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# PITTSBURGH SOCIETY FOR COATINGS TECHNOLOGY



TOPIC:	New Environmentally Friendly, High Performing Fluorosurfactant				
SPEAKER:	Christina Marlier – EMD Chemicals				
PLACE:	Walnut Grill 911 Freeport Rd. • Pittsburgh, PA 15238 412-782-4768 • walnutgroverestaurant.com				
TIME:	Board Meeting Social Hour Presentation / Speaker Dinner / Meeting	4:00 pm 5:00 pm 6:00 pm 7:00 pm			
COST:	\$35 with reservation • \$40 at door •	\$15 retired			

## **RESERVATIONS:**

Please contact Mark DePasquale by Thursday, MARCH 5, 2015 at treasurer@paintsociety.org or 570-575-5253 or sign up via PayPal online at www.paintsociety.org.



# **SPEAKER'S BIO**

**CHRISTINA MARLIER** is currently a Market Development Specialist for Technical Functional Materials with EMD Chemicals. She graduated from The Pennsylvania State University with a B.S.

in Chemical Engineering. She previously worked as an Applications Engineer with Solvay Solexis specializing in fluorinated polymer fluids. She joined EMD Chemicals in 2010 to utilize her expertise in fluoro-chemistry to help launch EMDs new fluorosurfactant line. She is also the Vice President for the Pittsburgh Society for Coatings Technologies. In her spare time she enjoys spending time with her family and traveling.

# ABSTRACT

# New Environmentally Friendly, High Performing Fluorosurfactant

A new class of environmentally friendly fluorosurfactants based on C2 and C3 perfluoroalkyl chains has been developed. The branched short-chain structures yield low static or very dynamic surface tension properties. Combined with its outstanding ecotoxicological profile this material class provides a very environmentally friendly alternative to long chain fluorinated material ≥C6. In coatings systems, particularly waterborne, wetting and leveling properties are improved. Cratering defects and foam generation are reduced.

# PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE



## **Dear PSCT Members,**

I would like to thank Ken Trimber for his presentation on Paint Condition Assessments and Permeance – How to Improve the Performance of CMU Buildings. Our March speaker, Christina Marlier, currently serves as the Vice President of PSCT and will be giving a

talk on New Environmentally Friendly, High Performing Fluorosurfactant. We are winding down the 2014-2015 season for the PSCT. There is a lot to be done before it comes to a close in May with our Social Event.

- FIRST I want to remind the PSCT Members with High School and College age Students to apply for the Hiram P. Ball Memorial Scholarship and the students majoring in the Science, Technology, Engineering or Mathematics field, please apply for the \$500 Grant that is available. It is very important to review the requirements included in this Newsletter (pages 4 & 5). The deadline for the application is March 15th, please fill out those applications and send them to Julie Glover at jglover@kta.com or 115 Technology Drive, Pittsburgh, PA 15275.
- SECOND The election of officers will be taking place at the April meeting. Please consider nominating yourself or someone from our membership as a candidate for Vice President, Secretary, Treasurer, Director or ACA Society Liaison Representative. The Vice President is a 3-year commitment as the VP is expected to be President the next year, and serve on the Board as Past President the following year. Our current Society Representative is in the second year of a 2-year term. Please seriously consider serving as an officer for the PSCT.
- THIRD The location of the May Social Event will be voted upon at the March meeting (see page 6). Tim Hurley has put together the various suggested options that were brought up by the members. Those options are described within this newsletter. Please look over the venues and either vote at the meeting or if you cannot attend this month, send your preference in advance of the March meeting to Tim Hurley at thurley@ppg.com.

#### **Chrissy Stewart**

PSCT President 2014-2015

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## WEBSITE

Please visit http://paintsociety.org and view the website, including the current newsletter, President's message, photos from the golf outing and more. Don't forget you can RSVP and pay for the upcoming dinner meeting from the home page of the website! You can also renew your membership directly online.

# **PSCT SCHOLARSHIP**

The Hiram H. Ball Scholarship requirements for 2014-2015 were first published in earlier newsletters. Please review them and contact Julie Glover (jglover@kta.com) if you have any questions. Deadline for application is March 15, 2015, no exceptions.

