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MAY 2017 LASCT BULLETIN

Awards Night

The May meeting is dedicated to honoring our special members for longevity and service.

DATE: WEDNESDAY, May 10, 2017

PLACE: Holiday Inn
7000 Beach Blvd.
Buena Park, CA 90620

TIME: Social Hour 5:30 pm
Speaker 6:00 pm
Dinner 7:00 pm

PRICE: \$ 25.00 members w/reservation **by** 12:00 p.m. **Friday, May 5**
\$ 35.00 non-members w/reservation **by** 12:00 p.m. **Friday, May 5**
\$ 35.00 members w/o reservation or reservation **after** 12:00 p.m. **Friday, May 5**
\$ 45.00 non-members w/o reservation or reservation **after** 12:00 p.m. **Friday, May 5**

RSVP: lasct@earthlink.net or call (714) 998-1891

SPEAKER: Klaus Koehler, Worlee Resins

Klaus Koehler is the export manager for Worlee Chemie from Hamburg Germany. Klaus has been with the industry for 43 years specifically in the field of sales for many different chemical companies. Klaus has been with his current company: Worlee Chemie for over 16 years and prior to this he has worked for: Elf. Atochem as their Product Specialist, Sartomer, as their area sales manager; and Thermoplastic Elastomer sales for Monsanto in Dusseldorf, Germany.

TOPIC: *Cationic Acrylates for Tannin Blocking*

DRAWINGS: Door Prize
Attendance Restaurant Gift Card
\$ 625.00

April Meeting Winners:

Best Question	Bill Dances, <i>Lintech</i>
Door Prize – LASCT Gift Card	Joe Reilly
Attendance	\$ 625.00 Miguel Ornelas, <i>Ellis Paint Company (Not Present)</i>

A Special "THANK YOU" to Specialty Polymers for providing wine at our April meeting!

Visit www.lasct.org for more information regarding upcoming meetings, events and job postings.

PROPOSED NEW MEMBERS

Dual Membership

Local Membership

J.D. Hodgson *Myers Mixers, LLC*

Student Dual Membership

Student Local Membership

Evan Scherzinger *Cal Poly, SLO*

LASCT SPRING EVENT

Join us on Friday, May 12, 2017, as the Angels will take on the Detroit Tigers at 7:07 p.m. We will tailgate in the parking lot starting at 4:30 pm by the Big A! LASCT will provide fresh hamburgers, hot dogs, BBQ chicken, dessert and soft drinks. The seats will be located in the Field Section by right field. Price is \$ 25.00 per ticket, and it includes parking. See enclosed flyer and reservation form. Make your reservation before the May meeting, and the tickets will be available for pickup at the meeting!

IMPORTANT! LASCT MEMBERSHIP RENEWAL

Your LASCT Membership Renewal Fee is due no later than July 1 of each year.

**To be included in the 17-18 Yearbook
your Membership Application and fee must be received by July 1, 2017.**

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25-YEAR MEMBERS TO BE HONORED

The following 25-year and 50-year members will be honored at LASCT's upcoming "Awards Night" Dinner Meeting on May 10:

- 25-year Members: Blessy Conde, Danny Tangen
- 50-year Members: Ed Laird, Ricardo Teano, Antonio Velasquez, Julian Witt

If you know of any other 25-year and/or 50-year member(s) who should be on our list, please advise the LASCT office at (714) 998-1891.

RESERVE AD SPACE NOW! 2017-2018 YEARBOOK

It's time to reserve your ad space in the 2017-2018 Los Angeles Society for Coatings Technology Yearbook and Directory. This year will be the special Western Coatings Societies Edition. The Yearbook and Directory includes not only members of the Los Angeles Society but also all members of Arizona, Golden Gate, and Pacific Northwest Societies for Coatings Technology, and will be distributed to all members of the Coatings Societies of the West Coast as well as select members of Coatings Societies across the USA.

The LASCT Yearbook & Directory is hands-down the most effective use of your advertising dollar in the Western United States and Canada — and perhaps across NAFTA. **SUPPORT YOUR INDUSTRY BY ADVERTISING!** Funds raised by the LASCT Yearbook are used to support Coatings Industry events, scholarships, and education!

Don't miss this invaluable opportunity to reach current and future customers! The deadline for inclusion in the 2017-2018 Yearbook is July 15, 2017. Please contact the LASCT Office at (714) 998-1891 or lasct@earthlink if you would like an advertising packet.

LASCT NOMINATIONS FOR 2017-2018 SECRETARY

If you are interested in running for LASCT Secretary or wish to nominate a candidate, please contact the LASCT office at lasct@earthlink.net or (714) 998-1891.

