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12th – 13th February 2019
Gurugram | Delhi NCR | India
The Leela Ambience Hotel

For the first time in India, this conference gives nonwovens professionals from around the world the opportunity to meet, connect and do business.
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Tuesday 12th February, 2019

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WELCOME COFFEE & NETWORKING

09.30 > 09.45
Opening and Welcome

Samir Gupta,
Managing Director,
Business Coordination House (BCH)
(India)

Pierre Wiertz,
General Manager,
EDANA
(Belgium)

MODERATOR
Patricia Featherstone, Director Marketing and Communication
RKW Group (Germany)

09.45 > 10.30
IDEAS FOR CIRCULAR HYGIENE PRODUCTS
FOR NOW AND THE FUTURE

• Recycling with the conventional methods
• Product specifications can lead to the reduction of waste.
• Upcycling of key materials which allow us to have the ultimate solutions

KEYNOTE SPEAKER
Takahisa Takahara, President & CEO, Unicharm (Japan)

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SESSION 1

10.30 > 11.00
THE INDIAN DISPOSABLE HYGIENE INDUSTRY – A MARKET FOR EVERYONE
- Disposable hygiene market of India: Numbers reflect a golden decade
- What does the Indian consumer want? A socio-economic and geographical analysis – an opportunity for everyone
- New disposable hygiene products in India – Indian market’s first response
- Upcoming trends in products, raw material usage, pricing, private label entry, government initiatives, new entrants, etc.

Kanav Gupta, Business Development Manager, Business Co-Ordination House (BCH) (India)

11.00 > 11.30
FOCUS ON MEGATRENDS: SUSTAINABILITY
- How your supply chain can help you achieve your sustainability goals
- Review of the needs of the disposable hygiene industry
- Ways to minimize impact on safety and the environment while maximizing value through innovation, human capital development and open dialogue
- Examples of integrated efforts of corporate social responsibility, sustainable development and responsible, innovative chemistry

Christophe Morel-Fourrier, Global Technical Marketing Manager, Bostik (France)

11.30 > 12.00
COFFEE BREAK & NETWORKING

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ADHESIVES AND SOFTNESS: A PERFECT MATCH
- How can adhesives contribute to softness?
- What adhesive challenges do converters face when working with soft substrates, both in terms of production and finished goods?
- Characteristics of adhesives that preserve softness and safety in use for the end consumer.
- How can adhesives enhance the consumer experience and improve brand perception?

Jenna Koenneke, Global Market Development, Henkel Adhesives Technologies (Italy)

12.30 > 13.00
THE INDIAN MARKET CASE: OPEN DIAPERS VS PANT STYLE DIAPERS
- Overview of Indian baby and adult diaper market with a focus on closure systems and the relevant differences towards EU and MENA markets
- Trends and drivers influencing closure systems’ market: key performances and processing features
- An outlook on the expected changes and new developments in the next 5 years in the category

Davide Nocciolini, Export Area Manager, Tigil Closure Systems (Italy)

13.00 > 14.15
STANDING LUNCH & NETWORKING

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**SESSION 2**

**MODERATOR**

Krzysztof Daniel Malowaniec, Senior Vice President
Paul Hartmann (Germany)

14.15 > 14.45

**WASTE MANAGEMENT OF ABSORBENT HYGIENE PRODUCTS IN INDIA**

- Learning from a sanitary waste segregation awareness campaign across 5 cities
- The way ahead: Diaper Recycle Technology

Rajeeva Srivastava, India Sustainability Leader, Procter & Gamble (India)

14.45 > 15.15

**EDANA ENVIRONMENTAL CLAIMS GUIDELINES – DEMONSTRATING RESPONSIBLE BUSINESS PRACTICE**

- Who should use these guidelines, and why?
- What type of environmental claims do these guidelines apply to?
- Why are robust environmental claims important?
- Definitions, general principles, examples of good and poor practices

Pierre Wiertz, General Manager, EDANA (Belgium)

Natacha Defeche, Marketing & Member Engagement Director, EDANA (Belgium)

15.15 > 15.45

**TRENDS IN PERFORMANCE TESTING OF ABSORBENT HYGIENE PRODUCTS ON A GLOBAL BASIS – IMPACT ON EMERGING MARKETS**

- Current technical developments
- Performance demands and requirements
- Prime brand and private label
- Product testing scenarios
- Trends/challenges

Edgar Herrmann, Technical Director, Hy-Tec (Germany)

15.45 > 16.15

**COFFEE BREAK & NETWORKING**

16.15 > 16.45

**ADULT INCONTINENCE CARE IN INDIA - A PART OF LONG-TERM CARE**

- What type of problem(s) does adult incontinence create for individuals, families, societies, nations, states, economies?
- How to avoid mistakes others made
- Observations from 3 continents
- Do we have the know-how to determine what is best for India?
- How do we, manufacturers, fit into different models?

Krystyna Boryk-Józefowicz, Innovation Director, Bella/TZMO Group (Poland)

16.45 > 17.30

**THE 2019 OUTLOOK™ INDIA INNOVATION AWARD**

The OUTLOOK™ INDIA Innovations Award honours innovative products and services designed in or specifically intended for the Indian market.

The nominated nonwoven or nonwoven-based products, raw materials, components or services for the personal care and hygiene sectors will be presented during the conference.

Conference delegates will then vote on-site for the winner which will be announced during the Dinner Party.

