



29th & 30th June 2022 NEC, Birmingham, UK

SHOW **PREVIEW**

Your essential guide to The Advanced Materials Show & Ceramics UK

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James Baker, CEO at Graphene @Manchester

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For the latest update, please visit: www.advancedmaterialsshow.com www.ceramics-uk.com Welcome to our show preview. Contained in the following pages you will find some of the highlights planned for the four co-located events this June.

Advanced Materials

CERAMICS

The Advanced Materials Show and Ceramics UK will be joined for the first time this year by Battery Cells & Systems Expo and Vehicle Electrification Expo, giving exhibitors and speakers access to an array of technologies within rapidly growing sectors.

We can't wait to welcome the industry back to reunite again. As well as providing a four-track conference programme, an exhibit hall showcasing technology and innovation from over 300 companies, and four market-leading co-located events, we also have a series of special events and competitions taking place.

We hope you can join us at The NEC, Birmingham, UK on 29th - 30th June. Entrance is free and one ticket gives you access to all conferences and exhibitions taking place, just remember to register in advance on the website www.advancedmaterialsshow.com

On behalf of the whole organising team, we look forward to welcoming you to the NEC in June!



Steve Bryan Managing Director Event Partners

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SHOW FEATURES

Join us in our show features area for our different events through the two days, including the graphene round tables, IP session and drinks reception. This is an exclusive opportunity to sit down with peers and experts, whilst discussing barriers and opportunities within these sectors.





Conference (9:30am – 4:30pm)



(3:00pm – 4:30pm)

Thursday 30th June



Making your Innovations Work (12:00pm – 1:00pm)

Wednesday 29th June

Drinks Reception

(4.30pm - 5.30pm)

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CONFERENCE INTRODUCTION

Our four co-located expos feature four stages and four tracks of content focused on high-value manufacturing industries and their applications. These sector-leading expos feature four dedicated theatres with content focused on high-value manufacturing industries and their applications. These industries together represent billions of pounds worth of opportunity and market growth for both UK and international businesses.

The Advanced Materials Show and Ceramics UK conferences' blended programme features two tracks tackling the challenges and opportunities in materials innovation and materials industrialisation respectively. This includes sessions on composites, coatings, lightweighting materials, sustainability and additive manufacturing - with applications and case studies featured in aerospace, automotive, construction and semiconductors amongst others.

The co-located and concurrent Battery Cells & Systems Expo and Vehicle Electrification Expos conference has one theatre dedicated to battery development, with discussions on everything from cell chemistry and pack design to fast charging, recycling and second life. The second theatre is set to tackle broader electrification and manufacturing strategy - such as sustainability, supply chain and skills - alongside bus/ truck electrification and powertrain-focused design and development sessions, including electric motors, powertrain design and power electronics.

All our theatres will provide ample opportunity for interactive panel discussions, Q&A sessions and on stage interviews to allow attendees to ask questions and voice ideas. Attendees can expect to enjoy a lively and constructivet set of discussions at a time when these sectors are booming and look set to grow even further in the coming years.

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CONFERENCE AGENDA

DAY 1 - WEDNESDAY 29TH JUNE - MORNING



Placing Sustainability at the Heart of Advanced Materials Fabrication and Application

Frazer Barnes, Chairman and CTO, Gen 2 Carbon Ltd (Chair)

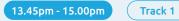
Track 1

Annalisa Gigante, Executive Board Member, Henry Royce Institute

Dr. Bruce Adderley, Challenge Director Transforming Foundation Industries, Innovate UK, part of UKRI

Dr. Geoff Mackey, Sustainability and Corporate Affairs Director, BASF

DAY 1 - WEDNESDAY 29TH JUNE - AFTERNOON



The Role of Advanced Materials Innovation in Mitigating Carbon Emissions

Dr Ania Jolly, Head of Research and Business Engagement, Henry Royce Institute (Chair) Dr. Jack Turner, Senior Technical Scientist, Promethean Particles Dr. Michelle Lynch FRSC, Director, Enabled Future



11.15am - 12.30pm

Improving Agility in Materials Manufacturing Process Innovation

Track 2

Dr. Laura Baker, Head of Product Development, Tata Steel

Tony Kinsella, Chief Executive Officer, Lucideon

Landon Mertz. Chief Executive Officer. Cerion Nanomaterials

How Have the Past Two Years Impacted the Direction of Innovation?

