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The Biocomposites in Construction International Conference

London 21st & 22nd May 2015

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Society of Chemical Industry 14-15 Belgrave Square, London United Kingdom

GENERAL INFORMATION

Costs This event is free to attend.

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Biocomposites In Construction

Working towards a more sustainable construction sector, the Bio-Composites in Construction International Conference will be held on May 21st & 22nd 2015 at the Society of Chemical Industry in London.

The conference will bring together both academics and industry from around Europe to report and discuss the latest developments on topics incorporating the entire bio-composite value chain - from raw materials to finished products, from science to commercial realisation.

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Day 1 - 21st May

09:00 - 09:45	Registration		
09:45 - 10:00	lan Hayton Welcome and Introduction	EXERGY, UK	
Biocomposites Perspective (I)			
10:00 - 10:30	Rob Elias Challenges for biocomposites in the construction sector	BANGOR UNI, UK	
10:30 - 11:00	Anthony Stevenson Biocomposite construction elements	NETCOMPOSITES, UK	
11:00 - 11:30	Refreshments		
	Biocomposites Perspective (II)		
11:30 - 12:00	Gozde Unkaya Certification and Standardisation for Sustainable Construction	EXERGY, UK	
12:00 - 12:30	Antonio Barona LCA - biocomposites	VERTECH, FR	
12:30 - 13:00	lan Holmes Strategy and funding - bio-economy	INNOVATE UK, UK	
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch		
New Biomaterials			
14:00 - 14:30	Antonio Touriño Couso Bioadhesives and Bioadditives in Construction products	FORESA, ES	
14:30 - 15:00	Bouchra Benjelloun The CIMV Biorefinery approach	CIMV, FR	
15:00 - 15:30	Ana Palanca High value-added chemicals and bioresins from algae biorefineries	AIMPLAS, ES	
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Day 2 - 22st May

Improved Biofibers			
09:00 - 09:30	Paola Orsolini Overview of cellulose nanofibers production	EMPA, CH	
09:30 - 10:00	Tanja Zimmermann Nanocellulose applications	EMPA, CH	
10:00 - 10:30	Álvaro Tejado Superhydrophobic cellulose fibres to improve the durability of biocomposites	TECNALIA, ES	
10:30 - 11:00	Refreshments		
	New Biocomposites		
11:00 - 11:30	Ana Ibáñez-García Almond shell based polymer composites	AIJU, ES	
11:30 - 12:00	Shaul Lapidot Applications of Nano Crystalline Cellulose Foams in Composites, Transportation	MELODEA, IS on and Construction	
12:00 - 12:30	Michael Schweizer Lignin-based Biocomposite for WPC profiles	TECNARO, ES	
12:30 - 13:00	Alberto Sanchez Fire safety for bio-based building materials	TECNALIA, ES	
13:00 - 14:00	Lunch New Products		
14:00 - 14:30	Heiko Thoemen The development of a bio-based ultra-light particleboard	BFH, CH	
14:30 - 15:00	Malin Brodin Decorative laminates – Wood fibre based biocomposites	PFI, NO	
15:00 - 15:30	Heidi Peltola Light weight biocomposites for construction sector	VTT, FI	
15:30	lan Hayton - Conference Closing	EXERGY, UK	

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