



Public Lecture

Bioproducts Discovery and Development Centre OMAFRA – UofG KTT Bioeconomy seminar

Perspectives on a Sustainable Bioeconomy



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The Challenges in Marketing Bioplastics



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Date & Time: Thursday, October 4, 2012 at 2p.m., Followed by Networking Reception at 6p.m.

Location : OVC Lifetime Learning Centre, Room No.1714, University of Guelph

Free Parking is Available at Parking Slot P30 for the Seminar Attendees

We will hear about challenges and opportunities for the transformation to a 'made-in-Canada' sustainable bioeconomy; the changes of Canadian energy system over the past 30 years and point to where it is heading; sustainability of agriculture driven by government regulations, increased trade (especially in biofuels and biofuel feedstocks), and consumer interest; concerns about food VS fuel; indirect land use change real or exaggerated; the key issues and questions that the manufacturers and users of bioplastics materials face when they develop and introduce applications based on these new polymers.

Hosted by Prof. Amar Mohanty, Director of Bioproducts Discovery and Development Centre (BDDC)

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