

Why join the High ambition alliance on Chemicals and waste?

- To support an ambitious outcome of the Beyond 2020 process aiming to **protect from harm** and to contribute to **Sustainable Development** including safe Circular economy
- To raise awareness on the need to act on chemicals and waste both nationally and internationally.

Who are in the alliance?

- Committed leading ministers from all UN regions.
- Senior representatives from intergovernmental organizations, industry and civil society.

How does the alliance act?

- Delivering statements to meetings in the Beyond 2020 process and other relevant meetings.
- Building and promoting commitment to ensure an ambitious future international agreement on the sound management of chemicals and waste.
- Supporting broad, multisectoral commitment through a UN general assembly resolution to adopt the outcome of the Beyond 2020 process.
- Raising awareness in ministerial and CEO meetings.

Background

The High Ambition Alliance on chemicals and waste was established in July 2018 as a platform for dialogue and solution-oriented cooperation, jointly facilitated by Uruguay and Sweden. The objective is to enhance awareness, ensure commitments and promote ambitious, sound management of chemicals and waste action at all levels. As such, its work supports the 'Beyond 2020 inter-sessional process' mandated in 2015 by the 4th International Conference on Chemicals Management (ICCM4), and adoption of its recommendations will be considered at the fifth ICCM in October 2020.

Join us:



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