

Poly Pipe News

OZPIPE 2024 SUSTAINABLE INFRASTRUCTURE - THE FUTURE IS NOW

Session 1 - Global Sustainability Insights

Tuesday, November 12, 2024
 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM

Overview

Boronia Ballroom

9.00am - 9.10am Welcome to Country

9.10am - 9.20am Welcome - PIPA Chair Address *Paul Lavelle*

9.20am - 9.30am PPCA Address *Zoran Davidovski*

9.30am - 9.50am Sustainability at the core of strategies to accelerate the journey towards carbon neutrality Paper ID01 *Zoran Davidovski - Pipelife*

9.50am - 10.10am How to strengthen the development of China's plastic pipe industry in the new market environment Paper ID02 *Wang Zhanije - Chinese Plastic Piping Association (CPPA)*

10.10am - 10.30am A holistic environment footprint assessment of the European plastic pipe business Paper ID03 *Ludo Debever - TEPPFA*





Session 2 - The Environment and Water Security

Tuesday, November 12, 2024
 11:00 AM - 12:20 PM

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11.00am - 11.20am Insights gained in developing Environmental Product Declarations for plastic pipes in Australia Paper ID04 *Matthew Hynes - Iplex Lucy Croker - Vinidex*

11.20am - 11.40amMicroplastics and Plastic PipesPaper ID05Ludo Debever - The European Plastic Pipes and Fittings Association (TEPPFA)

11.40am - 12.00pm Application for geolocating water networks Paper ID06 *Dolores Herran - Molecor Technologia*

12.00am - 12.20pm Watermain break study - USA Paper ID07 *Bruce Hollands - PVC Pipe Association*



Session 3 - Design

Tuesday, November 12, 2024
 1:20 PM - 3:00 PM

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1.20pm - 1.40pm AS/NZS 2033 Design and Installation of PO Pipe Systems - A Significant Leap Forward Paper ID08 *Bob Lehunt - Lehunt and Associates Pty Ltd*

1.40pm - 2.00pm Design methods and actual performance of large diameter structured wall pipes Paper ID09 *Anders Andtbacka - Uponor*

2.00pm - 2.20pm Comparison of factors governing flexible buried pipes using finite element analysis Paper ID10 *Burt Look - AGTRE Pty Ltd*

2.20pm - 2.40pm Research on the performance and design of HDPE slip liners Paper ID11 *Professor Ian Moore - Queen's University*

2.40pm - 3.00pm The use of PE100+ materials in trenchless applications Paper ID12 *Andy Wedgner - PE100+ Association*



Session 4 - Innovation

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 3:30 PM - 5:00 PM

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3.30pm - 3.50pm
Long term performance in PE100 and PE100RC resins - does the comonoer length matter?
Paper ID13
Carlos Dominguez - LATEP - Rey Juan Carlos University

3.50pm - 4.10pm
Thermoforming process for sockets integrated with rieber system in moleculary oriented polyvinyl chloride (PVCO) pipes for pressurized water distribution
Paper ID14
Claudio Costa - Sica S.p.a.

4.10pm - 4.30pm New approach to HDPE pipe fusion provides the ability to "Meet the Pipe Where It Lays" Paper ID15 *Sergion Arellano - Mcelroy Manufacturing Inc.*

4.30pm - 4.50pm Simple material saving technologies: Leveraging Automation and Machine Connectivity Paper ID16 *Joe Venegas - Rollepaal*





Session 5 - Hydrogen

Wednesday, November 13, 2024
9:00 AM - 10:20 AM

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9.00am - 9.10am Opening remarks

9.10am - 9.30am Effects of hydrogen on plastic pipes and elastomers Paper ID17 *Sebastian Manjarres Espinosa - Deakin University*

9.30am - 9.50am Innovative and low carbon impact Hydrogen pipe Infrastructure – SoluForce is revolutionizing the way energy is transported Paper ID18 *Robert Jan Berg - Soluforce*

9.50am - 10.20am Published hydrogen permeation study on 4 different types of PE pipes Paper ID19 *Andy Wedgner - PE100+ Assocation*





Session 6 - Recycling

Wednesday, November 13, 2024
 10:40 AM - 12:40 PM

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10.40am - 11.00am Improving mechanical sorting of post-consumed plastic waste to achieve circular plastic pipes Paper ID20 *Márton Bredács - Polymer Competence Center Leoben*

11.00am - 11.20am Closing the loop for PE-X pipe in practice through advanced recycling Paper ID21 *Anders Andtbacka - Borealis*

11.20am - 11.40am Development of a new quality control test method to asses the stress crack resistance of HDPE with recycled content Paper ID22 *Sara Stone - University of Minnesota*

11.40am - 12.00pm Designing stormwater pipes to incorporate post consumer recyclate (PCR) while maintaining a long service life Paper ID23 *Ian Patterson - Vinidex*

12.00pm - 12.20pm What needs to be understood to use recyclates in plastic pipes: the influence of impurities on long-term properties Paper ID24 *Mario Messiha - Polymer Competence Center Leoben*

12.20pm - 12.40pm Establishing requirements for recycled HDPE in HDPE conduit Paper ID25 *Michael Pluimer - University of Minnesota*



Session 7 - Case Studies

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1.40pm - 2.00pm After the Quake - Rebuilding Christchurch's PE pipe network Paper ID26 *Mark Habel - Plasson*

2.00pm - 2.20pm The assessment of electrofusion assemblies Paper ID27 *Alan Whittle - Alan Whittle Pty Ltd*

2.20pm - 2.40pm Computer modeling the effect of elevated temperatures on the performance of large diameter Polyolefin Pipe under highway loadings Paper ID28 *Joe Babcanec - Advanced Drainage Systems (ADS)*

2.40pm - 3.00pm Case Study - Fusion parameters for large diameter PE pipes Paper ID29 *Mark Heathcote - Polymer Direct*

3.00pm - 3.20pm A step change in large diameter and in thick wall pipe manufacturing across the Middle East and Asia Paper ID30 *Alan Shore - Ravago NZ Ltd*



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