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LCA Symposium 2025 at TU Wien – 16 June 2025 – Programme Overview

08:30-09:00	Registration, Get-Together
09:00-09:10	Opening: Rector Jens Schneider
09:10-09:30	Papadokonstantakis S: Introduction to the LCA Symposium 2025
09:30-10:30	Block I (Process Engineering) Short presentations (Abbas S, Zervopoulou S, Horn E, Lehmann T, Köck B, Dimand D, Mora Fuentes J)
10:30-11:00	Coffee break + Poster Session
11:00-11:15	Keynote I: Oliver Cencic: Dealing with Uncertain Data
11:15-12:15	Block II (Civil Engineering / Architecture) Short presentations (Parravicini V, Rosenfeld C, Stieldorf K, Orehounig K, Gruber M, Citic I / Sprachowitz F, Valente M, Pont U)
12:15-13:15	Lunch break – Buffet
13:15-13:45	Keynote II: Michael Narodoslawsky: Normative Basis of Impact Assessment Methods for LCA
13:45-14:45	Block III (Mechanical Engineering) Wimmer W: Research Group for Ecodesign - 15 min Short presentations (Keimel K, Pamminger R, Marouschek N, Lischka G, Trautner T, Baumüller J)
14:45-15:15	Coffee break + Poster Session
15:15-15:45	Block IV (Electrical Engineering / Computer Science / Other Universities) Short presentations (Franz M, Biffl S, Rixrath D-University of Applied Sciences Burgenland, Kral I / Kern T-BOKU University)
15:45-16:30	Panel discussion
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Safdar Abbas: From fingerprints to footprints: bridging lab-scale to industrial reality through prospective life cycle assessment

Stavroula Zervopoulou: Framework for LCA/LCC, Scalability and Modelling of the Biomass Waste Supply Chain for Sustainable Aviation Fuel (SAF) Production in the EU Elias Nino Horn: Critical Aspects and Tools for Designing Circular Processes within the Chemical Industry

Mayuki Cabrera González: Economic and Environmental Assessment of Lactic Acid Production from Industrial Waste in Europe: Effects of Process Improvements, Scale-Up, Energy Source, and Market Condition (Poster only)

Trond Lehmann: Modernizing LCA Modelling for Wastewater Treatment: A Python-based Tool for Impact Assessment

Bianca Köck: Automated Life-Cycle Assessment Pipeline for Sustainable University – Procurement: Concept and Pilot at TU Wien

Diana Dimand: Membrane-based biogas upgrading to biomethane

Juan Diego Mora Fuentes: Life Cycle Assessment of coca leaf utilization in Cauca region of Colombia: environmental and socio-economic analysis across production pathways

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Vanessa Parravicini: Life cycle assessment applications and challenges in the wastewater sector

Daniel Cenk Rosenfeld: Development of a method and presentation option for greenhouse gas savings at TU Wien

Thomas Bednar: Tasks facing the construction industry to implement Directive (EU) 2024/1275 (Energy performance of buildings) in OIB RL6&7 (Poster only)

Karin Stieldorf / Astrid Schneider: BIM4BIPV Building Information Modelling for Building Integrated Photovoltaics

Kristina Orehounig: Renovate or replace – Finding the optimal decision for buildings considering cumulative CO₂ emissions

Michael Gruber: Greenhouse Gas Emissions in Hot Mix Asphalt Production: A Life Cycle Analysis for Sustainable Construction

Isidora Citic / Fabian Sprachowitz: Asphalt mixture without fresh bitumen? Findings from the NOBIT research project

Marius Valente: Circular Timber – Durability with Horizons

Ulrich Pont: Reuse-Woodhouses - Approaches to Circularity for prefabricated Timberhouses

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Wolfgang Wimmer: Introduction to the Research Group for Ecodesign (15 min) Kylian Keimel: Calculation of the Product Carbon Footprint for Informed Decision-Making in the Early Stages of Product Development Using the Web-Based Tool ECODESIGN+

Rainer Pamminger: LCA towards environmentally improved solutions applied on a powertrain for electric trucks

Niklas Marouschek: Life Cycle Assessment of a fuel cell electric tractor including hydrogen production

Gregor Lischka: Development of a Software tool for determining the holistic emissions in terms of an LCA approach for vehicle fleets in Europe

Thomas Trautner: Enabling Transparent and Verifiable Product Carbon Footprints through Digital Product and Process Passports

Josef Baumüller: From LCA to Activity-Based GHG-Management

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Manuela Franz: Land use of energy landscapes – Proposal for a multi–criteria assessment methodology for micro regions

Stefan Biffl: LCA value proposition with technical contributions and data analysis Doris Rixrath: The Josef-Ressel Centre "Linked System Assessment to Support Sustainable Energy Supplies (LiSA)" (University of Applied Sciences Burgenland) Iris Kral / Theresia Kern: The "BOKU-LCA Plattform" (BOKU University)

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