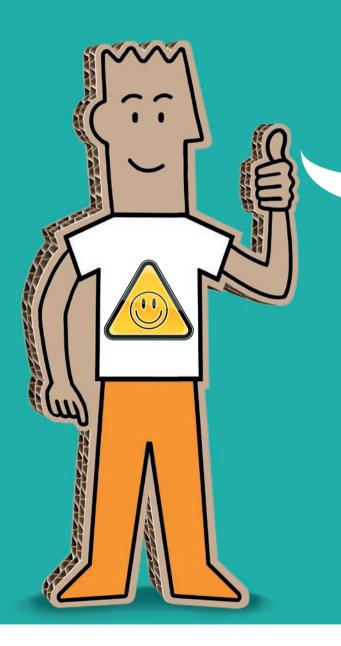


## **HEALTH & SAFETY MATTERS**



ACCIDENT PREVENTION STARTS WITH SHARING YOUR SAFETY EXPERTISE!

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**Angelika Christ,** Secretary General

Dear Reader.

Rarely does everybody agree that a new service from FEFCO is great. It is common that – despite this positive response – not much follows, which is the case with the newly established health & safety information tool on our website.

Health & Safety is at the top of the agenda of many of our member companies. You all would agree that information is vital in order to prevent accidents and incidents causing harm to our employees. And many of you have established a good in house information tool, procedures to be followed after accidents or near accidents; you don't want a similar case happening again. You have appointed a central manager supervising all your plants ensuring information goes to the people responsible at plant level. Most likely you have even established a written information procedure following any incident.

So what keeps you from giving FEFCO a copy of your accident report? For you, there would be advantages as well: by sharing at European level, knowledge about accidents would spread, reach more recipients and thus help to prevent injury, cost, and problems – and in the end your company would profit from it.

When preparing for this specific job, we found some impressive examples of excellent mutual information at association level. In the Netherlands, a joint initiative from industry and government led to an intense exchange of information, which started almost two decades ago. CPI, the UK association, provides detailed news and statistics to its members, and they are also happily sharing it with FEFCO. Other countries, like France, have just started.

We believe the health & safety issue demands that we insist on higher participation, so most likely you will hear from us again. And don't worry if your papers are not in English: there are plenty of translators in Brussels waiting for new jobs!

Angelika Christ

# CAUTION

# Interview with Klaus Lüke Health & Safety: accident report prevented similar incidents at other plants

Technical Manager Group (Klingele Group)

Klaus is also a member of the FEFCO Production Committee



## Q: Klaus, you are the technical manager of the corrugated plants of Klingele Papierwerke, and you are coordinating safety activities at group level. What is your main concern?

**A:** Of course, my main worry is the safety of all our employees. Our core concern is the plant; but health and safety goes beyond the corrugator and covers all aspects of our work space, and that of course includes the white collar employees.

#### Q: How do you manage health &safety issues at Klingele?

**A:** Basically I would say that safety must be handled locally and should be an on–going process, always included in all our activities. But, if you want to start from scratch, start with a risk assessment, find out which areas are critical and where the danger points are. We do that regularly; we keep ourselves updated and repeat the exercise of hazard analysis at least once a year. During the last years we did massive investments in machinery and materials handling within our factories. From safety equipment of our transfer cars to other countless installations.

With each change that effects the working environment, safety is an important part of the project.

#### Q: How does this influence your daily work?

**A:** I see my role as the moderator and supervisor, but the real job has to be done locally. I moderate, and I check that everything we can think of has been done, and I make sure that all the information on each and every accident is given to every one of our plants, and that includes of course our sheet plants as well.

#### Q: How many plants altogether does that mean?

**A:** Klingele has six corrugated plants and seven sheet plants in Europe.

## Q: You, as the central manager might not always be loved by the local managers and workers for what you do and suggest. What difficulties do you face in your work?

**A:** Like everything, safety is a matter of priorities. So, if you find even a minor risk, you have to take action to get it under control. This is a very practical and detailed issue and must be done locally. One needs a strong management in the plant and a clear commitment to all safety activities and investments from group management.

## Q: What else do you do to ensure the complete exchange of information?

**A:** Of course we are in close contact with the machine producers and make sure that information is mutually exchanged. But a machine producer does not like to report on accidents that happen with his machines, that's human, so sometimes information comes late or, when it concerns small

incidents, does not reach us directly from the place where it happened.

