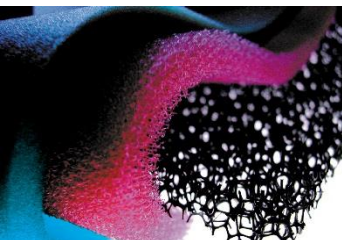


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Lisbon, 11-12-13 June 2019

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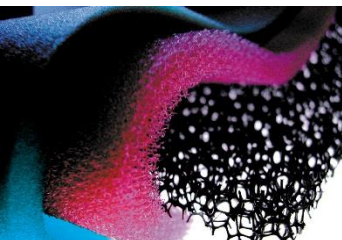
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Tuesday 11 June 2019

14.30-16.30	<i>Euro-Moulders Board & General Assembly</i> (EM Members only) Meeting room Ajuda I
17.00-18.30	<i>Europur Board Meeting</i> (EP Board Members only) Meeting room Ajuda I
19.30-22.30	<i>Euro-Moulders & Europur Board Dinner</i> (EP and EM Board Members only) Pestana Restaurant Valle Flôr

Wednesday 12 June 2019 – Meeting room Belem

<i>07.45</i> <i>08.00</i>	<i>Bus transfer from hotels Sana Maloa and Occidental Lisboa to Pestana Palace Hotel</i> <i>Bus transfer from hotel Vila Galé to Pestana Palace Hotel</i>
08.30-10.00	<i>Europur Formal GA & Presentation of new Members (Members only)</i> Foam Producers: Torres Espic, Ventius, Latexco, Pikolin, Eurospuma, Egida +, