

# UKIERI / Polymer IRC Workshop on **POLYMER SURFACES**

Durham University

17–18 December 2007

Sponsored by the UK-India Education and Research Initiative,  
the Polymer IRC and CENAMPS

## **Provisional Programme**

Monday, 17 December, pm

### Training Course in Polymer Surfaces

This half-day course will provide an introduction to polymer surfaces, covering wetting, adhesion, surface functionalisation, characterisation, biological interactions and plasma deposition

Speakers: C. Bain, D. Higgins, L. Hutchings, N. Overall, N. Cameron, J. P. Badyal

Tuesday, 18 December, am

Introduction to UKIERI and presentations from Federation of  
Indian Chambers of Commerce and Industry and CENAMPS  
Guest Lecture

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### Stream A: IRC Industrial Club workshop

Restricted to members of the IRC Industrial Club, this half-day workshop will seek to identify common problems and develop collaborative approaches to their solution

### Stream B: Oral presentations by PhD students and postdocs

Polymer surfaces is interpreted broadly to include barrier coatings, functional surfaces, coatings for filtration, biocompatible surfaces, biosensors, plastic electronics and any other applications involving polymer surfaces or ultrathin polymer films

Full details will be available shortly. Please register your interest by returning the form below to Irene Harries ([m.i.harries@dur.ac.uk](mailto:m.i.harries@dur.ac.uk)). Registration is free of charge.

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**REGISTRATION FORM**

Name:

Affiliation:

Industrial    Academic    Post-doc    Student

I wish to attend the following sessions:

- Training Course on Monday, 17 December
- Plenary Presentations and Guest lectures on Tuesday, 18 December (morning)
- IRC Industrial Club Workshop on Tuesday, 18 December (afternoon) - members only
- Oral Presentations on Tuesday, 18 December (afternoon)

I would like to  give an oral presentation

present a poster

with the title

I require accommodation on Monday, 17 December

I would like to apply for a bursary for accommodation and subsistence

Please return forms to Mrs. Irene Harries, Department of Chemistry, Durham University, South Road, Durham, DH1 3LE or by e-mail at [m.i.harries@dur.ac.uk](mailto:m.i.harries@dur.ac.uk)

Bursaries available for all PhD students and post-docs giving talks or presenting posters

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