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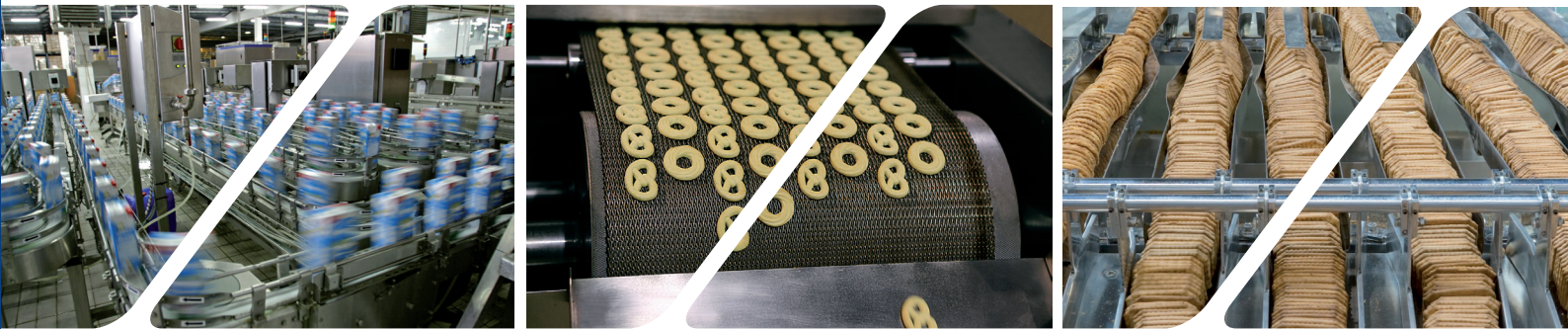
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IN THE IRISH FOOD PROCESSING SECTOR

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Sustainability within the Irish food and drinks manufacturing sector has never been more important! For many years larger organisations have been realising the fact that environmental policies and energy efficiencies within processing is directly related to the bottom line!

Reducing energy costs, carbon footprint and waste during the process of food stuffs can have a significant impact on the profitability of a facility! Additionally, as food manufacturers and their clients supply chains become more and more entwined they find themselves under increasing pressure to reduce their carbon footprint.

Up to 120 senior management from the food and drink manufacturing sector will attend the event as delegates and listen to industry leaders discussing the important issues of energy recovery, metering & monitoring, infrastructure & planning, finance & return on investment, managing water, waste & carbon, alternative energies and the bottom line.

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MORNING SESSION



8.15am REGISTRATION



**8.45am MINISTER SIMON COVENEY** *Department of Agriculture, Marine & Food.*  
Simon Coveney TD was appointed Minister for Agriculture, Marine and Food on March 9, 2011. He represents and Cork South Central constituency. He was first elected to Dáil Éireann in a by-election for Cork South Central in October 1998, following the untimely death of his father, Hugh Coveney TD. He has served in a number of senior Party and Oireachtas positions. Simon served as a member of the European Parliament between 2004 and 2009. He is also a former member of Cork City Council.



**9.00am PADRAIG BRENNAN** *Sustainability Development Manager, Bord Bia.*  
Padraig Brennan holds the position of Manager, Sustainability Development in Bord Bia. Over recent years Padraig has led a number of Bord Bia research programmes examining Sustainability and its implications for the Irish food and drink industry. He has been part of the team involved in the development and implementation of Bord Bia's Origin Green Sustainability programme, which aims to demonstrate the commitment of the Irish food and drink industry at both farm and manufacturing level to producing in a sustainable manner and highlight the targets being set by the industry to deliver further improvements over time.



**9.20am JOHN McGRATH** *Dawn Farm Foods, Origin Green – one year on.*  
Based in the Republic of Ireland, Dawn Farms has firmly established itself as the leading European supplier of cooked and fermented meat ingredients to the foodservice and manufacturing sectors. The Dawn Farms group of companies includes two state-of-the-art production facilities in Ireland, including International Meat Ingredients (IMI), and TMI Foods in the UK producing cooked bacon, protein-based snacks and roasted vegetables. A former Director of Bord Bia, John is Head of Business Development, Marketing and Communications at Dawn Farms and leads the company's Origin Green implementation team.



