



LIFE BAQUA
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Solutions through the new use for a waste of banana crop to develop products in aquaculture and plastics sectors.

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Dear subscriber of Baqua project:

Thank you for subscribing to our newsletter! We are very happy to keep you informed of the developments of our project and future activities.

The main objective of the LIFE BAQUA project is to establish a new circular economy approach to take advantage of wastes from banana plantation (pseudostem of the plant). From this pseudostem, and using mechanical processing, two different raw materials are obtained: high quality natural fibres from one side and the residual pulp on the other side.

- Treated fibre will be mixed with plastic to obtain different fibre-reinforced plastic parts that may be applied to different products, such as bags for fish feed, agricultural films, or automotive plastic parts.
- The residual pulp, as a great technological innovation, will be developed into antioxidant additives which serve as a supplement in production of fish diets for aquaculture.

This newsletter will help us keep you updated on our progress!

Life Baqua consortium

RECENT NEWS



Plastteknik Nordic 2017 in Malmö, Sweden
(May, 2017)



First technical meeting of European project LIFE BAQUA (March, 2017)



Networking with Recysite, Multibiosol and Freshbox (March, 2017)



Meeting between ULPGC and Centxebel in the facilities of Centxebel (January, 2017)

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FUTURE EVENTS

July 10th-21st Campus of Science and Technology in the Canary Islands

July 24th-26th Participation in 2nd International Conference on Chemical and Biochemical Engineering

September 22nd Participation in the Innovagro Canarias Forum

November 30th LIFE projects: Networking event

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BENEFICIARIES

