# 3<sup>rd</sup> European Workshop Life Cycle Analysis of Algal based Biofuels & Biomaterials

### Brussels, 11/05/2015

9:00 - 17:30

#### AUDIT meeting room, BREYDEL building

#### 08.30-09.00 Registration

### 09.00-09.30 Opening Session

Kyriakos Maniatis & Vitor Verdelho, opening and welcome

Guido Reinhardt, IFEU, Overview, status and prospects on LCA for algae products

## 09.30-10.50 LCA for Algal Biofuels and Biomaterials (part a)

**Chair: Professor Mario Tredici** 

Franziska Kugler, KIT, ITAS, "Comparative LCA of microalgae production in horizontal tubular PBRs for biogas application"

Lorenzo Facco, D'Appolonia, "LCA of micro algae production chains from cultivation to biofuel"

Isabel Sousa Pinto, University of Porto, "LCA of macroalgae production for biofuels"

Maria Hingsamer, JOANNEUM RESEARCH, "LCA of biopolymers in comparison to polypropylene from photoautotrophic microorganisms"

#### 10.50-11.10 Discussion, Q & A

#### 11.10-11.30 Coffee Break & networking

### 11.30-13.10 LCA for Algal Biofuels and Biomaterials (part b)

**Chair: Mario Tredici** 

Roland Essel, NOVA Institute, "Environmental profiles of microalgae photobioreactors – what are the environmental hot spots?"

Sophie Sfez, EnVOC, Ghent University, "Forecasting the environmental sustainability of newly developed algae-based technologies: case of the up-scaling and integration of a MaB-floc raceway pond treating aquaculture wastewater in Belgium"

Pierre Collet, IDEEL & IFP, "How significant are regional water consumption and water impact assessment approaches for microalgae cultivation systems?"

Sara Anton, Abengoa Bioenergy, BIOFAT project; Tom Bradley, NAREC, INTESUSAL project; Daniel Maga, Fraunhofer-Institute, ALL GAS project; "The Algae Cluster: Three European algae biofuel projects with a common LCA approach"

# 13.10-13.30 Discussion, Q & A

### 13:30-14.30 Lunch & Networking

### 14.30-15.40 Standards for algal products

Chair: Vitor Verdelho

Silvio Mangini, Archimede Ricerche, "Quality standards for algae biomass and algal products: 2 need for definition and international harmonization of technical specifications"

Lieve Laurens, NREL, "Algal Biomass and Product Yields as Critical Elements of a Growing Industry"

Indra te Ronde, NEN, "How to cooperate in CEN standards' development in general and on LCA in specific?"

K. Maniatis, DG ENER, "The draft Mandate to CEN for standardisation related to algae and their products"

### 15.40-16:00 Discussion, Q & A

### 16.00-16.20 Coffee Break & networking

# 16:20-17:40 Upscaling Algae systems

**Chair: Vitor Verdelho** 

Gerfried Jungmeier, JOANNEUM RESEARCH, "Overview of up-scaling issues in algae systems"

Diana Fonseca, A4F, "A4F experience in scaling-up closed photobioreactors and open cascade raceways for the large-scale production of microalgae"

Victoria del Pino, NECTON, "A growing experience: from playing with dolls to operating an industrial production facility"

Jorge I. Bauzá, EEM / BuggyPower, "Microalgae for nutrition and biofuels into a biorefinery concept"

# 17:40-17.50 Discussion Q & A

17:50 Conclusions

Rapporteur: David Chiaramonti

18:00 Closure of the Workshop