**9.45am DR. JOHN RYAN** *Certification Europe, ISO50001 in food processing.*  
As an expert and advisor in the area of energy/carbon management, John has delivered seminars, workshops and training courses internationally on sustainable energy management (ISO 50001); is co-author of energy management systems – an Implementation Guide & an Audit Guide and of “Energy Managment, Practices and Principles” a MEUC and British Gas publication. With a background in science, John has been involved in arena of business risk management system design, implementation, maintenance and audit for the past 15 years.



**10.05am RACHEL EADES** *Glenisk, Achieving Origin Green.*  
Glenisk is a family-run producer of organic dairy and goats milk products based in Killeigh, Co. Offaly. Established in 1987, the company switched to organic production in 1995. Among many benefits, organic farming prevents the use of harmful chemicals and fertilizers while increasing bio-diversity and the long-term productivity of the soil. In addition to promoting organic agriculture, Glenisk works to reduce its impact on the environment across all aspects of the business. Glenisk employs an ethical sourcing policy throughout its supply chain, with a focus on recyclable packaging and supporting small family farms across Ireland.



**10.30am IRFAN REHMAN** *Chemineer Tech., Energy reduction through agitation.*  
Irfan Rehman is Sales Manager for Chemineer EMEA, he graduated in Chemical Engineering and currently completing an MBA. He started work at BHR group, Cranfield doing research in Mixing, here he specialised in 2 and 3 phase mixing. After 6 years at BHR group he started at Chemineer as an Applications Engineer. Currently as Sales Manager Irfan spends a lot of time supporting representatives such as Flexachem in Ireland. Chemineer are mixing experts and provide solutions to customers not only in food but water, chemicals, pharma , mining etc utilising Agitators, Static Mixers or High shear mixers alongside their expert design software. Sustainability is becoming more important and thus Chemineer have ranges of low energy impellers and gearboxes that need minimal maintenance to provide 20+ year life's. There are also operational changes where end-users are moving from Batch to Continuous process and these will be discussed at the presentation.

10.50am REFRESHMENT BREAK AND Q&A SESSION



**11.30am MARTIN CHILCOTT** *2Degrees Network, Engaging Middle Management in Sustainability.*  
Martin Chilcott is a British entrepreneur specializing in environment and education, best known as the founder and CEO of 2degrees, the world's largest community for sustainable business. His first successful business venture was CTSS, a specialist technology marketing company, with colleague and friend James Tarin. In 1995, he established Clarity Communications, followed by various companies that included Meltwater Ventures, a green business incubation service.



**11.55am JOHN DURKAN** *ABP Food Group, Challenges & Benefits.*  
John Durkan holds a Bachelor of Environmental Science, a Master of Science in Waste Management and an MBA in Business Management. John is the Environmental and Sustainability Manager for ABP for over 20 years and has developed ABPs' Sustainability policy over the past five years. ABP views sustainability as a key business metric, one that provides positive outcomes, improves competitiveness and makes sound business sense. John has implemented many accredited systems within the processing sites to deliver sustainability e.g. ISO 14001 to good effect. In today's business environment, resource inputs are costly and their efficient usage is warranted. ABP's campaign 'Doing More with Less' has commenced the decoupling of resource inputs to productivity. These resources include water, electricity, fuels, and other inputs.

12.25pm LUNCH AND Q&A SESSION

AFTERNOON SESSION



**1.35pm PETER SHARRATT** *Deloitte, Sustainability goes Mainstream.*  
No longer is sustainability a 'nice to have' it is now an essential element of business; a lens through which organisations can achieve operational excellence (lower costs), risk mitigation (e.g. supply chain), better governance (e.g. crisis management) and growth (new markets). Peter Sharratt will talk about his experience in driving increased enterprise value.



