

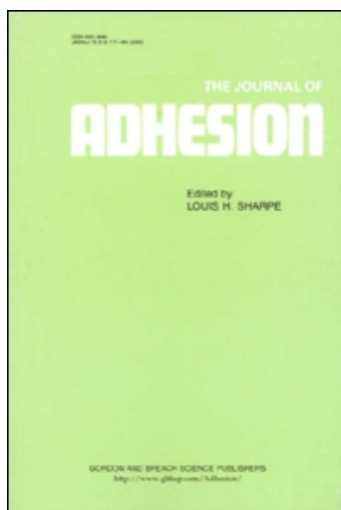
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| CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Announcement and Call for Papers EURADH 2008/ADHESION '08

The eighth in the Euradh 2008 series of conferences will take place in Oxford, UK, from 03–05 September 2008. Euradh 2008 will also encompass Adhesion '08, the 10th in the series of international conferences held, since 1980, on a triennial basis in the UK.

The scientific committee is co-chaired by R. A. Chivers (UK), E. Papon (France) and W. Possart (Germany) and is now requesting papers [both oral and poster] on any of these aspects of the science and technology of adhesion and adhesives:

Fundamental aspects of adhesion; the science and technology of surfaces; bio-adhesion and cellular adhesion; properties of surfaces; engineering aspects of adhesion and engineering applications, super-molecule structures used in adhesives; advances in adhesive materials; environmental and ecological aspects; mechanical properties of bonded joints including their durability; quality procedures, testing and standardisation; innovative designs and applications; industrial aspects.

The 7th Wake Memorial Lecture and the presentation of the de Bruyne Medal for 2008 will form the centrepiece of the Conference; previous recipients of both awards can be seen on the “Awards” page at <http://www.ukxaa.org>

Authors who wish to make a presentation are requested to send a short abstract – a maximum of 300 words (1 page) – in English, by 30 November 2007, through the “Events” page on the IOM3 Website (<http://www.iom3.org/events/>) or direct to John Bishopp [john.bishopp@btinternet.com].

All papers and presentations will be in English and a condition of acceptance will be that at least one author from each paper will pay to attend the conference and present the work. The extended abstracts (4 pages maximum) of the accepted papers will be published in the Proceedings of Euradh 2008/Adhesion '08, which will be available in “hard copy” and CD-ROM at the conference.

Important Dates

30 November 2007	Final date for receipt of short abstracts (max 1 page)
February 2008	Notification of acceptance to authors
1 April 2008	Dispatch of provisional programme and registration package
30 June 2008	Final date for receipt of extended abstracts (max 4 pages including figures)

Conference Venue

The Congress will be held in the St. Cross Building, which is adjacent to St. Catherine's College; situated on the banks of the River Cherwell in the heart of Oxford; the Conference dinner will be held in Trinity College.

Further information is available through:

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Announcement and Call for Papers 32nd Annual Meeting of the Adhesion Society, Inc., February 15–18, 2009, Hyatt Regency Savannah Hotel, Savannah, Georgia, USA.

The Adhesion Society, founded in 1978, is an international, non-profit, interdisciplinary, professional association, open to scientists, engineers and others whose interests include the broad field of adhesion and all its aspects.

There will be a two-day **Short Course**, "Adhesion Science and Technology", February 13 and 14, 2009, prior to the Annual Meeting at the same location. In conjunction with the meeting an **Exhibition** of equipment and literature relating to adhesion science will be held, February 15–17, 2009. A **Poster Session**, which covers all topics related to adhesion science, will be an integral part of the meeting.

Call for Papers

Presentations are solicited for all areas of adhesion science and technology, with emphasis on: Particle Adhesion, Pressure Sensitive Adhesives, Structural Adhesives, Surface Interactions, Contact Mechanics, Biological Adhesion, Adhesion at Small Length Scales,

Controlling Adhesion, Self-healing Adhesives, Adhesion in Aerospace Applications, Adhesion in the Marine Environment, Biomedical Adhesion, Adhesion in Energy Applications, Adhesion and Stiction in Active Nanodevices, and Interfaces and Adhesion in Flexible Electronics.

