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## **ECOLABELLING**

Innovations in circular economy

- environmental labels and declarations



## Instruction for classes (exercises) EU Ecolabel

## **Guidelines for exercises**

- 1. Provide introductory notes about EU Ecolabel (10 minutes)
- 2. Divide classroom to 3 working groups
- 3. Assign to each group one of the following topics
  - a. EU Ecolabel and consumer awareness
    - i. https://ec.europa.eu/environment/ecolabel/eu-ecolabel-for-consumers.html
    - ii. <a href="https://ec.europa.eu/environment/ecolabel/green-week-2.html">https://ec.europa.eu/environment/ecolabel/green-week-2.html</a>
  - b. EU Ecolabel application process
    - i. https://ec.europa.eu/environment/ecolabel/how-to-apply-for-eu-ecolabel.html
    - ii. https://eu-ecolabel.de/en/for-companies/application
  - c. EU Ecolabel criteria for footwear products
    - i. <a href="https://ec.europa.eu/environment/ecolabel/documents/footwear.pdf">https://ec.europa.eu/environment/ecolabel/documents/footwear.pdf</a>
    - ii. <a href="https://www.beuc.eu/publications/beuc-x-2015-082">https://www.beuc.eu/publications/beuc-x-2015-082</a> beu beuc eeb comments to eu ecolabel criteria for footwear.pdf
- 4. Each group (student) should read the documents indicated above and search information related to particular topic (15 minutes)
- 5. Each group prepare summary of findings (10 minutes)
- 6. Each group will present summary to other groups (3 x 5 minutes)
- 7. Final discussion and concluding remarks (e.g. Role of the EU Ecolabel in contemporary Europe) (10 minutes)

References: Juraj Šebo, EU Ecolabel, Instruction for classes (exercises) for Pilot course on "Environmental labelling in circular economy", on-line event within the ECOLABELLING project (Innovations in circular economy – environmental labels and declarations), Visegrad+ Grant No. 21920002 (2019-2021), Poland, Rzeszów 05.02.2021. https://ecolabelling.prz.edu.pl/en/pilot-course-on-environmental-labelling-in-circular-economy

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