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EDUCATIONAL HOUR



MODERN PRODUCT PROTECTION: REGULATORY LANDSCAPE, TRENDS AND SOLUTIONS

Susan Sperring : Senior Technical Manager at Symrise

Paul Slavashevich : North American Application Lab Manager at Symrise

In recent years, traditional preservatives have been under increased scrutiny by the media and regulatory bodies. Even major retailers are setting guidelines for the products they stock on their shelves. Whether warranted or not, cosmetic formulators are being left with very few options when it comes to protecting their products from microbial contamination.

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DINNER HOUR



PICKERING EMULSIONS - A NON-CONVENTIONAL EMULSION

Shabnam Nejad

Technical Marketing Manager at Evonik

Silica cetyl silylate is a fumed silica product in powder form that offers an alternative emulsifier technology to commonly used polymeric/organic emulsifiers. Due to its unique surface treatment, the silica preferentially adsorbs at the oil/water interface resulting in highly stable "Pickering" emulsions. Pickering emulsions are different from conventional emulsions since they are stabilized by solid particles rather than surfactants containing hydrophobic tails and hydrophilic heads.

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Menu: Buffet including various salads, entrees and desserts.

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6:00 pm: Social Hour

6:30 pm: Dinner Hour and Speaker

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MEETING DETAILS

LOCATION:

Warner Center Marriott (Woodland Hills)
21850 Oxnard Street
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(818) 887-4800

COSTS:

- Members with reservations (\$40)
- Members without reservations (\$65)
- Non-members with reservations (\$65)
- Non-members without reservations (\$70)
- Emeritus members with reservations (FREE)
- Emeritus members without reservations (\$65)

BUFFET MENU:

A traditional buffet with meal options for all types of diets.

PARKING:

Cali SCC pays for self-parking at the Marriott. Attendees will be issued a chaser ticket at the event to exit the parking facility.

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In this presentation, Susan Sperring and Paul Slavashevich will discuss the basics of product protection, the regulatory landscape of traditional preservatives and alternative, non-controversial ingredients that are gaining popularity. We will also discuss consumer's perception on traditional preservatives as well as current product trends addressing these concerns.

ABOUT THE SPEAKER



Susan Sperring is a Sr. Technical Manager at Symrise. Prior to Symrise, she also worked at Momentive Performance Materials, where she was the North American Marketing Manager for Personal Care and Home Care and Avon Products where she was a chemist for Global Skin Care. Sue has a bachelor's degree in chemistry from State University of New York- College at Oneonta and a master's degree in Cosmetic Science from Fairleigh Dickinson University.

Paul Slavashevich has been working in Product Development for over 15 years for such companies as Avon Products, Zotos International, Artec Systems and Alzo International. At Symrise he manages North American Application Lab for Cosmetic Ingredients Division.

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The stability of Pickering emulsions depend on the surface energy of the particles being used relative to the dispersed and continuous phases of the emulsion, the size and concentration of the particles, and the energy input during emulsification. They typically tend to be more stable than conventional emulsions due to the high desorption. This talk will review Pickering emulsions in more detail, as well as the technology of fumed silica particles to achieve this non-conventional (but stable) emulsion system.

ABOUT THE SPEAKER



Shabnam Nejand was born and raised in Iran. She attended university in Iran and studied Electrical Engineering before immigrating to the United States in 2003. Soon thereafter, she began studies at Rutgers University and graduated with a Bachelor of Science in Biochemical Engineering. While earning her degree, she interned at Colgate-Palmolive where she worked on personal care applications.

Since graduating, Shabnam has held engineering and application positions in the Personal Care businesses at L'Oreal, Johnson & Johnson, and Akzo Nobel. She is currently the Technical Marketing Manager for Evonik's Personal Care and Oral Care businesses for the Silica Business Line in North America.



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30 years

2) Where did you study? What major(s)?

University of Montpellier (FRANCE) . Major in Phyto-chemistry.

3) What is your biggest personal accomplishment/what are you most proud of since joining the SCC/industry in general?

Creating Sublimage line for CHANEL.

4) Special Interests/Hobbies?

Travelling and trekking.

5) Hometown?

Dijon (France)

6) One thing no one knows about you?

I met the Queen of Bhutan (a small kingdom in the Himalayas) and I realized that she was already using some of the beauty products that I made.

7) If you could take a vacation right now, where would you go?

Madagascar

8) What sound or noise do you hate most?

Firefighter's siren.

9) What sound or noise do you love?

Showers in the rainforest.

10) What is your favorite word?

Overseas

11) What is your favorite TV show or book/periodical?

Book: (the Penguin book of) Indian Journeys (Author: Moraes).

12) Who is your favorite musician?

My son (piano).

13) What is the strangest thing you've ever eaten?

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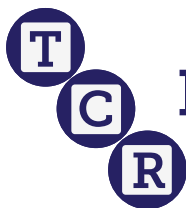
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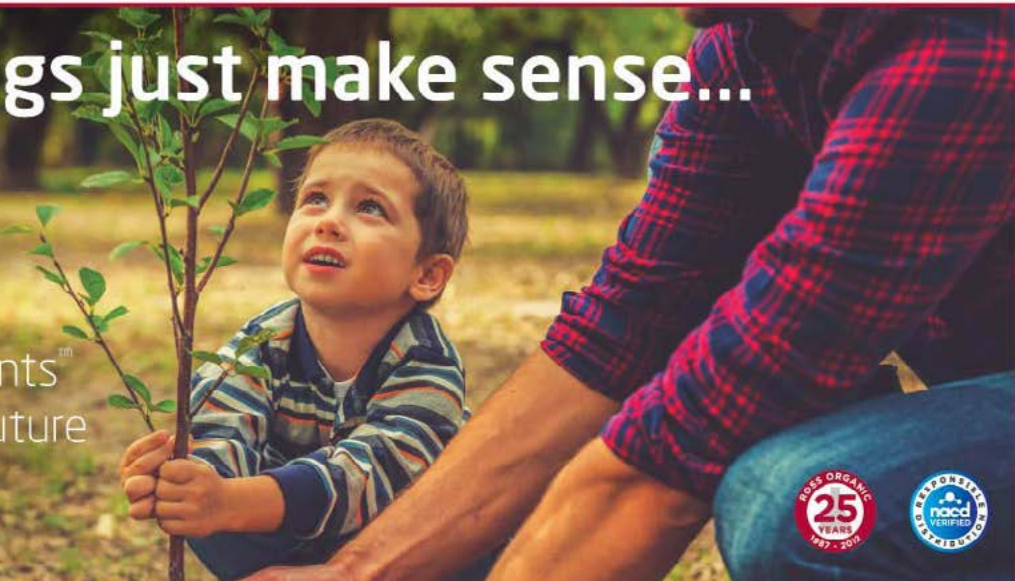
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