## Q: Do you think that an information pool, for and by the Corrugated industry itself, could help at a European level?

A: I think it is crucial, because it would help us to improve our preventative work. Let me give you an example from real life: some time ago, we received detailed information from another company about a very unfortunate lethal accident. We let everyone within our organisation know about the accident and discovered that one area in one of our plants was not yet part of any of our risk assessments. Under normal conditions nobody would ever access this area, but for weekend cleaning purposes, carried out by an external company, we found that there had been an unforseen risk. The technical solution itself was rather simple. It was absolutely without interest where the information came from, nor the conditions which led to that accident. But we could learn something from that and improved our own situation.

## Q: How do you evaluate the new FEFCO Health & Safety section reporting about accidents on the FEFCO website?

**A:** This is a great step, if everybody could feel confident enough to include their own accident reports, we would all benefit. So far, we see only a few reports there.

In my opinion, it is just human nature – you really don't want to talk much about your own accidents. An individual most likely feels embarrassed that such an incident could happen at their own site. But we all must realise how we could prevent future accidents ,if we would only communicate openly and share information. It does not matter where and at which company the accident happened, but it is important to understand the underlying structure of the incident, and to take the opportunity to prevent such incidents happening in other plants. We all have experience of differences in the operation of machinery, or of the unpredictable behaviour of our workers, that has caused accidents. Any shared information will help to improve not only our own company's structures, but everybody's. What is crucial though is that we must know about it!

I would really urge all member companies and associates of FEFCO to make this system work, by adding to the information pool by making available their own reports.

#### Where to find the information on FEFCO website?

To request your login and password, go to FEFCO's home page www.fefco.org. The member area sign in is on the top right of the home page.

Our login system will allow you to manage your access code very easily.

All members have already been given a password, so if you click on "forgot password" and enter your e-mail address, a password will be sent to you immediately.

You can then change your password, and we suggest you create one you can remember easily.

If your password does not exist in our system, you can ask for it, and FEFCO staff will send you one as soon as possible.

With the same access code you can log in to the FEFCO Workgroups, where you will find past event archives and Committee's documents (sorry – only if you are member of the Committee).

You can also access the CITPA 'member only' section which contains valuable information including CITPA working documents and minutes of CITPA meetings.



The Klingele Group, with its headquarters in Remshalden (near Stuttgart), is one of Germany's five largest manufacturers of container board and corrugated cardboard packaging. The Group includes a paper mill, six box plants and seven

sheet plants in Germany and in other countries. As one of four partners in the European Blue Box Partners alliance, the company provides its customers with single–source delivery all over Europe. Klingele is a family–owned company founded in 1920, and is now run by Dr Jan Klingele, a third generation member of the Klingele family.



### FEFCO 17TH TECHNICAL SEMINAR

More than 30 years of technical excellence

#### FEFCO's next Technical Seminar is almost here - can you afford to miss it?

#### The Corrugated Board Factory of 2025

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Tuesday 22 October 2013				
09.00	Opening of the Exhibition and Welcome Coffee			
10.00	Spotlights Session 1			
11.00	Coffee Break			
11.30	Spotlights Session 2			
12.30	Snack Lunch on the exhibition floor			
,	Welcome Address Roberto Villaquiran, FEFCO President Welcome Address Walter De Smedt, FEFCO Production Committee Chairman Introduction Session 1			
	Session 1 – Raw Materials, Future Developments and How to Cope with Them Packaging as Important Component of Environmental Ethics and Sustainable Development for Responsible Food Supplier Jan D Johannesen, Arla Foods			
	Performance Packaging in Corrugated Material: How our Industry is Adapting to Change in Customer Requirements Miguel Pelayo, Saica			
	Corrugating Process of the Future: How to Convert Papers of the Future Into Perfect Board and Packaging? Marek Motylewski, Mondi			
	FEFCO Activities on Health & Safety Angelika Christ – FEFCO			
16.00	Break and visit of exhibition			
16.30	Spotlights Session 3			
18.00	Visit of the exhibition			
19.00	Cocktail – sponsored by APEX Group of companies			
Wednesday 23 October 2013 08.30 Introduction to Session 2				

08.35 Session 2 – Zero Defect Technology, its Status and Impact on Our Industry

A Customer's Point of View on Actual and Future Zero Defects Requirements Fernando Bayod, P&G

09.05 Session 2 – Zero Defect Technology, its Status and Impact on Our Industry

Technological status in our industry on Zero Defects Several OEM suppliers: Thomas Ernst – Erhard & Leimer, Ralf Schiffmann – Göpfert, Dave Swedes – Valco, John Bird – JB Machinery, Ulrich Wolz – Bahmüller

