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Thursday
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Plastics in Automotive 2014 returns following the outstanding success of the 2013 event. Featuring presentations from major producers such as Nissan as well as important subjects such as lightweighting, recycling and the current state of the industry. This is your chance to network with your peers, listen to essential presentations and ensure you are up to date on important information that will affect your business.

Who should attend: This seminar is aimed at all parts of the plastics for automotive supply chain and will provide valuable information for all senior and middle managers

Seminar Programme

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| 10.00 - 10.25 | Registration and Refreshments |
| 10.25 - 10.30 | Chairman's Introduction |
| 10.30 - 11.10 | Current State of the Automotive Industry in the UK, Rob Morbin, SMMT <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Where growth is happening within the automotive industry in the UK • What 2015 holds for the UK automotive industry • Trends and threats in 2015 that will affect the industry |
| 11.10 - 11.45 | Nissan and Automotive Production in the UK, Mark Ellis, Nissan <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Where Nissan foresee their future in the UK • Nissan production for 2015 onwards and the role of plastics • What Nissan need from suppliers |
| 11.45 - 12.00 | Morning Break |
| 12.00 - 12.40 | Bioplastics in Automotive Applications, Vittorio Bortolon, Softer <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • How Toyota are using bioplastics in their cars • Where Toyota see the future of bioplastics |
| 12.40 - 13.40 | Networking Lunch |
| 13.40 - 14.10 | Lightweighting, Dr Kevin Lindsey, Far Composites |
| 14.10 - 14.40 | Plastics recycling and the Automotive industry, Keith Freegaard, Axion Recycling <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The role, performance and capabilities of recycling companies who deliver their material to the Automotive industry |
| 14.40 - 15.10 | Future Technologies, Professor Peter Wells, Cardiff University <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Future automotive technologies that plastics producers should be made aware of |
| 15.10 | Afternoon Break and Close |

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Vittorio Bortolon, Softer

Vittorio Bortolon studied Chemical Engineering in Italy. He founded IGATPLAST special compounding and master batch company in 1982. In 1989 he moved on to managing the European specialty business for Cabot corporation. Vittorio founded Pgroup in 1993, and was the President until 2010 when the company was acquired by Softer. Now he is the Managing Director of Pgroup Softer Deutschland GMBH, and Business director of the chemistry division of Softer. He is the co-inventor of Dolphin technology and Since 2007 responsible of all the research activities in PLA.

His team developed polymerization technology and special compound for durable goods named PLANTURA™.



Mark Ellis, Nissan

Mark's initial career was in the automotive turbocharger industry, working on advanced bearing systems and ceramic material applications. Mark then completed a master's degree in automotive engineering at Cranfield Institute of Technology, before joining Nissan's European Technical Centre in 1991, initially assigned to the engine design department.

Mark then transferred to the materials design department. Following formation of the Nissan-Renault alliance, Mark worked on material synergies and European / Global polymer strategy.

After a secondment to Nissan's technical centre near Atsugi in Japan, Mark was promoted to the position of manager within the materials department, taking responsibility for all material types, from new material development to ELV aspects – a 'cradle to grave' responsibility.



Keith Freegard, Axion Recycling

Keith is a Director of Axion Recycling Ltd, with over 25 years of operational management experience in a wide range of production environments. As a Chartered Chemical Engineer, Keith believes in applying the best processing technology to extract maximum yield and value from plastic waste streams. In recent years he has been developing Axion's unique plastics recycling business in Manchester with a focus on sales and marketing of high-quality polymers made from recovered WEEE plastic waste.



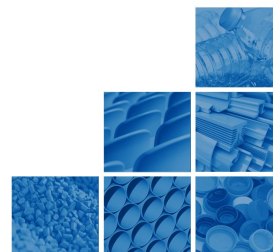
Professor Peter Wells, Cardiff University

Peter Wells is a Professor of business and sustainability at Cardiff Business School where his work has ranged 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.



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