

**Industrial Advisory Board (IAB) Committee Meeting**  
**ACS National Meeting**  
**Boston Westin Riverfront, Paine Room**  
**Monday, August 21, 2007, 7:30 AM – 9:00 AM**

Chair: Robert S. Moore, Kodak (Retired)  
Vice Chair: Ann Salamone, Rochal Industries

In Attendance:

Massimo Bertolucci, Fresenius Hermocare Italia  
William H. Daly, LSU  
Erik Hagberg, Archer Daniels Midland Company  
Mike Fevola, Johnson and Johnson  
Lawrence Fitzgerald, PPG  
Peter Grasse, 3M Company  
Kathleen Havelka, Lubrizol  
Christine Landry – Coltrain, Eastman Kodak Co.  
Michael Jurek, ISP  
Lesia Linkous, Polymer Division Business Office  
Erica Martin, Rohm & Haas  
Dennis Masa, Eastman Kodak  
Jim Rancourt, Polymer Solutions  
Joseph Salamone, Rochal Industries  
Linda Shekhawat, Polymer Chemistry Innovations  
Dennis Smith, Clemson University  
Karl Beyer

Chairman Moore opened the meeting and provided those in attendance with minutes from the April 2007 IAB Meeting.

Motion: To approve the minutes from the IAB meeting of April 2007. Motion approved unanimously.

Introductory remarks and background

Moore and Salamone welcomed those in attendance and provided informational slides and a program explaining the IAB Purpose, Function, Dues, Officers and Current Members. Specific topics included:

- Board Function to provide strategic recommendations to POLY on future programming topics, Awards, and Education.
  - o Polymer Science of Everyday Things Workshop and Symposium August 19 – 20, 2007 was well received: The goal was to explain the underlying science behind the ubiquity of polymers in their many applications. This event is jointly organized by POLY and the Industry and Tech. Forum of the Royal Society of Chemistry. The target audience is for K-12 science teachers as well as ACS Scientists. Notable IAB companies who participated are Johnson and Johnson, 3M, and ISP.
  - o New Orleans: Polymers used in mediation of the environment (GE, Archer Daniels Midland Company) Pollution, Green Chemistry

- Interaction with the Intersociety Polymer Education Council (IPEC)
- Board recognition through participation in lectures at pertinent symposia as well as utilization of corporate logos through ACS Displays, POLY Newsletters, and postings for Sponsored events.
- IAB donation \$1,000.00 per year.
- Upcoming Board Meetings scheduled for
  - o April 7, 2008 – New Orleans
  - o August 18, 2008 – Philadelphia
  - o March 23, 2009 – Salt Lake City

Daly encouraged attendees to get involved with IAB as it is a link to knowledge to ACS and the Polymer Division. Smith also welcomed IAB members to get involved with workshops. The current Biennial set for May 2008 involves Commercial Innovations.

### Improving IAB function to industry

Moore inquired about what POLY can do to improve IAB function to industry. Havelka solicited support of this Board for the upcoming Entrepreneurship in Energy and Environment, an ACS event with AICHE event.

(Shekhawat, Fevola, Smith, Salamone, Daly) For those requesting support or interested in getting involved in programming, one year a must but best for two years. The group participated in an open discussion about the next three ACS meetings and their themes. In particular Salt Lake's theme may focus on Nanotechnology.

Those interested in presenting at IAB meetings: Erik at Archer Daniels Midland Company or Linda Shekhawat with PCI.

The business meeting adjourned at 8:20 AM

### Company Presentations: Erica Martin, Rohm and Haas and Peter Grasse, 3M

Erica Martin, Rohm and Haas

Martin opened her talk on the Purpose, services and service area. She provided a breakdown of products, and then focused on the Aquaset Thermosetting Resins. Information was given on products attributes, benefits, applications and more. The many benefits include focus on Green Chemistry, Processability and Customizable Performance. In celebration of their years in business, Rohm and Haas will be sponsoring the new ACS Award for Affordable Green Chemistry in 2009.

Peter Grasse, 3M

Grasse discussed the many products produced by 3M. Grasse focused on how raw materials lead to products for the general consumer.

The event adjourned at 9:30 AM

Respectfully submitted,      Lesia Linkous