

# 2023 Global Leaders Programme

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## Building a Centre of Excellence for plastic circularity

- (–) Overconsumption by locals & tourists
- (–) Insufficient waste management policy
- (–) Lack of waste management infrastructure

Bali's issues with plastic waste are exemplary of the complex issues facing the rest of Indonesia, Asia, and the world. Participants on the GLP will have the unique opportunity to contribute to the development of a Centre of Excellence for plastic circularity for South and Southeast Asia. Participants will build a business model that examines how the Centre can:

- influence plastic consumption & recycling
- build industry capacity
- showcase industry technology
- provide access to finance
- enable informal-formal integration
- cultivate consumer responsibility
- strengthen accountability & partnerships with government & the private sector

**Bali at a  
glance**

**50%**  
of plastic waste  
leaked into the  
ocean

**3.5x**  
waste generated  
by tourists per day  
than residents

**7%**  
plastic  
recycling rate

## Project Partner



*End-to-end waste management start up, Kibumi, connects waste pickers and junk shops with recycling companies and MNCs enabling waste collection and recycling across Indonesia. Partners include Mayora, ADUPI, United Nations FAO, Veolia, GLZ, and Prevent Waste Alliance.*

