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BAuA workshop on Safe handling of nanomaterials at workplaces

Agenda and Program

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Workshop agenda

Tuesday 27th November 2012

12:45:13:00	Arrival, Coffee
13:00-13:15	Welcome and opening of the BAuA workshop, Rolf Packroff (BAUA)
13:15-13:30	Do we need to validate existing methods for risk assessment of nanomaterials? Rudolf Reuther (NOMI)
13:30-14:00	Chemical safety, occupational safety and health – The regulatory framework Rolf Packroff (BAUA)
14:00-14:30	Toxicology – How to address health hazards of nanomaterials? Tom Gebel (BAUA)
14:30-15:00	Point of view of the german committee for hazardous substances (AGS) on nanomaterials Stefan Engel (working group on nanomaterials of the AGS)
15:00-15:15	Coffee break
15:15-15:45	Do we need more than guidances? Clarissa Eickholt (systemkonzept / systemconcept)
15:45-16:15	Practical requirements of small- and medium-sized enterprises for working safely with nanomaterials Ralph Nonninger (Deutscher Verband Nanotechnologie e. V. / German Association of Nanotechnology e. V.)
16:15-16:45	Tiered approach for assessing risks at work places Christof Asbach (IUTA - Institute of Energy and Environmental Technology e. V.)
16:45-17:00	Final Discussion

Wednesday 28th November 2012

8:45-9:00	Coffee
9:00-9:30	NanoSTAIR, Establishing a process and a platform to support standardization for nanotechnologies Emeric Fréjafon (INERIS - French National Institute for industrial & environmental risk assessment)
9:30-9:45	Briefing on the occupational safety starting point regarding handling of nanomaterials Rolf Packroff (BAUA)
9:45-10:15	Safe handling of nanomaterials at workplaces: state of the art and break up into parallel working sessions Miriam Baron (BAUA)
10:45-11:15	Coffee break
11:15-12:30	Working Sessions (WS): WS1: Field study – Design (Chair: Christof Asbach, IUTA) WS2: Training and education (Chair: Clarissa Eickholt, systemkonzept / systemconcept) WS3: Practical guideline – What do we expect? (Chair: Rolf Packroff, BAUA)
12:30-13:30	Lunch
13:30-14:30	Plenary session with summary of results from WS provided by the rapporteurs
14:30-15:15	Final discussion and conclusions
15:15-15:45	Coffee break
15:45-17:00	Visit of the BAuA "Nano-lab"