LASCT NEW WEBSITE

The LASCT has a new, improved website – www.lasct.org. Please check out the website for current information!

GOOD FELLOWSHIP NEWS

WITH DEEPEST SYMPATHY:

♦ **Lambert "Bert" Osen's** son, Larry and wife, Shari, are planning a Memorial Celebration of Bert Osen's Life and Contributions to the People, Organizations and Things that he loved so much. This Celebration will take place on Saturday, May 13, at The Phoenix Club in Anaheim. Gathering time will be 11:30. Please plan to attend and share stories, memories, and toast a man who had a very personal and close relationship with the LASCT that goes back nearly 50 years. It is certain that Bert will be looking down and smile on all gathered to share memories and camaraderie, (his favorite word – Camaraderie). The Phoenix Club is located just east of the 57 Freeway, at the Ball Road Offramp [Behind Hardin Hyundai Dealership]. **Important** - The Osen Family would love for you to attend this celebration. Please help the family to plan for your attendance by acknowledging your intention to attend, by clicking a return response to this email.

To report any new "happenings", please contact the Derek Marin, Dunn-Edwards Corporation, at (323) 826-2668, or by email at lasct@earthlink.net.

CAL POLY SLO POLYMERS & COATINGS SUMMER SHORT COURSE

Cal Poly's summer short course on polymers and coatings will be held July 24-28, 2017. The course brings together academic and industrial experts in the field. The one-week course covers many aspects of coating technology with emphasis on liquid coatings, both waterborne and solvent-based. Participants benefit from discussions of VOC and air quality aspects of coatings by experts in both industry and government regulatory agencies. Participants are expected to have had some exposure to the coatings field along with working knowledge in chemistry and other sciences. Enclosed please find the Summer Course Brochure.

WESTERN COATINGS SYMPOSIUM 2017

The FALL 2017 Western Coatings Symposium will be held October 15-18, 2017, at the Paris Las Vegas Hotel in Las Vegas. The tabletops are selling fast, don't let the opportunity to exhibit at the largest western coatings show go by. You can register to attend now! The technical talks have been extended to include all day on Wednesday. Visit the website at www.westerncoatings.org for current information.

LASCT IS NOW ON FACEBOOK!

Search for Los Angeles Society of Coatings Technology page on Facebook. The 100th LASCT member to "Like" our page will get a \$100 gift card! Check it out to view upcoming social events and historical photos. If you'd like to add something to the page, feel free to contact your Board of Directors.

EMPLOYMENT

Companies in the coatings industry are hiring! Employment opportunities are posted on the LASCT website at lasct.org. Postings are updated regularly.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

Please mark your calendars for the **June Meeting** which will be held on **Wednesday, June 14, 2017**. As always, meetings are held on the **second Wednesday of each month**. See you there!

Alexander Hughes
2016-2017 LASCT Secretary

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Price: \$ 25.00 per person - includes parking

Name: _____ Phone: _____

Company: _____ Email: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip _____

No. of tickets _____ at \$ 25.00 = \$ _____

Total Amount Due \$ _____

No. of Parking Tickets needed: _____

Please mail this form and check to:

LASCT
P.O. Box 3633
Orange, CA 92857

Coating Science &

Technology at Cal Poly

California Polytechnic State University, San Luis Obispo, is one of the 23 campuses of the California State University system. Cal Poly enrolls over 20,000 students and is nationally recognized for the excellence of its programs in architecture, agriculture, engineering, and the sciences. Cal Poly's Polymers and Coatings program, an integral part of the Chemistry and Biochemistry Department of the College of Science and Mathematics, offers both an Undergraduate Concentration and a Masters degree in Polymers and Coatings Science. The Western Coatings Technology Center is the key interphase between Cal Poly and the coating industry.

Short Course Overview

Cal Poly's summer short course on polymers and coatings brings together academic and industrial experts in the field. The one-week course covers many aspects of coating technology with emphasis on liquid coatings, both waterborne and solvent-based. Participants benefit from discussions of a wide range of topics by industry and academic experts, including VOC and air quality aspects of coatings agencies. Participants are expected to have had some exposure to the coatings field, along with working knowledge in chemistry and other sciences.