Dr. Steven Harris, Head of External Partnerships & Programmes, BAE Systems

Dr David Pearmain, Business Manager - Flash Sintering, Lucideon Prof. David Nowell, Professor of Machine Dynamics and Director, Rolls-Royce University Technology Centre, Imperial College London

Dr. Jibran Khaliq, Programme Leader and Senior Lecturer in Mechanical and Automotive Engineering, Department of Mechanical & Construction Engineering (MCE), **Northumbria University Daniel Steitz,** Founder and CIO, **NovoMOF**

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15.15pm - 16.30pm (Track 1

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Developing Durable Non-Toxic Coatings for Corrosive Environments

Professor Allan Matthews, Director of the Digitalised Surfaces Manufacturing Network, The University of Manchester (Chair)

Dr. Stuart Lyon, AkzoNobel Professor of Corrosion Control, The University of Manchester Michelle Buckland, Group Commercial Director, Teknos

15.15pm - 16.30pm Track 2

Harnessing the Power of Additive Manufacturing in Advanced Materials

Sona Dadhania, Technology Analyst, IDTechEx (Chair) Martin Mann, Head of Sales, Lithoz Arnaud Roux, Sales Manager, 3DCeram Sherry Ghanizadehm, Ceramic Additive Manufacturing Technology Lead, The Manufacturing Technology Centre - MTC Dr Glenn Lamming, Research Scientist, UK-CPI Dror Danai, Chief Business Officer, XJet

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DAY 2 - THURSDAY 30TH JUNE - MORNING



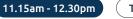
Transportation Lightweighting for Planet and Profit

Track 1

Dr Klaudio Bari, Principal lecturer in Mechanical and Material Engineering, University of Wolverhampton (Chair)

Clare Sibley, Head of Quality & Manufacturing Engineering, Williams Racing Alan Banks, UK Lightweight Innovations Manager, Ford

John Phipps, Business Development Manager, Advanced Materials Division, North Europe, 3M



11.15am - 12.30pm

Commercialisation



Track 2

Dr Joel Strickland, Materials Research Scientist, Intellegens

Alexander Reip, Chief Technical Officer, Oxford NanoSystems

Track 2

Andy White, Business Development Manager, UK-CPI

Making Materials Manufacturing Sustainable

Dr. Andrew McDermott, Technical Director, British Ceramic Confederation (Chair) Dr. Beenish Siddique, Founder and CEO, AEH Innovative Hydrogel

The Growing Role of Digital Tools in New Materials Development and

Jason Teng, Partner, UK and European Patent Attorney. Potter Clarkson LLP

Dr Sean Kelly, Senior Project Manager, Nanotechnology Industries Association (Chair)

Dr. Ben Walsh, Deputy Director, Innovate UK

Dr. Thomas Werninghaus, Senior Business Development Manager, FC Division, Kyocera Rob Munro, Innovation Management Consultant, Institute for Manufacturing

11.15am - 12.30pm

Sustainability and the Semiconductor dimension- Breaking the 'Smaller, Faster, Cheaper' Innovation Mantra

Andy Sellars, Strategic Development Director, CSA Catapult Caroline O'Brien, Chief Executive Officer, Kubos Semiconductors Dr. Anwesha Fernandes, Senior Materials Engineer, Dynex Semiconductor Ltd Dr. Hugh Glass, Technology Owner, Paragraf

DAY 2 - THURSDAY 30TH JUNE - AFTERNOON



Track 1

Enabling Durable Urban Development with Smarter Materials

Track 1

Adrian Nixon, Director and Editor, Nixene Publishing and Nixene Journal (Chair) Alexandre de Toledo Corrêa, General Manager, Gerdau Graphene Aled Roberts, CEO, Deakin Bio-hybrid Materials James Baker, Chief Executive Officer, Graphene@Manchester Vighnesh Daas, Director - Innovation and Sustainable Construction, JP Concrete

