

Press Release research project “Ecologistics”:

“Upcoming Ecologistics Events 2015”

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Employees from small and medium companies, who have always been interested in modern logistics technologies, can now profit from many upcoming events of the “Ecologistics” project until May 2015. The project is co-funded by the European Union and thus, participation is for free.

The "Ecologistics" project aims at improving the flow of collaborative information between large companies and small and medium sized enterprises (SME) in the North West Europe area and has promotes an innovative ICT tool for the synchronization of a more efficient and sustainable supply chain through the EPC (Electronic Product Code) Network.

A large number of company visits and EPC code demonstrations are available across northern Europe. The visits offer opportunities to exchange with high-level experts and discover companies at the leading-edge of logistics:

- Visit of GS1 KnowLedge Center in Köln, Germany, 19/01/15
- Visit of Flora Holland auction in Aalsmeer, Netherlands, 11/02/15
- Visit of Daventry International Rail Freight Terminal in Daventry, United Kingdom, 19/02/15
- Visit of URK Fish Auction in Urk, Netherlands, 13/03/15
- Visit of Port de Calais in Calais, France, 15/04/15
- Visit of Formalim Training Centre in Verviers + Spa Monopole in Spa, Belgium, 12/05/15
- Visit of Plateforme DELTA 3 in Dourges, France, 28/04/15
- Visit of Passenger transport operator Mersey Travel in Liverpool, United Kingdom, 28/05/15

More information and detailed agendas are available from the project partners and by key contacts given below. The visits are sponsored by the European Interreg IVb program and will be free of charge for all participants. The number of participants for each visit is limited so that timely and binding registration by e-mail or at the webpage is advisable. Registration can be done under following link: <http://www.ecologistics-project.eu/news-and-events>

The project “Ecologistics” is a cooperation of 12 institutions and companies from Belgium, Germany, France, Great Britain, Luxembourg and the Netherlands to demonstrate the benefits of increased transparency in supply chains for the companies involved by consistent use of existing international and cross-industry standards. Co-funded by the EU (Interreg IVb) the research project specifically aims at providing concepts, methods and solutions for small and medium-sized enterprises (SMEs). Lead partner is the University of Mons (Belgium), from Germany the Institute for production and logistics systems - Prof. Schmidt is involved as project partner.

Journalists who wish to have more information about the workshop results or about the program itself can receive details from one of the contacts listed below.

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