### **Aura Fact Sheet**

# **About Aura**

**Aura** is a consultancy dedicated to helping brands and retailers manage their packaging sustainability in real time. **Aura** was officially launched at the Sustainability in Packaging Europe 2022 conference in November. The business brings together multi-disciplinary teams focused on delivering data-informed consulting to enable global businesses make insight-led decisions on materials, design, legislation, compliance and recyclability.

Aura's founding clients include the world's biggest e-tailer, and the world's biggest retailer.

**Aura** ensures clients can futureproof ahead of upcoming developments in policy and practice, such as EPR in the UK. **Aura** offers horizon scanning services across 54 countries to advise on emerging regional and global trends that will feed into its clients' longer-term strategic approaches.

#### Vision

To pioneer global change on packaging sustainability by helping businesses reduce the environmental impact of packaging.

### **Key Services**

Aura's core services are consultancy, technology and insights.

**Consultancy**: **Aura's** team of experts provide pioneering packaging strategies that enable clients to meet current and future packaging legislation and sustainability goals.

**Technology:** Through **Aura's** proprietary packaging sustainability platform **e-halo**, **Aura** provides real-time data that allows clients to track progress against their current packaging sustainability targets. **e-halo** is an unrivalled packaging sustainability platform combining state-of-the-art technology with consulting services, designed to manage the changing landscape of global packaging legislation, compliance, and sustainability commitments.



**Insights:** Aura offers horizon scanning services across 54 countries to advise on emerging regional and global trends that will feed into its clients' longer-term strategic approaches. Aura's team ensures clients can future proof ahead of upcoming developments in policy and practice, such as EPR in the UK. Aura also provides a data management service. The Aura team gather, check, manage and finally translate data into valuable insights that clients can use to measure and motivate positive change.

#### **Key Personnel**

- Greg Lawson, Managing Director
- Gillian Garside-Wight, Consulting Director
- Sarah Kroon, Operations Director
- Harriet Young, Marketing Director

# Aura at a glance

- Aura is a packaging sustainability consultancy, committed to making a measurable difference. Aura combines consultancy, strategy, and technology to deliver best-inclass, sustainable packaging solutions.
- Aura's team of packaging, sustainability, technology, and retail experts are pioneers
  in the use of data and knowledge that gives clients actionable reference points to
  drive positive change.
- **Aura's** propriety technology solution, **e-halo**, powers Aura's solutions with clear and transparent structural packaging and sustainability data to help clients optimize packaging, manage compliance and tax liabilities, and reduce environmental impact.
- **Aura** is part of Sun Branding Solutions. Notable clients include the world's biggest etailer, and the world's biggest retailer.