15.15pm - 16.30pm

Meeting Next-Generation Composites and Polymer Application Requirements

Dr James Myers, Head of R&D – Aerospace / Composite Applications, Victrex

Marc Jacobs, CEO, Molecular Plasma Group

Prof. Krzysztof Koziol, Professor of Composites Engineering, Head of Enhanced Composites and Structures Centre, **Cranfield University**

Rachel Weare, Lead Engineer | Automotive Composites Research Centre, Warwick University



Building Better Investment, Innovation and Skills Partnerships

Dr. Andy Wynn, CEO, TTIP Global (Chair) Dr Nessima Kaabeche, Coach for Women, STEM Sarah Chapman, Chair, 3M EMEA Technical Women's Leadership Forum, 3M Rachel Timmins, Policy Manager, British Ceramics Confederation Dr. Sarah Connolly, Innovation Technologist - Transforming Foundation Industries, Innovate UK

15.15pm - 16.30pm

Track 2

Developing Consistent Materials with Advanced Characterisation Innovation

Terrance Barkan CAE, Executive Director, Graphene Council (Chair) Dr. Andrew Elliot, Materials Specialist, Carl Zeiss Dr. Fernando Castro, Head of Materials Science, National Physical Laboratory Mr. Robert Yeo, Technical Director, Pro-Lite Technology Ltd Alex Van Den Bossche, Managing Director, Grindosonic







29th & 30th June 2022 NEC, Birmingham, UK



The Advanced Materials Show, Ceramics UK, Battery Cells & Systems Expo and Vehicle Electrification Expo bring together four connected industries for two days of networking, lead generation and education at the NEC, Birmingham. A four-track, free conference featuring global experts covers the latest innovations and developments across these three exciting industries.

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The four shows will provide an essential procurement and learning experience for manufacturers looking to improve the performance of their products and optimise the manufacturing process at every step of production. 66

"The Faraday Battery Challenge at UKRI is set to take part in the expo and the conference, and we expect the show to provide an outstanding platform for the UK's battery and vehicle sectors to gather with their international partners."

Jacqui Murray, Deputy Director, Faraday Battery Challenge

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What technical Ceramic solutions do you specialise in? Additive manufacturing of ceramics.

Please explain the benefits of your speciality.

Traditional methods have limitations in fabrication of complex geometries with controlled microstructural texture and architecture. Lithoz 3D printer (LCM-technology) technology is an additive manufacturing technique that works according to the principle of layer-by-layer printing, by selective curing of photosensitive formulation with the concept of digital light processing (DLP).

What do you believe to be the most important trend in technical ceramic solution and what is your company doing to contribute towards this?

Additive manufacturing serial production of ceramics is being continuously extended and has already reached industrial dimensions. On the other hand, more complex functions are designed into parts which demand new multi-material printers.

If attendees should know one thing about your company and experience, what would it be? Quality and innovations leadership makes us the global market leader in ceramic 3D printing.

What has been your organisation's biggest achievement to date?

First 3D Multimateiral printer in UK, first 3D printer for ceramics in Africa (April 2022) and more than 100 3D printers of ceramic sold worldwide.

What will you be showcasing on your stand at Ceramics UK?

Multi-material parts, pure copper and ceramics, ceramic-ceramic parts and high-performance technical ceramic parts.

Who are you hoping to meet at Ceramics UK?

Academia and industry interested in ceramic innovation.

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What advanced materials do you specialise in?

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Please explain the benefits of your speciality.

We have over 25 years' experience in supplying businesses and research institutes around the world with a variety of testing and characterisation equipment, ensuring that they have the best resources available for their applications. We can provide advice, and guidance on the best practices using equipment, ensuring latest industry standards are met.

What do you believe to be the most important trend in Advanced Materials and what is your company doing to contribute towards this?

Over the last few decades, the general trend has moved towards functionalisation of smaller devices, and materials. To ensure that these materials can be synthesised and characterised, the use of specialised equipment is needed, along with the knowledge of how to use it effectively and efficiently. Our company is committed not only to the supply of testing and analysis instrumentation, but also to the development of best practices and development of techniques to ensure that we are always at the forefront of new developments and providing the best solutions to the customer's needs.

