



SMARTER WASTE REGULATION AND POLLUTION CRIME ENFORCEMENT

12-14 November 2019 | Brussels, Belgium



Objectives

**Collaboration, networking
and knowledge exchange**

**24th Meeting of
INTERPOL's Pollution
Crime Working Group**

**LIFE SMART Waste
project's final
conference**

LIFE SMART Waste project



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Online video (click to start)

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Pollution Crime Working Group



Pollution Crime Working Group (South Africa, 2018)

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Programme

DAY 1 – 12 November

- Welcome address: Calum MacDonald
- Keynote address: Joe Poux, PCWG
- #StrongerTogether: Grant Walters, PCWG

Break

Strategic Theme: Where are we now?

Lunch

Innovation theme: Initiatives to understand and reduce waste crime – Experts talk

Break

Parallel Thematic Workshops

1. Pollution Geointelligence (USEPA/Oribital EOS)
2. Understanding illegal practices in WEEE management – experiences from the COLLECTORS project (ACR+)
3. African perspectives on Pollution Crime (PCWG)

Closing remarks

Networking event

DAY 2 – 13 November

- Opening remarks: Joe Poux
- One Planet Prosperity: Terry A’Hearn
- Address by European Commission: Peter Wessman
- LSW policy recommendations: Eleanor Strain

Group photo / Break

Policy Theme: Impacts of the Chinese policy restricting solid waste imports on the global plastic market

Lunch

Strategic discussion: ways forward and future activities - Discussion

Break

Parallel Thematic Workshops

1. Shipbreaking (INTERPOL)
2. LSW Policy Recommendations: waste tracking and others (LSW)
3. Challenges of circular economy: waste recycling and management (PCWG)

Closing remarks

Elections of the Executive Board of the PCWG

DAY 3 – 14 November

*** Closed to law enforcement & Government agencies only ***

- Europol and environmental crimes: José Antonio Alfaro Moreno
- WasteForce & LIFE SWEAP projects: Nancy Isarin & Marion Stelling

Break

Organised crime in the waste industry, public corruption and financial investigations

Lunch

Debriefing on INTERPOL Operation 30 Days at Sea 2.0: reviewing results

Break

Debriefing on INTERPOL Operation 30 Days at Sea 2.0: strategic discussion on investigative and operational follow up

Closing remarks



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