

Multilayer Packaging Films 2011

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AMI is pleased to invite you to attend the **Multilayer Packaging Films 2011** conference, which takes place from 25-27 October 2011 at the Maritim Hotel in Cologne, Germany. This year the conference commences with a view of the flexible packaging markets from several perspectives: a top brand owner, a market expert and a leading manufacturer of speciality films.

Sustainability is a key issue in the packaging industry at present and this will be covered from a wide range of viewpoints. There are also advances in sealing properties of films, adhesive and inter-adhesive layers including a new supplier. The right machinery can improve production, cut downtime and reduce costs – some key manufacturers will be exhibiting and talking about their latest developments in multilayer film production. Barrier properties are critical for many applications and this topic will be discussed by materials and machinery companies.

There are currently a number of interesting new innovations including active packaging from one leading film company, and state-of-the-art sensor development for smart packaging from a top research institute.

Multilayer Packaging Films 2011 brings together the whole industry supply chain and offers a meeting point to keep up to date with market trends and developments in flexible packaging materials. It provides a unique time to network and assess future opportunities.

EARLY BIRD REGISTRATION OFFER

Register before 16th September 2011 and pay €890* saving €100* on the full price of €990*. There are additional discounts for group bookings. The registration fee includes attendance at all conference sessions, the welcome cocktail reception, lunch and refreshment breaks on both days, and a set of conference proceedings.

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MULTILAYER PACKAGING FILMS 2011: EXHIBITION SPACE

Make it easy for the delegates to find you at this busy event with your own table top exhibition space. Bring your own display stand, or just use the space to have literature and samples available and ensure that you make an impact. The table top exhibition will run throughout the conference in the spacious lobby to the main meeting room.

Registration includes 1 free delegate place!

Space is limited so to avoid disappointment please register for this service as soon as possible.

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C O N F E R E N C E

Tuesday 25th October 2011

17.00 Registration
18.00-19.30 Welcome Cocktail Reception
There are no conference sessions on this day

Wednesday 26th October 2011

08.00 Registration and welcome coffee
09.00 Opening announcements

MARKET OVERVIEW

- 09.10 **Flexible packaging markets in Europe – market demand and industry change**
Mr. Andrew Reynolds, Research Director,
AMI CONSULTING, United Kingdom
- 09.40 **Developing packages in partnership with our suppliers**
Dr. Michael Remus, Packaging Manager,
PROCTER & GAMBLE, Germany
- 10.10 **How to design the film properties to the manifold customer needs**
Dr. Achim Grefenstein, Director Corporate R&D,
RWK SE, Germany

10.40-11.10 Morning coffee sponsored by:



SESSION 1 – SEALING AND ADHESIVES

- 11.10 **Improving seal integrity to avoid food wastage**
Dr. Jef Van Dun, Scientific Partner Dow Packaging and
Converting TS&D Europe,
DOW EUROPE GmbH, Switzerland
- 11.40 **Adhesives for food safe multilayer packaging films**
Dr. Hermann Onusseit, Technical Director,
HENKEL AG & CO. KGaA, Germany
- 12.10 **Products based on butene-1 technologies selected for innovative packaging applications**
Ms. Inge Roucourt, Industry Manager,
Seal-Peel and Reclosable Systems,
BASELL POLYOLEFINS COMPANY B.V.B.A., Belgium

12.40-14.10 Lunch sponsored by:



SESSION 2 – CONSTRUCTING BARRIERS

- 14.10 **New perspectives in multi-layer cast film extrusion lines**
Mr. Paul Bullock, Area Sales Manager,
REIFENHÄUSER EXTRUSION GmbH & Co. KG, Germany
- 14.40 **New developments in extrudable adhesive resins**
Mr. Erik Bijleveld, Product and Application
Development Manager,
YPAREX BV, Netherlands
- 15.10 **Co-polyamides for flexible multilayer packaging films**
Mr. Christopher Passe, R&D Engineer,
UBE ENGINEERING PLASTICS, Spain

15.40-16.10 Afternoon tea sponsored by:



PROGRAMME

- 16.10 **Simultaneous orientation for barrier oriented film**
Mr. Giovanni Stocchetti, Sales Director,
GAP S.r.l., Italy
- 16.40 **Active packaging applications utilising layer multiplying technology – added barrier for microlayer structures**
Mr. Gary D. Oliver, Vice President Technology,
EXTRUSION DIES INDUSTRIES, United States
- 17.10 **Film inspection: the gel count standard**
Mr. Oliver Hissmann, Sales Manager,
OCS OPTICAL CONTROL SYSTEMS GmbH, Germany
- 20.00 Conference Dinner

Thursday 27th October 2011

- 08.30 Registration and welcome coffee
09.00 Opening announcements

SESSION 3 – LATEST DEVELOPMENTS

- 09.10 **Active pharma packaging: laminates with desiccant**
Dr. Oliver Brandl, Product Development Engineer,
AMCOR FLEXIBLES EUROPE AND AMERICAS, Germany
- 09.40 **Food monitoring: development of new sensor materials for smart packaging films**
Dr. Gerhard Mohr, Head of Workgroup "Sensor Materials",
FRAUNHOFER RESEARCH INSTITUTION FOR MODULAR
SOLID-STATE TECHNOLOGIES EMFT, Germany
- 10.10 **Tie-layer resins for multilayer packaging film applications. Innovation matters. A new player, a new perspective.**
Drs.-Ing. Patrick Geurts, Business Development Manager,
BU Films,
INDUSTRIE POLIECO – M.P.B. S.r.l., Italy

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SESSION 4 – SUSTAINABLE PLASTICS

- 11.10 **New metallocene polyolefins developments for more sustainable multilayer film solutions**
Mrs. Fabienne Radermacher, TS&D,
TOTAL PETROCHEMICALS RESEARCH FELUY, Belgium
- 11.40 **Bio-barrier laminates**
Mr. Joachim Janz, Sales Account Manager Northern Germany,
INNOVIA FILMS Ltd., Germany
- 12.10 **Enhancing the properties of biopolymers by co-extrusion**
Mr. Patrick Zimmermann, Director Marketing & Sales,
FKUR KUNSTSTOFF GmbH, Germany

12.40-14.00 Lunch sponsored by:



14.10 **Travel to Reifenhäuser GmbH premises.**

14.30-16.30 **Site visit and tour of Reifenhäuser GmbH facility**
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1. Network with top industry players
2. Learn about new technology
3. Review market trends
4. Benchmark your company against other leading players
5. Assess future opportunities

