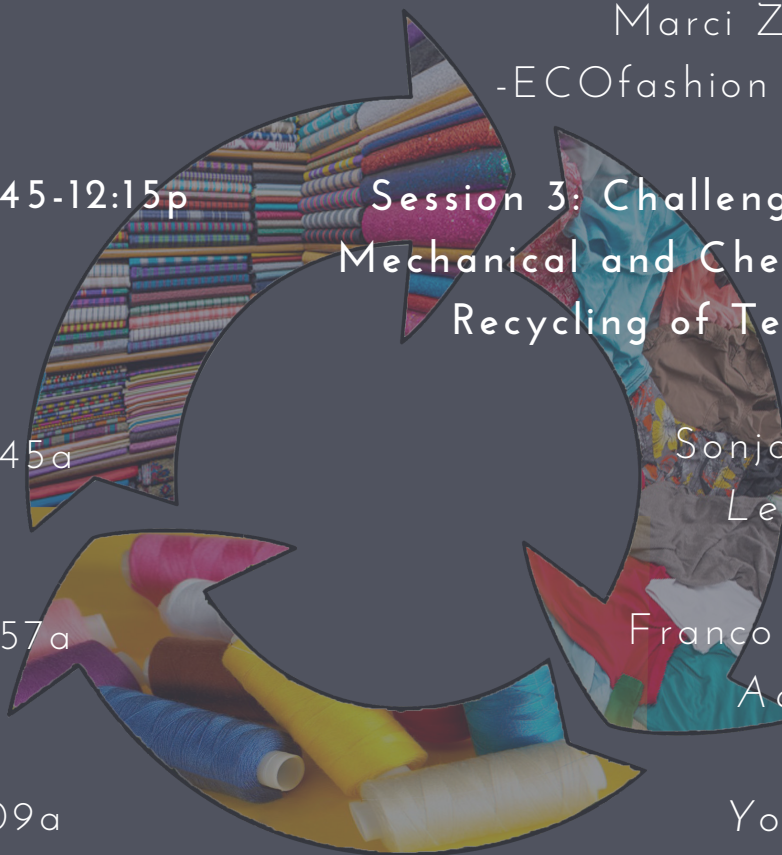
11:45a

Prof. Youjiang Wang

Georgia Tech University

12:15-12:45p

Break



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12:45-2:00p

Session 4: Environmental  
Impacts of Textiles

12:45p

Lars Fogh Mortensen  
*European Environment  
Agency*

1:00p

Prof. Kim Hiller  
*Kansas State University*

1:15p

Yuan Yao  
*Yale University*

1:30p

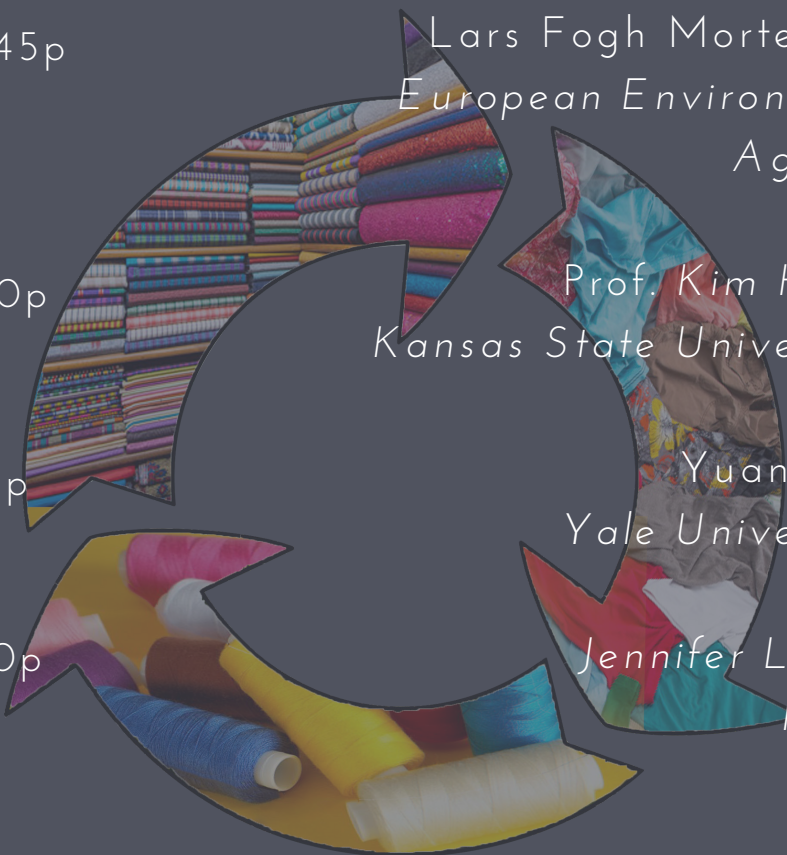
Jennifer Lynch  
*NIST*

2:00-3:00p

Roundtable B: Reuse,  
Repair, and Recycling

3:00p

Adjourn



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10:00-10:05a

Welcome

10:05-10:45a Plenary 3: Sustainable Textile  
Systems

Prof. Kirsi Niinimäki  
-Aalto University

10:45-12:15p

Session 5: Brand  
Responsibility and Best  