10.15 Coffee Break

10.45	Session 2 – Zero Defec	t Techno	logy, its	Status	and
	Impact on Our Industry	/			

Zero Defect as a Strategical Vision: Opportunities and Limitations

Wilbert Streefland, Technology Coaching

### 11.30 Update on Legal Requirements Regarding Product Safety (for Corrugated Board Packaging)

Maria Casado – FEFCO

- 11.45 Break change of room
- 12.00 Spotlights Session 4
- 13.00 Lunch followed by coffee on the exhibition floor
- 14.30 Spotlights Session 5
- 15.15 Break and Visit of the exhibition
- 15.45 Spotlights Session 6
- 17.15 Visit of the exhibition
- 17.45 End of afternoon
- 19.00 Cocktail reception Copenhagen City Hall

#### Thursday 24 October 2013

- 08.30 Introduction to Session 3
- 08.35 Session 3: Efficiency in Production
  Focus on efficiency as driver to success
  The Porsche Success Story
  Stephan Lechel, Porsche Consulting
- 09.15 Reducing Waste Sources
  Andreas Dörken and Fernando Assens ARGO
- 09.45 Single Minute Exchange of Dies (SMED) / One Box Set-up TBA
- 10.15 Coffee Break
- 11.15 Session 3: Efficiency in Production
- 11.15 Energy Efficiency Holger Jung, PTS
- 12.15 Lunch followed by coffee on the exhibition floor
- 13.30 The Corrugated Board Factory of 2025 Unmanned and Digital?

Several OEM suppliers: Helmut Kraus – BHS, Gilbert Joux – BOBST, Bart Verbruggen – OM Partners, Isem Akrout – Minda

- 15.00 Award Ceremony and Closure
- 15.30 Exhibition closes







#### List of Spotlights

Spotlights consist of short presentations of the latest technological innovations by suppliers and always generate great interest amongst the delegates.

Albany International	MarquipWardUnited	Kiwiplan		
Alliance	Cyklop International	Lubrizol		
Ammeraal Beltech	DuPont	MarquipWardUnited GmbH		
Apex Group of Companies	Durst Phototechnik	Mayr-Melnhof Karton  Metsä Board		
Argo	EMBA			
Baumer hhs	Erhardt + Leimer	Metso Automation		
BCM Transtech	Feltri Marone			
BGM Bahmüller & Göpfert	Fosber	MHI Europe		
BHS	Fossaluzza	OM Partners		
BillerudKorsnäs	Function Control Research B.V.	Sappi		
Bobst Lyon	Gerd Mosca	Stratis Plastic Pallets Talleres Serra		
Bobst	Göpfert			
BP Agnati	H.B. Fuller	Tiruña		
Cargill	Hewlett Packard	Vonderheiden Maschinenbau und Messtechnik GmbH		
CHIMIGRAF	JB Machinery			
Conprinta	Jd engineers	Bahmüller		
Curioni S.p.A.	Karl Marbach	Witron Logistik		



#### **List of Exhibitors**

– Absolute Engineering Ltd.	– EDF Europe SRL	– Metso	
– Albany International Italia SRL	– EMBA Machinery AB	– Minda Industrieanlagen GmbH	
– Alliance Machine Systems Europe	– Emport Oy	– Mitsubishi Corrugating Machinery division	
(A.M.S.E.)	– Erhardt + Leimer Corrugated GmbH	of MHI Europe Ltd	
– Ammeraal Beltech Holding BV	– ESCADA SYSTEMS (EUROPE) Ltd.	– Mühlen Sohn GmbH & Co	
– Apex Group of companies	– Feltri Marone Spa	– OM Partners n.v.	
– ASAHI Machinery Europe GmbH	– Fosber S.p.A.	– RODA Converting SA	
– Baumer hhs GmbH	– Fossaluzza s.r.l.	– Sappi Europe SA	
– BCM Transtech A/S	– Friese Gmbh & Co. Kg	– SFFMI	
– BGM Bahmüller & Göpfert	– Function Control Research Bv		
– BHS Corrugated Maschinen– und	– Gerd Mosca AG	– Signode System GmbH	
Anlagenbau GmbH	– Göpfert Maschinen GmbH	<ul><li>Stratis Plastic Pallets</li><li>(division of Snyder Industries, Inc.)</li></ul>	
– Bobst MEX SA	– H.B. Fuller (Adalis Corporation)		
– BP Agnati	– Hewlett–Packard HP	– SUN Automation Group	
– Cargill Europe BVBA	– JB Machinery Inc	– Talleres Serra Sa	
– CELMACCH SRL data	– Jd engineers B.V.	– Terdeca S.r.l.	
– CHIMIGRAF Iberica, S.L.	– J.S.CORRUGATING MACHINERY CO., LTD	– Tiruña S.L.	
– Copar Corporation	– Karl Marbach GmbH & Co. KG	– TRESU A/S	
– Cyklop International GmbH	– Kiwiplan GmbH	– Valco Melton	
– Dücker Corrpal AB	– MarquipWardUnited GmbH	– VEGA S.p.A.	
– DUO–Technik GmbH	– Marotech Inc	– Vonderheiden Maschinenbau und Messtechnik GmbH	
– Du Pont De Nemours Dtld Gmbh	– Mayr–Melnhof Karton GmbH		
– Durst Phototechnik Digital Technology GmbH	– Metsä Board Corporation	– Witron Logistik+ Informatik GmbH	