If attendees should know one thing about your company and experience, what would it be?

Our company has a wide variety of experience and the Director has been in the industry for over 25 years. He specialises in the use of AFM and stylus profilometry, and has built close relationships, in both academia and industry, to ensure that he has been kept up to date on the latest developments and techniques. Our Co-Director has a background in mechanical engineering and specialises in imaging techniques using electron microscopy and optical profilometry. Overall, our company can provide instrumentation solutions and advice for your desired applications.

What has been your organisation's biggest achievement to date?

CN Tech has continued to grow year on year and has managed to build more relationships with suppliers, most recently KLA and Rtec Instruments. KLA is very highly regarded in the industry, especially in Nano Indentation where Dr Warren Oliver has had an active role in developing reliable and affordable solutions to nanomechanical testing. KLA also offers a large range of Stylus and Optical Profilometers, and Thin Film measurement tools.

Rtec Instruments brings together an experienced team, each with over 20 years' experience of the world's top tribology and engineering experts, providing the most robust and versatile platform in the market for testing friction, wear, adhesion, hardness, roughness, and film thickness from nano to macro-scale.

What will you be showcasing at your stand at The Advanced Materials Show?

CN Tech will have a range of instrumentation available to view and demonstrate. This will comprise of Scanning Electron Microscope, Stylus & Optical Profilometers, Nanoindentation and Tribology instruments.

Who are you hoping to meet at The Advanced Materials Show?

Anyone who has an interest or requirement to test and characterise samples/materials from students, lab technicians and managers, all the way to up to company directors and CEOs. You are all welcome to stop by our stand to discuss your applications and to see how we can help aid your research and testing.

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VISITOR INFORMATION

OPENING TIMES

Wednesday 29th June Exhibition: 9:00am – 5:00pm Conference: 9:30am – 4:30pm Drinks Reception: 4:30pm – 5:30pm

Thursday 30th June Exhibition: 9:00am – 4:30pm Conference: 9:30am – 4:30pm

VENUE ADDRESS

Halls 17 & 18, National Exhibition Centre (NEC) North Ave, Marston Green, Birmingham, B40 1NT, UK

ACCOMMODATION

We have partnered with Langham Travel to offer our attendees preferential rates at a number of hotels in close proximity to the NEC. Please visit the Accommodation page on our website for information.

TRAVEL

By Rail - 5 minute walk from Birmingham International Railway Station.
By Road - Onsite parking available from £12.85 per day, pre-booking available.
By Air - 90 second air-rail link from Birmingham Airport to Birmingham International Railway.

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MOST COMMONLY ASKED QUESTIONS

- What is there to do at the event?
- Hall 18 The Advanced Materials Show & Ceramics UK, The Advanced Materials Show and Ceramics UK two-track Conference
- Hall 17 Battery Cells & Systems Expo & Vehicle Electrification Expo, Battery Cells & Systems Expo & Vehicle Electrification Expo two-track Conference
- Drinks Reception in Hall 17 & 18, 4.30pm 5.30pm, Wednesday 29th June 2022
- B2B Meeting Area, Networking Lounge and a VIP Lounge
- Food & Beverage items will be available to purchase from the concessions at the rear of Halls 17 & 18

Will there be Wi-Fi available?

Yes, the NEC provides complimentary Wi-Fi service for visitors to the venue:

- Network = _NEC FREE WI-FI
- No code is required
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If I have registered, can I attend more than one day?

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Batteries are valuable assets to our economies, and we must give them an identity to achieve circular economies with resource security and lower emissions.

Douglas Johnson-Poensgen Founder and CEO Circulor

How Germany's "Battery Passport" project enables a sustainable and secure battery economy

Circulor Founder and CEO, Douglas Johnson-Poensgen, highlights the company's contribution to the first-of-its-kind "Battery Pass" project

Q: Doug, tell us about the "Battery Pass" project that was recently announced. What is the German government looking to do here?

Johnson-Poensgen: Germany's Federal Ministry for Economic Affairs and Climate Action (BMWK) recently announced its "Battery Pass" project and its 11 consortium members, including Circulor as lead on the project's demonstrator work package.

