



**First Meeting of
2013**

GREEK ISLANDS

300 East 22nd St, Lombard, IL 60148

January 14, 2013

5:00 Sign In / Cocktails
5:45 Speakers
6:45 Dinner & Meeting

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Executive Board Opportunity

The CSCT Executive Board has a vacancy, and we are looking for an energetic, passionate individual to serve on the board as Secretary. The successful candidate will attend CSCT board meetings (same date as Technical Meetings) and demonstrate an interest in promoting the purpose of the CSCT as defined in our bylaws. This person will advance each successive year through the 'chairs', and ultimately emerge in a Leadership role as President of CSCT in four years. Have you been in the industry your entire career and it is time to give back? Are you new to the industry and looking for a great way to develop and nurture professional affiliation with the top technical staff in the Coatings industry? If interested, please contact mlaing@munzing.us

A Rheological Overview for the Coating Industry

James P. Eickhoff Jr., Anton Paar USA

Measuring the structural strength, flow behaviors, as well as structural recovery of coatings pre- and post-application are all key measurements in the coating industry. These techniques are crucial as they can help to characterize product behavior and performance, while acting as a predictor of the end user's satisfaction with the product. All of the measurement techniques noted can be performed with a single instrument – a rheometer. By incorporating various rheological techniques (rotation and oscillation) one can better understand any number of products. The aim of this talk is to discuss several test methods which would be beneficial to a range of coating applications.

James Eickhoff joined Anton Paar USA in January 2007, as a product specialist for the rheology division. He received his BS in Chemical Engineering in 2004 from Michigan Technological University. Afterwards, he obtained a Master's degree in Chemical Engineering (2006) with a focus in rheology from Clemson University. At Anton Paar USA, James has provided technical support and expertise to clients throughout both the USA and Canada on the entire Anton Paar rheometer series.

TECHNICAL MEETINGS

FALL 2012:	WINTER / SPRING 2012:
<u>MONDAY SEPTEMBER 10</u> Greek Islands, Lombard, IL	<u>MONDAY JANUARY 14</u> Greek Islands, Lombard, IL
<u>MONDAY OCTOBER 15</u> Purdue University Calumet Hammond, IN	<u>MONDAY FEBRUARY 11</u> Greek Islands, Lombard, IL
<u>MONDAY NOVEMBER 12</u> Greek Islands, Lombard, IL	<u>MONDAY MARCH 11</u> Cancelled due to conflict with ACA Coatings Tech Conference
NOTE: Meetings are on the 2nd Monday of the month. TALKS BEGIN AT 5:45 PM (5PM SIGN IN)	<u>MONDAY APRIL 8</u> Location TBA

GREEK ISLANDS: 300 East 22nd St, Lombard, IL 60148 (630) 932-4545
Located off I-88, Exit Highland Avenue North to 22nd Street



EVENTS

ACA-CoatingsTech Conference Hyatt Regency, O'Hare-Rosemont, IL	<u>March 11-13, 2013</u>
Windy City Coatings Course DePaul University, Rolling Meadows, IL	<u>April 16-17, 2013</u>
ANNUAL AWARDS DINNER Maggianos, Oak Brook IL	<u>May 2013, Date TBA</u>
GOLF OUTING St. Andrews, West Chicago IL	<u>MONDAY, JULY 22, 2013</u>

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