



Plastics in Automotive 2016

A BPF Seminar

DATE: 27th September 2016

TIME: 10.00am

LOCATION: New Road Cricket Ground,
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Plastics in Automotive 2016

In the aftermath of the Brexit debate and with the British automotive sector growing year on year, the BPF 'Plastics in Automotive' seminar will explore the future of the industry and the role plastics have to play.

Featuring presentations from major automotive producers as well as industry experts, this event will provide delegates with a comprehensive examination of the current state of the market and the risks and opportunities for the future. The seminar will also explore important areas such as plastics recycling in the automotive sector, what an automotive major wants from their plastics manufacturer and how Brexit will affect the sector.

This is your opportunity to listen to relevant and insightful information and to network with your peers.

SEMINAR PROGRAMME:

Morning Session

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| 10.00 | Registration & Refreshments |
| 10.25 | Chairman's Introduction |
| 10.30 | Automotive Sector Overview:
Where Are We Now and What
Does 2016 –2017 Hold?
<i>Christian Hainz, Ernst and Young</i> |
| 11.00 | What an Automotive Major
Wants from Their Plastics
Manufacturer
<i>Ian Ray, Jaguar Land Rover</i> |
| 11.30 | Morning Break |
| 11.45 | Crashing Low Weight Cars
<i>Kevin Lindsey, Far Composites</i> |
| 12.15 | Weight Reduction and the EU
2025 Carbon Emission Targets
<i>Peter Wells, Cardiff Business
School</i> |
| 12.45 | Networking Lunch |

Afternoon Session

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| 13.45 | The Circular Economy and the
Automotive Industry
<i>Prof. Kerry Kirwan
Warwick Manufacturing Group</i> |
| 14.15 | How Brexit Will Affect the
Automotive Sector
<i>Nicole Boehler
Squire Patton Boggs</i> |
| 14.45 | Universal Robots and their Role
in the Automotive Sector
<i>Per Kloster Poulsen
Universal Robots</i> |
| 15.15 | Afternoon Break and Close |

Speakers

Prof. Kerry Kirwan

Warwick Manufacturing Group

Kerry Kirwan is a professor at WMG, University of Warwick. He is the director of the £11m EPSRC Centre for Doctoral Training in Sustainable Materials and Manufacturing (EngD), strategic director of the £10m Industrial Doctorate Centre and head of the Sustainable Materials and Manufacturing Research Group within WMG. Prof Kirwan also leads the University of Warwick's Global Research Priority in Innovative Manufacturing. He is also a member of the EPSRC's Manufacturing the Future Strategic Advisory Team and the Midlands Engine Science and Innovation Audit Group.

Prof Kirwan is a specialist in sustainable materials, polymer processing and automotive applications, having graduated from Warwick's Engineering Doctorate (EngD) programme in 2003, specialising in innovative materials for automotive glazing. He has considerable experience in both injection moulding and novel utilisation of polymers. Professor Kirwan has published extensively in these areas and secured a number of patents.

Peter Wells

Cardiff Business School

Peter Wells is a professor of business and sustainability at Cardiff Business School where his work spanned across spatial industrial development, economics, organisational theory, industrial ecology, technological change, transitions theory, business models and sustainability – all through an applied focus on the global automotive industry. He teaches themes of transport, mobility and business sustainability on the MBA and MSc programmes, as well as to a wide range of companies and organisations.

Per Kloster Poulsen

Universal Robots

Per has been active in different segments of the automation business for 10 years. He has previously worked for Lely Agriculture in the Netherlands, introducing robotic milking to the danish market and for Pedax in Germany, introducing robotic production of Rebar to the North American and Scandinavian market. His work at Universal Robots involves introducing collaborative robots to the North European Markets. The common thread in all of these roles has been introducing a new automation product to a non mature market.

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