



From Garbage to Luxury: Circular Economy Applied to Planetary Health

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Prof. Suzan Pantaroto de Vasconcellos and her BioMicro Research Group, at Federal University of São Paulo, Brazil, have been working on projects with companies and research institutes, in the use of industrial and/or agro-industrial by-products, for transformation into bioactives. Through these successful

partnerships, wastes have been transformed into nanoparticles and value-added materials, increasing the scope of activities of partner companies, training qualified human resources, while at the same time promoting actions that reduce the impact of such waste, if disposed of in the environment.