

BIOTEXFUTURE Fall Forum 2024, 2 December 2024

(combined with ISPO: 3. – 5. Dec. 2024)

BIOTEXFUTURE

Sports Textiles and Bio-Innovations: Shaping the Future of Performance

The sporting goods of the future are „bio-based“ and „circular“, but how do the concrete products look like in reality? What are the specific biological options to replace crude-oil based synthetics or hazardous chemicals for the production of dyes and finishes? And how do they perform?

We are showcasing already today, how the future of the sporting goods sector may look like tomorrow and invite you to exchange views and to participate in our **BIOTEXFUTURE Fall Forum “in person meeting” on 2 December 2024 in Munich!**

The BIOTEXFUTURE Forum on 2 December 2024 is a combined event with the ISPO MUNICH, 3-5 December 2024. At the trade fair, BIOTEXFUTURE will exhibit tangible results at the Sustainability Hub (Hall A2).

The innovation space BIOTEXFUTURE is a textile research project on new bio-based materials for the textile production.

We are looking forward to meeting you in Munich!

Registration: www.biotextfuture.info

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**BIOTEXFUTURE
FALL FORUM 2024**

**2 DECEMBER 2024
10.30H – 17.30H (CEST)**

**Messe München
Am Messesee 2
81829 München
Conference rooms A31 /32**

- 10:30 h **Programme Start**
- 10:30 h – 11:00 h **Registration:** Coffee and Pastry
- 11:05 h – 11:15 h **Welcome-Speech:** Dr. Enrico Barsch, Federal Ministry of Education and Research, Sustainable Economy and Bio-Economy
- 11:15 h – 11:25 h **BIOTEXFUTURE:** Short Overview
- 11:25 h – 12:10 h **Keynote:** „How fungal-based materials may revolutionize our lives“
Speaker: Prof Dr.-Ing. Vera Meyer, Institute of Biotechnology, Head of the Chair of Applied and Molecular Microbiology, Technical University Berlin
- 12:15 h – 12:45 h **BIOTEXFUTURE / TransitionLab:** „How can we contribute? Innovation spaces and new participation models to foster the bio-economic societal change“.
Speaker: Prof. Johannes Glückler, Department for Geography, Chair of Economic Geographies of the Future, Ludwig Maximilians University, Munich
- 12:45 h – 13:15 h **Panel Discussion:** “Bio-economy in the Textile Sector: Creating the Change – Who is collaborating?”
Participants:
Prof. Vera Meyer
Prof. Johannes Glückler
Dr. Enrico Barsch
Patagonia (TBC)
Leonhard Nima (Designer, Trade Fairs)
- 13:15 h – 14:15 h **Lunch – Poster and Demonstrator Fair**

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- 14:15 h – 14:30 h **FungalFibers / FunColor** (Fungi as new bio-feedstock for textiles)
Speaker: Dr. Timothy Cairns (Institute of Biotechnology, Technical University Berlin)
- 14:30 h – 14:45 h **LIGHT LINING** (Insulation material) / **BioCushion** (Spacer material) /
Speaker: Dr. Sascha Schriever (ITA RWTH Aachen) / Caroline Gierke, M.Sc. (TITV Greiz)
- 14:45 h – 15:00 h **Coffee Break**
- 15:00 h – 15:20 h **CO2Tex** (Stretch-Fibers) / **BioCoat / SmartBioFinish** (Finishing)
Speaker: Jan Thiel / Henning Löcken (ITA, RWTH Aachen) and Yannik Brack (DWI)
- 15:20 h – 15:35 h **BioBase / BioTexCirc** (New bio-based fibers)
Speaker: Dr. Jonathan Meakin (adidas AG)
- 15:35 h – 16:35 h **Coffee Break and Demonstrator Fair:** Meet and Greet / Industry x Scientists
- 16:35 h – 17:00 h **Summery** on Stage
- 17:00 h – 17:30 h **Farewell**

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