# **ONLINE SEMINAR**



H.M. Royal & Rütgers Novares invite you to attend a WebEx Training Event:

Performance Resins for Long Lasting Coatings



# Modifiers for Today's Regulatory and Performance Environment

**Dr. Jun Liu** and **Benjamin Boenigk** of Rütgers Novares GmbH will present new data relating to the use of hydrocarbon resins as modifiers in epoxy and PU coatings. Findings include:

- Functional alternative to NONYL PHENOL in epoxy coatings
- Improved flexibility and reduced leaching by low viscosity plasticizer in epoxy coatings
- Chemical Resistance in polar and aqueous Media
- High hydrophobic plasticizer in PU coatings
- Improved chemical and corrosion resistance in Polyaspartic Coatings

We will host two conferences scheduled as follows.

Monday March 9th @ 12:00 PM EST Monday March 16th @ 11:00 AM EST

# **PSCT Membership Application and Dues Renewal Form for 2014-2015**

1. MAILING ADDRESS:		2. CONTACT INFORMATION:				
Name:		Work Dhone:				
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3. MEMBERSHIP DUES						
☐ Primary Full Membership \$30	Secondary Full Membershi	p \$30				
*Please indicate primary society memb	pership:					
5. PAYMENT INFORMATION:	□ Check payable to PSCT					
6. SIGNATURE AND DATE: (Required	I)					
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Pittsburgh Society for Coatings Technology Hiram P. Ball Memorial Scholarship

**PSCT Science, Technology, Engineering Mathematics Grant Application** 

## **APPLICATION DEADLINE: MARCH 15, 2015**

ALL APPLICANTS MUST ATTACH OFFICIAL, FULL AND DETAILED COPY OF TRANSCRIPT

Applicant (student):						
Permanent Address:						
Phone:E	e:Email:					
PSCT Member Sponsor:						
Present School/University (2013-14):						
College/University (2014-15)						
OFFICIAL CLASS STATUS AS OF DECEMBER 31, 2014:						
Graduating High School Senior	College:	C Freshman	Sophomore	Junior	□ Senior	
Major Course of Study:			Cumulative Grade Point Average:			
Science, Technology, Engineering, or Mathematics Grant Applicant: 🗅			Major Study GPA (last 12 months):			
FIRST-TIME APPLICANTS: Please submit 2 character references from teachers, clergy, employers, professionals, etc., who are familiar with the student's goals and aspirations.						
STUDENT SIGNATURE			D	ate:		
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PSCT SPONSORING MEMBER SIGNATURE			D	ato		

Return to: Julie Glover PSCT Education Chairman 115 Technology Drive Pittsburgh, PA 15275 jglover@kta.com

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# REQUIREMENTS

- The PSCT Board of Directors will determine, in January, the total amount of scholarship money to be awarded each year.
- The maximum dollar amount of each scholarship will be \$1500. Scholarship money will be awarded equally to students as recommended by the Scholarship Committee. The Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics grant will be added to the recipient's scholarship award. (See Grant requirements below)
- Scholarship awards are to support undergraduate studies of FULL-TIME students enrolled in an accredited college or university seeking an associate or bachelor degree as of December 31, 2014. (Students must have maintained a minimum of 12 credits per semester to be considered full time)
- · Scholarships may be awarded to any applicant a maximum of four times.
- Applicant must be the child of an actively participating PSCT member who is current with dues. The member must also attend at least four (4) PSCT meetings or events a year or serve as a PSCT Committee Chair.
- Scholarships are limited to one award per applicant per PSCT member per year.
- Applicants must submit a Hiram P. Ball Memorial Scholarship Application which includes a 200-word minimum essay explaining how their course of study will allow the student to reach their professional and educational goals. The Scholarship recipients will present their essay and choose a type of multi-media presentation at the PSCT April Meeting. The multi-media presentation may be a 3-5 minute PowerPoint, video, live presentation, or other type of media.
- Applicants must maintain a 2.75 (out of 4.0) grade average.
- The Scholarship Committee will consist of five PSCT Members who do not have a child or relative applying for a scholarship.
- COURSE OF STUDY:

Although all courses of study are open, students are encouraged to pursue scientific, engineering or mathematical programs that lead to employment in the Coatings Industry.

