

## BIOECONOMY VILLAGE @ MAKER FAIRE 2017

*What is the bioeconomy? What bio-based products do we use in our everyday lives? Can we make more sustainable choices for the environment and our health?*

Visit the **BIOECONOMY VILLAGE @Maker Faire** in Rome (Nuova Fiera Di Roma) from the 1st to 3rd of December 2017 to find the answers to all of these questions – and a whole lot more!

Promoted by **Maker Faire** and the European research projects **BIOWAYS** and **STAR-ProBio** (funded by the European Commission and BBI-JU programme), the BIOECONOMY VILLAGE aims to raise public awareness, improve knowledge of bio-based products, and promote the benefits of the bioeconomy.



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The BIOECONOMY VILLAGE will host **Bologna University, the National Research Council, Sapienza University of Rome, Unitelma Sapienza, Tor Vergata University, ENEA and Turin University, the projects ISAAC, First2run, ValoriBio and BioSTEP, companies and start-ups including ENI, NOVAMONT, Minimo Impatto, Algaria, MOGU, BioInnoTech, AlgaRes, CHIMAR, SINGTEX® INDUSTRIAL CO, ROELMI HPC, Wile AlpacaFarm, Okka and Turbliss, and associations including Chimica Verde Bionet, 06, Azzero CO2 and Frascati Scienza.**

Several bio-based products and the way there are used in everyday life will be showcased in a practical and engaging way through samples, thematic workshops and demonstrations. There is even a games area where you can play interactive computer games and learn all about the bioeconomy at the same time.

The exhibition space is divided into the following areas:

1. *Cleaning and hygiene, personal care and cosmetics, health and biomedical*
2. *Textile products, clothing, sports and toys*
3. *Food packaging, disposable products for catering and events*
4. *Biofuels and bioenergy*
5. *Environmental bioregulation and biological sensors*
6. *Building, construction and restoration, paintings, decorations and furniture*
7. *Agriculture, food, nutraceuticals and fishing*
8. *European projects*
9. *Games area*