17.30 > 18.15

**NETWORKING TABLETOPS**

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Sanjay Bhayani, Director - India Operations, Avgol India (India)

09.30 > 10.15
BIO BASED SOLUTION FOR WIPES AND HYGIENE INDUSTRY
- Challenges around the use of synthetic material in the wipes and hygiene industry
- Benefit of using cellulosic fibre to overcome the challenges
- What is Birla Cellulose doing to provide innovative solutions with bio based fibre
- Opportunities for the value chain to work together to build future solutions for the industry

KEYNOTE SPEAKER
Ashish Jajoo, Global Sales & Marketing Head – Non Woven, Birla Cellulose (India)

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SESSION 3

10.15 > 10.45
CAPITALISING ON THE AVAILABILITY AND PREFERENCE FOR COTTON

- Can 100% cotton disposable fem-care be a unique opportunity for India?
- Cotton's complete protection promise: absorption, skin respect & environmental benefits
- “Padman” and the invention of a low-cost sanitary pad making machine
- Challenges and economics of 100% cotton pads production

Giorgio Mantovani, Managing Director Hygiene, Corman (Italy)

10.45 > 11.15
PLASTIC-FREE SOLUTIONS FOR WIPES SUBSTRATES

- Developments in dispersible wipes substrates and their global market trends
- Glatfelter wipes products, uniqueness and how they fit the plastic free demand
- New solutions paths for plastic-free wipes substrates
- How Glatfelter faces this global trend in other nonwoven & paper segments

Stefan Neichel, CFBU Director Product Development and Technology, Glatfelter (Germany)

11.15 > 11.45
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11.45 > 12.15
NEW LYOCELL FIBERS FOR CLEANING AND DISINFECTANT WIPES

- Commonly used nonwoven substrates for cleaning and disinfectant wipes contain mainly non-biodegradable synthetic fibers such as polyester and polypropylene.
- Cellulose-based fibers only find limited use due to active substance (Quats) binding.
- The new Lenzing fiber based on the Lyocell technology combines the advantages of cellulose fibers with Quat release properties

Stephan Kulka, Head of Nonwovens & Technical Products, Lenzing (Austria)

12.15 > 12.45
SUSTAINABLE AHPS USING PLA BASED NONWOVENS

- Updates of uses of Ingeo PLA specific, but not limited to, applications in fibres & nonwovens
- Performance characteristics and sustainability credentials of this 100% renewable AND compostable polymer
- Views on the future outlook for renewables in the nonwoven business space, and the growing market demand for non-fossil-based plastics
- Update on growth plans and latest developments

Eamonn Tighe, Business Development Manager, NatureWorks (USA)

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SESSION 4

**MODERATOR**

Johan Berlin, Managing Director, Investkonsult Sweden (Sweden)

14.00 > 14.30

**SOLUTIONS FOR BABY PANT DIAPERS WITH IMPROVED BREATHABILITY, SOFTNESS AND FIT**

- Improving comfort resulting from higher breathability via new waist band solutions and inline perforation of nonwovens.
- Enhancing tactile perception via higher softness with new technical solutions for soft side seams, improved waist bands and solution for hi-loft three-dimensional laminates
- Providing higher discreteness for the user with thinner cores, less wrinkles on waist band, thinner and softer side seams

Alessandro D’Andrea, Marketing and Innovation Manager, Fameccanica.Data (Italy)

14.30 > 15.00

**MATERIAL DISPENSING ADAPTS TO PRODUCT AND PRODUCTION TRENDS**

- Important product trends emerging in today’s disposable hygiene products in terms of thickness, improved fit, use of additives and bio-degradability
- The new demands of production
- Recent technologies deployed to meet the new demands of production

Suprotik Das, Managing Director, Nordson India (India)

15.00 > 15.30

**OPTIMIZED SOLUTIONS FOR PRODUCTIVITY AND QUALITY IN FEEDING AHP PRODUCTION LINES**

- Reminder of the current common process based on pancakes
- Benefits of spooled materials for both the material producers and for the end-users – AHP, for air-through-bonded and other materials
- Presentation of the Pegase jumbo spooling line ranges, with the focus on the Calemard® technical solutions specially developed for tension-sensitive and lofty materials
- Possible automation configurations to answer environmental/process/material/cost characteristics constraints

Pierre Croutelle, Sales Manager of Nonwovens & Textile Division, Calemard® by Spoolex Group (France)

15.30 > 16.00

**COFFEE BREAK & NETWORKING**

16.00 > 16.30

**OPTIMIZATION OF AIRFLOW SYSTEMS FOR THE HYGIENIC INDUSTRY: MAKING BETTER PRODUCTS, REDUCING YOUR ENERGY CONSUMPTION, AND RUNNING PRODUCTION LINES MORE EFFICIENTLY**

- Principles of engineered air-system solutions
- Air/dust filtration systems and interface to the converting line
- Duct-work quality and design principles
- Efficient recycling of rejected products
- Latest update on how to comply with ATEX and NFPA guidelines (law reinforcement to reduce the risk of fires and dust-explosions)

Christoph Ritter, Technical Sales Manager Europe, Middle-East, Africa OSPREY Corporation (France)

Jana Ritter, Technical Sales Manager Europe, Middle-East, Africa OSPREY Corporation (France)

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16.30 > 17.00  SUSTAINABILITY - ENERGY-FREE HVAC AND THE MULTI VORTEX TECHNOLOGY

• The latest in filtration technology that deals with less energy consumption, employee health and environmental aspects
• Fully separating machine air and human air
• Zero-energy requirements for cooling systems
• Zero-maintenance and repair filtration technologies

Martin Scaife, Chairman and CTO, Mobiair (Singapore)

Ramon Picornell Escano, Systems Integration Director HQ & Latin America / Global Sales Coordinator, Mobiair (Philippines)

17.00 > 17.10  THANKS & CLOSING

17.30 > 17.30  GOODBYE COFFEE

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