The exhibition is fully booked, but we are now opening a waiting list for 6 extra stands, depending on the number of requests we may have the possibility to extend the exhibition area. For information please contact houriet.lefebvre@fefco.org





#### **Practical information**

#### How to register?

Online registration via the FEFCO website www.fefco.org/technical-seminar–2013/Registration

#### Invitations of exhibitors' guests

Exhibitors can invite guests to the seminar exhibition hall at a daily fee of 125 € (excl. VAT) per guest. This fee includes lunches & coffee breaks. Guest registration form is available upon request: please contact FEFCO: houriet.lefebvre@fefco.org

#### Event Hotels - Bella Sky Comwell Hotel Copenhagen - or Cabinn Metro

You can book via links on the FEFCO website: www.fefco.org/technical-seminar-2013/hotel-booking

#### Star Alliance Agreement





Remember that you can **Save up to 20% on** 

**travel with the Star Alliance network.** To obtain the Star Alliance Conventions Plus discounts please follow the steps on FEFCO's website, visit the travel information page.

Sponsorship opportunities – there are a few availabilities left

Should you have any specific requests, please don't hesitate to ask! Don't hesitate to contact: nathalie.schneegans@fefco.org

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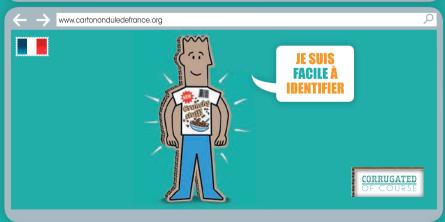


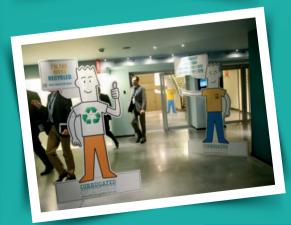












#### **New FEFCO Members**

A big welcome to the following new Sympathiser and Corresponding members who have recently joined FEFCO:

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#### **Copar Corporation**

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#### **Metso Corporation**

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#### Valco Melton, SLU

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Follow FEFCO tweets and get the latest information about packaging innovations, corrugated usage and industry news.

FEFCO has made more than 100 tweets so far, and has 260 followers – should you join them?

Also follow Corrugated of Course @ Corrugated OC

#### FEFCO Summit London 4-6 June 2014

Don't miss it! Mark your calendar now.

We are pleased to inform you that the next FEFCO Summit will take place on 4th, 5th and 6th June 2014 at the Millennium Gloucester Hotel & Conference Centre, London, United Kingdom.

Expected to attend are over 300 senior executives from the Corrugated Board industry, as well as independent producers, together with integrated box manufacturing business managers and, as usual, FEFCO sympathiser Members who are suppliers of products and services to the industry.

An event website will be online before the end of the year.

Interested sponsors are advised to contact Nathalie Schneegans: nschneegans@fefco.org, as soon as possible.



#### **Events**

#### FEFCO Technical Seminar 2013

22–24 October 2013 Bella Center – Copenhagen, Denmark



#### **Next FEFCO Summit – London**

Confirmed dates 4–6 June 2014 Millennium Gloucester and Bailey's Hotel Please mark your calendar!

#### **Industry Events**

#### **PACTEC**

03 – 05 September, 2013 Helsinki, Finland

www.messukeskus.com

#### **IPACK Turkey**

05 – 08 September, 2013 Istanbul, Turkey www.ite\_turkey.com/ver3/fairs/ipack\_en

#### Pack Expo

23 – 25 September, 2013 www.packexpo.com

#### Taropak

23 – 26 September, 2013 Poznan, Poland www.taropak.pl/en

#### **FachPack**

24–26/09/2013 Nürnberg, Germany www.fachpack.de

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17–19 October, 2013 Venue – Pragati Maidan New Delhi, India

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