Practices

10:45a

Rachel Kibbe  
*Circular Services Group*

11:00a

Natalie Banakis  
*Patagonia*

11:15a

Prof. Katja Beyer  
*Chemnitz University of  
Technology*

11:30a

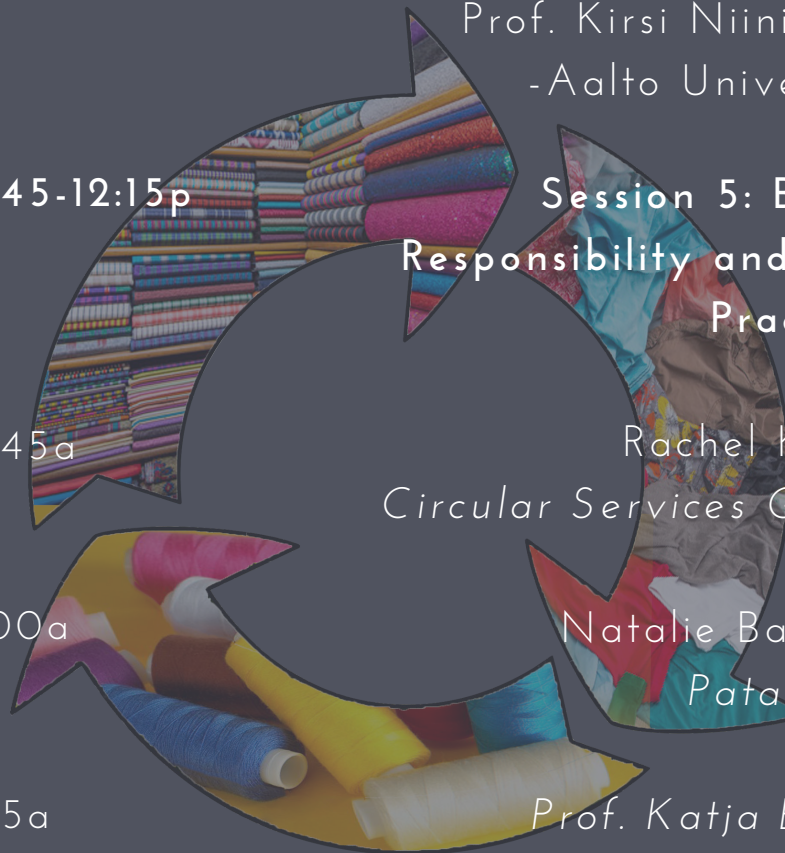
Carmen Gama  
*Eileen Fisher*

11:45a

Julie Brown  
*EON*

12:15-12:45p

Break



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12:45-2:00p

**Session 6: Legal and  
Regulatory Barriers and  
Opportunities**

12:45p

Eric Nelson  
*Circonomey Innovations*

1:00p

Scott Cassel  
*Product Stewardship  
Institute*

1:15p

Joanne Brasch  
*California Product  
Stewardship Council*

1:30p

Julie Hughes  
*US Fashion Industry  
Association*

2:00-3:00p

**Roundtable C: Policy  
Approaches and Needs**

3:00p

**Adjourn**