- New Applicants must also submit 2 Character References who know the student and their goals:
  - Teachers
     • Clergy
     • Employers
  - Neighbors/Friends
    Professionals (doctors, business people)

# **PSCT Science, Technology, Engineering Mathematics Grant Requirements**

The Pittsburgh Society for Coatings Technology is a technical society to promote the welfare of the coatings Industry. The Society will be offering an additional grant to one student who is enrolled in a technical course of study. To be considered for this grant, the student must meet the following criteria. If more than one applicant meets the criteria, the award will be made to the student with the highest cumulative grade point average as of application deadline. If no applicant meets the requirements, no grant will be made.

The decision of the PSCT Scholarship Committee is final in their decision regarding the grant.

#### Criteria:

- Must meet all other Hiram P. Ball Memorial Scholarship requirements.
- Applicant must have declared a major in Science, Technology, Engineering or Mathematics.
- Applicant must be entering their Junior or Senior year of college or university.
- Applicant must identify course directly associated with declared major curriculum.
- Applicant must have a GPA of 3.0 or greater in these related courses over the past 12 months (including summer school).
- Applicants must highlight within the transcript, the courses that were taken.
- The grant will be an additional \$500 over the Hiram P. Ball Memorial Scholarship award.

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# **MAY EVENT OPTIONS**

Hey PSCT members, after hibernating through February, it's time again to choose our Spring Event! We have two tried and true choices to choose from for our May outing. Please take a look and we will vote on the choices at the March 9th meeting. Those who cannot attend Monday's meeting can e-mail me your choice to thurley@ppg.com before March 9th.



## 1st Option: La Casa Narcisi Winery

## Wine Tasting & Buffet

## Gibsonia, PA - Wednesday, May 6th

The Narcisi Winery is located on Route 910 in Gibsonia and is a fun place to visit with free wine tasting of the winery's many brands. We would have our own room with a cash wine bar in the room.

The cost per person is \$50 / person based on 40 people and would need to be on Wednesday May 6th.

## The Buffet Menu would include:

- Italian Chopped Salad
- Pasta Vite Fusilli pasta in a light chicken bercy sauce tossed together with tomatoes, spinach and feta cheese
- Grilled Vegetables
- Roasted Redskin Potatoes
- Chicken Milan Italian breaded chicken lightly pan seared and baked to a golden brown with a fresh Mozzarella topping
- Hand Carved Prime Rib
- Ice cream or seasonal sorbet
- Unlimited non-alcoholic beverages



## 2nd Option: Pittsburgh Hofbräuhaus

## **Dinner, Tour and Beer Tasting**

## **Tuesday May 5th**

It's always Oktoberfest at the Hofbräuhaus in the Southside. Back by popular demand the Hofbäauhaus again offers a beer making and beer tasting tour followed by a great dinner selection followed by live entertainment in their unique German Bier Hall.

Cost for this dinner buffet and beer tasting is \$50 / person. The room is available Tuesday May 5th for our event.

## The Pittsburgh Hoffbräuhaus menu:

Includes refillable soft drink or tea or coffee, Bavarian Pretzel and House Salad

Choice of one of the following:

• Wiener Style Schnitzel

Pan fried breaded Pork Cutlet with German Potato Salad and Chef's Vegetable Selection

Hofbrauhaus Wurstlteller

Grilled Bierwurst, Bratwurst and Frankfurter with Sauerkraut and Mashed Potatoes

• Hiedelberger Rahm Spaetzel

Spaetzle with roasted Chicken Breast, caramelized Onions and Field Mushrooms in a Marsala Wine Cream Sauce

• Kasespatzle (Vegetarian Option)

Sautéed Spatzle with Swiss Cheese, diced Onions and Cream Sauce, topped with Frizzled Onions and Chives.

Desert

• Apfel Strudel ½ portion

Traditional homemade Bavarian apple strudel with powdered sugar

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## **EASTERN COATINGS SHOW**

## June 8 - June 11, 2015

With the uncertainty created by the Taj Mahal's recent bankruptcy filing, the Eastern Coatings Federation, Inc., has in place a contingency plan at another venue. Should the Taj Mahal become unavailable, the alternative is the Atlantic City Convention Center. Mark your calendars accordingly and keep an eye out for further updates. Please don't hesitate to contact the ECS Executive Director at info@easterncoatingsshow.com or 732.291.0168 with any questions.

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