



<b>Session 8</b>	<b>Microbial protein transition players</b>
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<b>Abstract:</b>	
<p>Avecom is a Belgium based spin-off from Ghent University, with 30 years of experience in microbial resource management. The agri-food sector and the industry at large generate significant amounts of waste streams, co-products and low-value residual side streams.</p> <p>Avecom develops and scales biomass fermentation processes to convert low-value streams by micro-organisms. Their innovative fermentation platforms are capable of producing feed and food proteins, biopolymers and organic fertilizers, from a wide range of organic feedstocks and wasted nutrients.</p> <p>Avecom's responsible resource management turns a challenge into an opportunity, with their application of microbial ecology as a pathway to sustainable industrial practices.</p>	