

# PROGRAM

## November 18, Day 1 Registration, ZWIA Membership Meeting and Welcome Reception Asturias Hotel

- 10:00 Registration
- 13:00 ZWIA Meeting
- 18:00 Welcome Reception and Cultural Night
- Welcome Address**  
Edward S. Hagedorn  
*Mayor, Puerto Princesa City*
- Cultural Presentation
- Manifesto of Support for the Underground River Campaign 11:45

## November 19, Day 2 Conference Proper Puerto Princesa City Coliseum

- 8:00 Registration and Film Showing
- 8:30 Opening Program
- ZWIA Introduction**  
Richard Anthony  
*GrassRoots Recycling Network*
- Keynote Speaker**  
Hon. Jose L. Atienza  
*Department of Environment and Natural Resources*
- 9:00 **Plenary Session 1: Zero Waste Solutions in the Face of Climate Crisis**  
**Moderator:** Sonia Mendoza, Mother Earth Foundation
- Zero Waste for Zero Warming**  
Manny Calonzo  
*Global Alliance for Incinerator Alternatives*
- 9:30 Break
- 9:45 **Plenary Session 2: Zero Waste for Zero Toxics**  
Moderator: Richard Anthony, GrassRoots Recycling Network
- Twin Pillars of Zero Waste: Reducing Toxics, Increasing Sustainability**  
Paul Connett  
*St. Lawrence University*
- 10:15 **Skill Share 1: Zero Waste Frameworks**  
**Moderator:** Paolo Guarnaccia, Terre di Sicilia
- United States**  
Richard Anthony  
*GrassRoots Recycling Network*
- Wales**  
Mal Williams  
*Cylch Wales Community Recycling Network*
- England**  
Ralph Ryder  
*Zero Waste Alliance UK*
- Italy**  
Rosanno Ercolini  
*Zero Waste Italian Network*

South Africa  
Muna Lakhani  
*Institute for Zero Waste in Africa*

South Asia  
Shibu Nair  
*Thanal*

Australia  
Gerry Gillespie  
*Zero Waste Australia*

**Thailand**  
Sombat Haesakul  
*Health System Research Institute*

11:45 Lunch

12:45 **Skill Share 1: Zero Waste Frameworks, continued**  
**Moderator:** Froilan Grate, Mother Earth Foundation

**Philippines**  
Gerardo V. Calderon  
*National Solid Waste Management Commission*

13:45 **Skill Share 2: Resource Recovery Parks**  
**Moderator:** Gigie Cruz-Sy, Global Alliance for Incinerator Alternatives

**Global North**  
Mark Gorrell  
*Urban Ore*

**Global South**  
Shibu Nair  
*Thanal*

14:30 **Skill Share 3: Zero Waste in the Face of Financial Crisis**  
**Moderator:** Tes Choa, Mother E  
*Cylch - Wales Community Recycling Network*

**EU Directives**  
Joan Marc Simon  
*Global Alliance for Incinerator Alternatives*

**Italy**  
Rosanno Ercolini  
*Zero Waste Italian Network*

**Yes We Can!**  
Nancy Gorrell  
*Urban Ore*

15:15 Break

15:30 **Skill Share 4: Political Will and Local Governance**  
**Moderator:** Numero Lim, 2nd District-Manila