Submission of Short Abstracts: Authors wishing to present a paper or poster should submit short abstracts of 150–200 words, **ELECTRONICALLY**, through The Adhesion Society website (<http://www.adhesionsociety.org>) by **SEPTEMBER 8, 2008**. Authors will be informed of the status of their papers by October 15, 2008. The deadline for **Submission of Extended Abstracts** is December 15, 2008. The Society website provides all information needed for submission of abstracts.

Announcement and Call for Papers February 18–20, 2009, The Waterborne Symposium, Advances in Sustainable Coating Technologies, New Orleans Marriott at the Convention Center, New Orleans, Louisiana, USA.

The School of Polymers and High Performance Materials at The University of Southern Mississippi invites all interested persons to submit papers for presentation at the 36th annual meeting of **The Waterborne Symposium**.

We solicit papers related to new and emerging technologies and markets in the field of advanced coatings systems, including,

- Waterborne, high-solids, powder, and radiation-curable coating systems
- Stimuli-responsive and “smart” coating systems
- Renewable raw materials for coatings
- High-throughput methodologies for formulation.

Title, abstract, and author’s name(s) (speaker’s name underlined) should be submitted by e-mail (template posted to www.psrc.usm.edu/waterborne) no later than August 14, 2008 to waterborne@usm.edu.

Papers for inclusion in the preliminary program will be selected based on the submitted abstracts. Papers judged to be principally commercial in nature will not be accepted. The full paper is required for inclusion in the Proceedings of the Symposium. Papers must be original and represent recent advancements in coatings science. For a paper to be eligible for an award, it must be received no later than December 14, 2008.

Papers are to be submitted by disk and hard copy to:

The Waterborne Symposium
The University of Southern Mississippi
118 College Drive #10063
Hattiesburg, MS 39406, USA

The New Orleans Marriott at the Convention Center is offering a special Symposium Rate. To make reservations at this special rate, please reserve your room early and reference. The Waterborne Symposium.

Important Dates

Technology Showcase – February 17–19, 2009
Symposium – February 18–20, 2009

For additional information, please contact:

Symposium Chairman, Dr. Robson F. Storey or Coordinator, Laura M. Fosselman.
Voice: (601)266-4475; E-mail: waterborne@usm.edu Website: www.psrc.usm.edu/waterborne

Announcement and Call For Papers September 11–12, 2008, Northeastern University, the University of Massachusetts Lowell, and The University of New Hampshire are pleased to announce The 6th New England International Nanomanufacturing Workshop, “Breaking the Barriers to Nanomanufacturing to Enable the Commercialization of Nanotechnology.”

The goal of the workshop is to address moving nanotechnology from the laboratory to industry-floor manufacturing. The workshop will address current developments and successes in transitioning research into commercial products and serve as a forum for industry, academia, and small business to interact and collaborate. Among the issues to be addressed:

- What are the technical barriers to scale-up of directed assembly and other approaches?
- What are the technical barriers to integrating nanoscale elements, structures, etc. with micro- and macro-structures into systems?

- What are the currently available risk assessment tools and best environmental, health and safety practices for nanotechnology? Are there regulatory concerns for researchers or manufacturers?

When: September 11–12, 2008

Where: 240 Egan Research Center, Raytheon Amphitheater, Northeastern University, Boston, MA

Website: http://www.nano.neu.edu/events/conferences_workshops/6th_new_england/

Abstract Submissions: Prospective authors are requested to submit an abstract of 200–300 words that includes a summary of significant results and a short biography by August 1st. Please include presenter's name, title, affiliation, address, telephone, fax and email. The call for papers will result in either a lecture presentation or poster presentation.

Authors selected to present will be notified shortly after the above deadline. If your presentation is accepted, a copy of the presentation slides or poster will be included in the workshop web proceedings.

To submit an abstract for this Call for Papers, email Carolyn Oakes, Staff Assistant, NSF Nanoscale Science and Engineering Center for High-rate Nanomanufacturing: Tel: (617) 373-6012; Fax: (617) 373-3266, E-mail: c.oakes@neu.edu

For further information, please contact the Symposium Chair, Ahmed A. Busnaina, William Lincoln Smith Professor and Director, NSF Nanoscale Science and Engineering Center for High-rate Nanomanufacturing, Tel: (617) 373-2992; Fax: (617) 373-2921; E-mail: busnaina@coe.neu.edu

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