This is a three-year, government-funded R&D global project including world-class market German leaders like acatech – Germany's National Academy of Science and Engineering, AUDI AG, BASF SE, BMW AG, FIWARE Foundation e.V., Fraunhofer IPK, SYSTEMIQ GmbH, TWAICE Technologies GmbH, Umicore AG & Co KG, VDE Renewables GmbH (through subcontracting). In association with the Global Battery Alliance (GBA), GS1 Germany GmbH, RWE Generation SE, and more.

The goal for this group is to develop the technical standards and content for a "battery pass," as well as demonstrate the integration of such data into a shared data space to provide transparency. Think of a "battery pass" as a digital ID for a battery—it tells important information about a battery, including where and how it was made, with what amount of CO2, and more. Knowing this information of batteries that are used in Germany and Europe will ensure we're making responsible and sustainable batteries—and that we're also setting the foundation for a circular battery economy.

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Q: What is Circulor's role within the consortium?

Johnson-Poensgen: Circulor offers one of the most complete and mature solutions for gaining visibility into complex industrial supply chains—we have proven technology that tracks high-risk and high-human impact materials. We have extensive experience in the electric vehicle space—tracking the provenance, production flow, and GHG emissions of critical materials like cobalt, nickel, lithium, manganese, mica, and more.

Circulor and the other consortium members have been selected by the German Federal Ministry on account of our track records. We're ready to invest our knowledge and our experience in defining the digital content of battery passports and their data space. The aim is not only to define the technology but also to work together to set common standards and definitions. We have reason to hope that this project in Germany will influence and inform European policymakers, as well as global partners, on how "battery passports" can be developed and managed.

Our role within the consortium is to lead the "Battery Pass Demonstrator" work package – using the content and technical standards from the other work packages to simulate data flows and system transactions. Our team has already implemented battery passport management products for clients like Volvo Cars, Polestar, and Rock Tech Lithium, among others—and so we're eager to bring insights we've learned to date and also learn from our consortium partners on how such efforts can be expanded and adopted more broadly.

Q: How does this project align with the Circulor vision?

Johnson-Poensgen: Today's political and climate issues highlight the need for radical transparency in our supply chains. By bringing to light what's occurring in the deeper tiers of these supply chains, we can take steps with measurable results—to protect our people, our resources, and our planet.

Interestingly, the World Economic Forum published a report showing that only eight supply chains account for more than 50% of total global emissions. If we're going to meet our target of the Paris Climate Accord, we have to drive emissions reductions in these sectors.

Together, we must ensure that the process of electrifying our transportation and power sectors is done safely, responsibly, and with the lowest levels of CO2 produced.

This initiative with the German Federal Economic Ministry and the "Battery Pass" consortium members aligns squarely with these drivers that are the foundation of Circulor's mission and vision. Especially in advance of the forthcoming EU Battery Regulation, government and industry must set ESG criteria for batteries and build systems of transparency to prove that these criteria are being met. As a result of the BMWk project and the

How A Battery Passport Could Work

The key to socially and sustainably produced EV batteries is transparency.



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Social sustainability

Capacity
 Type and propertion of risk substance

State of health

Proportion of recycled/recyclable m
 Info for Second-Life usage

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forthcoming Regulation, Germany and the EU market will build sustainable, responsible, high-performing, circular battery economies, and my company is pleased to play a part in striving toward these aspirations in concrete ways.

Q: Can a "Battery Pass" help ensure resource security?

Johnson-Poensgen: Batteries are valuable assets to our economies. Giving them digital identities can help countries achieve circular economies and enable pathways to second-life and recycling more quickly and efficiently.

With transparency and digital battery identities or "battery passports", exact volumes of virgin and used materials on the market can be known, greater collaboration across diverse suppliers can be forged, and greater efficiency in production cycles can be created. Companies also have peace of mind and continuous proof that they're meeting sustainability goals and regulatory policies.

By enabling all this, battery passes make it easier to create new economies in reuse and recycling, cutting dependence on raw material supplies that may come from other countries around the world.



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