For More Information:

Visit wctc.calpoly.edu

CAL POLY

SAN LUIS OBISPO

Polymers & Coatings

Summer Short Course

July 24-28, 2017

Kenneth N Edwards Western Coatings Technology Center | California

Polytechnic State University

San Luis Obispo, CA 93407 | (805) 756-2395

pandc@calpoly.edu | wctc.calpoly.edu



Agenda

Monday July 24 – Friday July 28, 2017

- Overview of course, review of basic chemistry
- Introduction to polymer chemistry
- Overview of VOC analysis
- Physical polymer chemistry
- Polymer analysis
- Organic polymer chemistry
- Coatings formulation
- Coatings properties and testing
- Coatings rheology and application aspects
- Discussion of lab results

Lab Sessions

- Suspension and emulsion polymerization, GPC molecular weight analysis, viscosity molecular weight analysis.
- Paint formulation from commercial latex and student latex, paint testing, thermal analysis.
- Formulate architectural coatings, two-component urethane, epoxy coatings, test coatings.
- VOC analysis by ASTM, Cal Poly and GC methods.

Travel & Accommodations

San Luis Obispo is located in California's Central Coast region, 200 miles north of Los Angeles and 230 miles south of San Francisco. Participants who wish to drive from the Los Angeles or San Francisco areas may take Route 101. All major airlines offer services to San Luis Obispo Airport with connecting flights from Los Angeles, San Francisco, and Phoenix. The San Luis Obispo Chamber of Commerce website (www.visitslo.com) contains information for local hotels. Lodging is not included in the program price.



Course Fees 2017*

Before 5:00 PM on June 23, 2017: **\$1550**

After 5:00 PM on June 23, 2017: **\$1650**

Participants can register online at, wctc.calpoly.edu when the link becomes available.

*Program fee includes handout hard copies, electronic copies of the course material, parking permits, and lunch Monday-Thursday.

Instructors

Dr. Gary Dombrowsky, Dow Chemical
Dr. Ray Fernando, Cal Poly State University
Dr. Dane Jones, Cal Poly State University
Mr. Stuart Lipskin, BYK Additives Company
Dr. Patrick Lutz, EPS/Color Corporation
Mr. David Mukoda, Chemours Corporation
Mr. Scott Van Remortel, Unimin Corporation
Mr. Don Ricks, Evonik Industries
Dr. Erik Sapper, Cal Poly State University
Dr. Myron Shaffer, Covestro Corporation
Dr. Shanju Zhang, Cal Poly State University



Important Information

The Cal Poly Kenneth N Edwards Western Coatings Technology Center in cooperation with Cal Poly Conference & Event Planning Department offers this program to professionals in the field of polymers and coatings. The program begins on Monday, July 24th at 8:00 am, and ends on Friday, July 28th by 12:00 noon.

The early registration period ends at 5:00PM on Sunday, June 23, 2017. Registrations received after this deadline will be charged the full amount of \$1650.

Cancellation of enrollment must be received in writing. To receive a full refund, cancellation request must be received no later than June 23, 2017. No refunds will be issued after that date. A \$125.00 administration fee is assessed for processing refunds. Questions concerning registration or refunds should be directed to Cal Poly Conference & Event Planning at (805) 756-7600, FAX (805) 756-7601.

California Polytechnic State University is an equal opportunity institution. Individuals with disabilities requiring specific accommodations are encouraged to notify the Western Coatings Technology Center in advance of this program.

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Local Membership Application September 2017 - August 2018 Membership

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Date _____
Amount _____
Check _____
Initials _____

MEMBERSHIP DEADLINE:

Application and Fee due no later than July 1, 2017 to be listed in 2017-2018 Yearbook

Check one: Renewal New Member

(Please print legibly)

Member Name: _____

Member Type: _____

Company: _____

Position: _____

Co. Address: _____

Business Phone: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Fax: _____

Mailing Address: _____

Email: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____

LOCAL SOCIETY MEMBERSHIP

LOCAL DUES: \$55.00 – Active \$55.00 – Associate \$10.00 – Educator \$10.00 – Student
\$10.00 – Retired \$ 0.00 – Honorary Member or Retired - Member for 15 years or greater

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ACA Membership – Members who wish to join or renew their membership with LASCT and the ACA need to complete the Membership form provided from ACA. Payment for both local and ACA dues must be made directly to ACA. Visit the website at www.coatingstech.org for details.

Check One: Coatings Manufacturer _____ Material/Equipment Supplier _____ Consultant/Service Provider _____
Educator _____ Student _____

I would like to be considered to serve on the following committee(s):

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| (1) Audit _____ | (6) Entertainment _____ | (11) Publicity _____ |
| (2) Const. By Laws _____ | (7) Library _____ | (12) Scholarship _____ |
| (3) Computer _____ | (8) Manufacturing _____ | (13) Technical _____ |
| (4) Education _____ | (9) Membership _____ | (14) Yearbook _____ |
| (5) Environmental _____ | (10) Photographer _____ | (15) Other (specify) _____ |

Would you present yourself as a candidate for office? Yes _____ No _____

Would you like to serve on a National Committee? Yes _____ No _____

Signature _____ Date _____