**2.00pm HILCO HAKMAN** *Electric Ireland, Better Energy Services.*  
Hilco is an experienced engineer and has worked in the telecommunications construction Industry for 20 years implementing cable network projects worldwide in the Middle East, the Far East, Africa and the Caribbean. In 2001 Hilco moved to ESB Contracts to manage their telecom construction division. In 2005 Hilco had a career change and left the construction business behind. He moved to ESB Independent Energy, now known as Electric Ireland, to become their manager energy consulting services for the Business markets. Energy consulting services is an integral part of Electric Ireland's business. Electric Ireland wants to build long terms relationships and work together with business customers to improve their energy efficiency, reduce their energy consumption, reduce their energy cost, improve their carbon footprint and become more competitive.



**2.25am CONOR BROWNE** *Diageo, Energy efficiency.*  
Conor Browne is senior Leader in the beverage industry with over 20 years' experience. He has operated both at a European and Global level across a range of leadership roles. In recent years he has lead key programs in the area of Energy Management, both at an Operational and Capital Investment level. Has a strong track record in alignment and delivering leading edge business strategies in the areas of Engineering, Operational and Change management programmes. Specialising in Project / Programme Management, Capital Engineering Investment Strategy and Management including Energy Management. He is also experience also in R&D Technology Development, Marketing Innovation and Brand Change.

2.50pm REFRESHMENT BREAK AND Q&A SESSION.



**3.30pm NORMAN CROWLEY** *Crowley Carbon, Financing CapEx*  
In 1996 at the age of 26 Norman founded his first technology company Trinity Commerce. Trinity was one of the first Internet eCommerce services companies in the world. By 1999 Norman had grown the business to 5 countries and 150 people. In 1999 Norman sold a majority stake in Trinity to Eircom Plc just before the peak of the internet bubble. In 2001 Norman founded Inspired Gaming Group with 8 people in Dublin. By 2006 Inspired was the largest players in the world in the area of Server Based Gaming (SBG) and was floated on the London Stock Exchange. By then it was headquartered in London and had grown rapidly to 2500 people and had revenues of US\$500m. In 2008 Inspired was sold to a private equity group for a valuation of €500 million. Along the way Norman also co-founded “The Cloud”, Europe's largest Wifi operator. This business was sold recently to Rupert Murdoch's BSKYB for circa €80m. In 2009 Crowley Carbon was founded with the vision of becoming a major player in the 1 trillion dollar global energy efficiency market. Crowley Carbon has developed a range of cutting edge technologies that increase energy efficiency in the commercial and industrial energy efficiency sectors. One of Crowley Carbons key inventions is Thermal Server, an industrial boiler that uses 80% less energy than traditional boilers. The business model has now evolved to also offer financial solutions to clients to ensure a green light for projects by providing funding. In December 2012 Crowley Carbon announced a new agreement, estimated to be worth €64 million over the next three years with “Emrill”. one of the largest Facilities Management Companies in the Middle East.



**3.55pm DENIS O'BRIEN** *GS1 Ireland, Sustainability through traceability.*  
Denis O'Brien joined GS1 in Spring 2012, bringing with him a wealth of industry experience in IT systems, traceability solutions and GS1 Standards implementation. Denis has immense expertise in the use of GS1 standards to enable supply chain visibility and business automation and has worked alongside GS1 for over a decade. Denis was the key developer of the Kepak-Musgrave Beef Traceability System in 2005. In his new role as Director of Standards and Solutions Denis will be leading GS1 Ireland's consultancy and professional services team.



**4.20pm EAMONN DIVER** *Bewleys, Energy efficiency in process.*  
Eamonn holds the position of Engineering Manager at Bewley's manufacturing facility in North county Dublin. He has over 20 years' experience in the food manufacturing industry with a BEng in Engineering Systems Maintenance and BSc in Electrical Services & Energy Management. He has a passion for energy efficiencies and the environment awareness.



**4.45pm CONOR MOLLOY** *EMPI, Event Close and Chairman statements.*  
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