**Plastics Ban at the Local Level**  
Caesar Perez  
*Mayor, Los Baños (Laguna)*

**ESWM for a Mega City**  
Enrico Echiverri  
*Mayor, Caloocan City*

**Provincial Adoption of the Zero Waste Framework**  
Camila C. Sarmiento  
*PGENRO, Northern Samar*

	<p><b>EU Bans</b> Joan Marc Simon <i>Global Alliance for Incinerator Alternatives</i></p> <p><b>Africa: Bureaucratic Won't</b> Muna Lakhani <i>Institute for Zero Waste in Africa</i></p> <p><b>Moderator:</b> Arlen Ancheta, Mother Earth Foundation</p> <p><b>New Local Level Legislation</b> Numero Lim <i>Councilor, 2nd District Manila</i></p> <p><b>From Approved Garbage Burner to Zero Waste</b> Mark Gorrell <i>Urban Ore</i></p> <p><b>Italy</b> Paolo Guarnaccia <i>Terre di Sicilia</i></p> <p><b>City Wide ESWM</b> Edward Hagedorn <i>Mayor, Puerto Princesa City</i></p> <p><b>Point of View</b> Shibu Nair <i>Thanal</i></p>	<p><b>Europe</b> Paolo Guarnaccia <i>Terre di Sicilia</i></p> <p><b>Only If Required</b> Muna Lakhani <i>Institute for Zero Waste in Africa</i></p> <p><b>CSO in Action: Opportunities and Challenges in Grassroots ESWM Campaigns</b> Froilan Grate <i>Mother Earth Foundation</i></p> <p><b>Skill Share 7: Financing and Social Marketing</b> Moderator: Paolo Guarnaccia, Terre Di Sicilia</p> <p><b>Social Marketing for Raising Funds for Zero Waste</b> Rossano Ercolini <i>Zero Waste Italian Network</i></p> <p><b>Social Marketing in the Visual Sense : Visuals for Visionaries</b> Nancy Gorrell <i>Urban Ore</i></p> <p><b>Adding Value Through a Zero Waste Approach</b> Maxine Narburgh <i>Bright Green UK</i></p> <p><b>Delivering the Message of Waste to Society</b> Patrizia Lo Sciuto <i>Zero Waste Sicily</i></p>	
17:30	<p>Wrap Up Rick Anthony and Sonia Mendoza</p>	11:00	
	<p style="text-align: center;"><b>November 20, Day 3 Conference Proper Puerto Princesa City Coliseum</b></p>	12:00	
8:00	<p>Registration Counter-Balance: Delhi Case</p>	12:00	
8:30	<p><b>Skill Share 5:</b> Corporate Initiatives and EPR <b>Moderator:</b> Gerry Gillespie, Zero Waste Australia</p> <p><b>Zero Waste Events</b> Maxine Narburgh <i>Bright Green UK</i></p> <p><b>Cradle to Cradle: EU Project</b> (video lecture) Adria Pittock <i>Suffolk County Council (UK)</i></p> <p>Health Care Sr. Arcelita Sarnillo <i>Congregation of the Sisters of St. Paul of Chartres</i></p> <p>EU Frameworks Joan Marc Simon <i>Global Alliance for Incinerator Alternatives</i></p> <p><b>Point of View</b> Ralph Ryder, Mal Williams, Paul Connett</p>	<p><b>Public Fund &amp; Contracts for Social Waste Programs</b> Adria Pittock <i>Suffolk County Council (UK)</i></p> <p><b>Plenary Session 3:</b> Solid Waste and Marine Pollution <b>Moderator:</b> Merci Ferrer, Health Care Without Harm</p> <p>Richard Anthony <i>GrassRoots Recycling Network</i></p> <p><b>Plenary Session 4:</b> Environmental Laws <b>Moderator:</b> Atty. Grizelda Mayo-Anda, Environmental Legal Action Center</p> <p><b>Environmental Compliance Audit: A Tool for Citizens Legal Empowerment</b> Atty. Antonio Oposa Jr. <i>Law of Nature Foundation</i></p> <p><b>Skill Share 8:</b> Carbon Trading &amp; Copenhagen Moderator: Mal Williams, Cylch</p>	12:45
10:00	<p>Snacks</p> <p><b>Model for Higher Education</b> (video lecture) Dr. Victoria Hands <i>London School of Economics</i></p>	13:15	
10:15	<p><b>Skill Share 6:</b> Civil Society (CSO)-Local Government (LGU) Partnership on Zero Wastes Moderator: Nancy Gorrell, Urban Ore</p>	13:45	
	<p><b>COP15</b> Maxine Narburgh <i>Bright Green UK</i></p> <p>Joan Marc Simon <i>Global Alliance for Incinerator Alternatives</i></p> <p>Mal Williams <i>Cylch - Wales Community Recycling Network</i></p> <p>Sonia Mendoza <i>Mother Earth Foundation</i></p>	14:15	
		<p><b>Skill Share 9:</b> Soil and Organics to Agriculture <b>Moderator:</b> Ben Villaseñor, Mother Earth Foundation</p>	

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- 8:00 **Composting**  
Paolo Guarnaccia  
*Terre di Sicilia*
- Our Organic Future**  
Gerry Gillespie  
*Zero Waste Australia*
- Cool 2012**  
Richard Anthony  
*GrassRoots Recycling Network*
- Zero Waste Multiculture**  
Muna Lakhani  
*Institute for Zero Waste in Africa*
- Organic vs. Chemical**  
Mila Andrade  
*Municipal Agriculturist, Altavas (Aklan)*
- 15:15 Snacks
- 15:30 **Skill Share 10:** Current Residue Disposal: Nuclear, Coal Ash, Waste to Energy  
**Moderator:** Riedo Panaligan, EcoWaste Coalition
- Insignificant Health Impact?**  
Ralph Ryder  
*Zero Waste Alliance UK*
- Toxics**  
Paul Connett  
*St. Lawrence University*
- Management Issues**  
Richard Anthony  
*GrassRoots Recycling Network*
- 16:15 **IN FOCUS: MERCURY FREE HEALTH CARE**
- 17:30 Closing Program
- Master of Ceremonies:** Sonia M. Roco  
Member, Mother Earth Foundation
- ECO TOURS**
- November 20 (OPTIONAL) Iwahig River Firefly Cruise
- November 21, Day 4  
Eco-Tours**
- November 21 (INCLUSIVE) Puerto Princesa Subterranean River with side trip to selected Puerto Princesa Materials Recovery Facilities (MRF)
- November 22 (OPTIONAL) Option 1: Honda Bay Island Hopping Tour  
Option 2: Dos Palmas Day Tour  
Option 3: City and Cultural Tour (Half Day)

*“Palawan is fast becoming a haven for nature buffs and intrepid adventurers. Drifting on the Philippine’s western edge, this long sliver of jungle is one of the country’s last ecological frontiers. The Amazonian interior is barely connected by a few snaking roads that will make your fillings jingle, and the convoluted coast is comprised of one breathtaking bay after another. Puerto Princesa is the energetic capital from where you can explore nearby Sabang, with its famous underground river, and laid back Port Barton. If only all Philippine cities could be a little more like earthy Puerto Princesa.” - Lonely Planet*



## 6TH ZERO WASTE INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

18-21 NOVEMBER 2009  
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Zero Waste Solutions in the  
Face of Climate, Chemical and Financial Crises

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