



POLY INDUSTRIAL ADVISORY BOARD (IAB) BULLETIN

Hello Industrial Advisory Board & Friends-

We are pleased to introduce the IAB Bulletin in a new format with the assistance of the POLY Business Office. The Boston meeting will be an exciting one. With your help, IAB has expanded industrially focused programming to three sessions. We will cover opportunities for involvement in championing new initiatives and other activities to support our mission in programming, awards and education at the biannual IAB Meeting. Each member company has 2 seats so be sure they are filled! Our IAB Networking Reception has also been very popular so remember to invite your industrial co-workers for an evening of networking and collaboration. We look forward to seeing you in Boston.

~ Chairs: Travis Baughman (DSM) travis.baughman@dsm.com & Diana Gerbi (3M) djgerbi@mmm.com

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ACS Boston IAB Events



Industrial Advisory Board Networking Reception

Monday, August 17, 2015, 6:00 - 8:00 PM

Lucky's Lounge 355 Congress St, Boston, MA 02210

Phone: 617-357-5825 No rsvp required [Link](#)

Industrial Advisory Board Meeting

Tuesday, August 18, 2015: 7:30 - 9:30 AM

Westin Waterfront, Commonwealth A (*breakfast meeting*). Please rsvp to Lesia Linkous [Link](#)

POLY/PMSE Awards Reception

Wednesday, August 19, 2015: 5:30 PM

Westin Waterfront, Grand Ballroom A/B, [Link](#)

Boston ACS, no hard-copy programs will be available onsite



As a reminder, no hard-copy programs will be available for pick up starting at the Boston ACS Meeting (Fall 2015). Don't forget to access your materials online on your smart device or download and print hard copies prior to travel. [Link](#)

Mission

"Enhance and foster industrial engagement and support to develop programming, education, recognition & awards within the ACS Division of Polymer Chemistry."

Our Members



ACS Boston IAB Programming

All symposia will be held at the Westin Boston Waterfront unless otherwise noted.

Industrial Innovations in Polymer Chemistry

Monday, August 17, 2015, 1:00 - 4:30 PM

Grand Blrm C

Organizers: Corinne Lipscomb, Laura Stratton

[Link](#)

Value of Basic Research in Solving Industrial Polymer Problems

Tuesday, August 18, 2015, 8:00 - 11:05AM

Grand Blrm D

Organizers: Scott Eastman, Robert Moore, Christopher Radano

[Link](#)

Value of Basic Research in Solving Industrial Polymer Problems - A Senior Chemist's Perspective

Tuesday, August 18, 2015, 1:00 - 4:05PM

Grand Blrm D

Organizers: Christopher Radano, Scott Eastman, Robert Moore

[Link](#)

For a complete listing of POLY Sessions: [Link](#)

Industrial Polymer Scientist (IPS) Award deadline was July 31

The nomination process is now closed~

The purpose of the IPS Award is to recognize outstanding industrial innovation and creativity in the application of Polymer Science, conducted by individual scientists or research teams.

More details are online at: [Link](#)

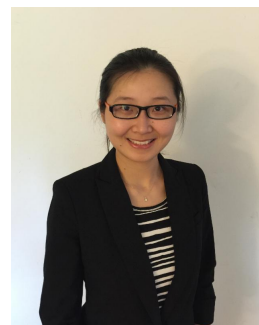
Congrats to the Fall ACS Boston Graduate Student Travel Awardees



EASTMAN



Olivia Durham
Clarkson University



Keren Zhang
Virginia Tech

For more information regarding this award: [Link](#)

The Graduate Student Travel Awards will be presented at the:

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Free Polymer Division Membership in 2015

POLY Challenge
1500 in 2015
Free POLY Membership

If it has been more than 3 years or if you have never been a Member, now is time to sign up for a **COMPLIMENTARY 1-Year ACS Division of Polymer Chemistry Membership**.

No long-term commitment. POLY simply wants you to experience being a part of THE Polymer Chemistry Division whose members are among the legends in the field.

Send your request to join by clicking the "Membership Application, Click Here" button below, or email acspolymers@gmail.com referencing "1500Free".

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Now

Your Company Projects



TOSOH BIOSCIENCE

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Tosoh - GPC conference in September

Mark your calendars for the GPC conference *Polymer And Polyolefin Analysis And Characterization*. Sept. 1-2, 2015 Washington, DC. [Link](#)



WYATT
TECHNOLOGY

Wyatt Technology event in Santa Barbara in November

Mark your calendars for the Wyatt Technology *International Light Scattering Colloquium*. Nov. 2-5, 2015 in Santa Barbara, CA. [Link](#)

IAB Membership and Dues

We would like to enhance communication and to make the Industrial Advisory Board more useful to our participating companies. If you have suggestions or you would like to help, please let us know. If you are a prospective company considering participation, please communicate with Michael O. Hunt, IAB Membership Chair, POLYMATERIALS CORP., m.hunt@polymaterials.de

POLY IAB Dues in the amount of \$1,000.00 are due for 2015. Contact Lesia Linkous for processing, lesiar@vt.edu, ph: 540-231-3029.



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