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LASCT Educational Zoom Webinar
“Polymer 101 for Architectural Coatings”

Modern architectural paints offer consumers more design options, better environmental and health profiles, and a wider variety of performance choices than ever before. These advancements can largely be credited to the evolving polymer technology, currently dominated by acrylic and vinyl acrylic resins. Significant industry resources are devoted to innovation around polymer technology, responding to a variety of drivers including regulatory, market trends, and performance gaps. A brief history of polymer technology in architectural coatings, the polymer science behind the most common resins, and current innovation drivers and unmet market needs are discussed.

We welcome everyone. Email LASCT to sign up no later than October 1st to get your Zoom link at: LASCT@earthlink.net



- **Dr. Allen Bulick, Technical Director
Dunn-Edwards Corporation**
- **Webinar Date: October 2nd, 2020**
- **Time: 10:00-11:00 AM, Pacific Time**

Allen Bulick is the Technical Director of Product Development at Dunn Edwards Paints, responsible for new product development and product improvement for the architectural coatings market. Dunn Edwards is an architectural coatings company based in the Southwest with a 95-year history of delivering market leading products to the professional painter. Previously, Allen worked for Engineered Polymer Solutions as the Technical Manager for industrial and construction resins and began his career at Dow Chemical in their Core R&D group. He has a background as a research scientist in small molecule and polymer synthesis and formulation science in a variety of fields including coatings, electronic materials, oil & gas, and personal care. He received a PhD in Chemical Engineering from Texas A&M University with a focus on tissue engineering and is an author on 8 US patents.