

## 16<sup>th</sup> International Conference on

## **Sustainable Waste Management & Circular Economy and IPLA Global Forum 2026**

December 10-12, 2026, **Venue:** Sai Hira Global Convention Centre, Prasanthi Nilayam, Puttaparthi, Andhra Pradesh, India

(Official Pre-event of 14th Regional 3R & CE Forum in Asia and the Pacific 2027)

**Under the aegis of : International Society of Waste Management, Air and Water (ISWMAW)**



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### **Topics of Interest in the conference:**

- ☐ **Code A:** Circular Economy & 3R, SWM Rules 2026, EPR, Legislation, Policies, Governance, implementation, Smart Cities, SDG goals.
- ☐ **Code B:** Zero Waste City, Zero Waste and Circular Economy in Campus,
- Code C:** Solid Waste Management (Municipal, Plastics, E-Waste, Industrial, Hazardous, BMW, C&DW, Metal, Textiles, ELV, Steel Slag, Fly Ash), Waste from War, Space waste.
- ☐ **Code D:** Technologies & Innovation (Treatment, Recycling, Coprocessing, Implementation, Energy & Material Recovery, Valorization)
- ☐ **Code E:** Liquid Waste Management (Wastewater, ETP, STP, Sludge).

- ☐ **Code F:** Bioprocesses, Biogas, Bioenergy, circular bioeconomy; Food, Agricultural & Biomass Waste, Composting
- ☐ **Code G:** Case Studies, Best Practices, Reverse Logistics, Supply Chain Sustainability
- ☐ **Code H:** Business Models, Feasibility Studies, Theoretical Modelling, Entrepreneurship and Sustainable Development. etc.
- ☐ **Code I:** Waste-to-Energy & other Value-added product, Secondary Raw Materials, Nature-based Solutions,
- ☐ **Code J:** Artificial Intelligence, Machine Learning; IOT and Robotics for Sustainable Waste Management,

### **Featuring the 4<sup>th</sup> School Children's Congress on Waste Management and Circular Economy on Dec. 10, 2026**

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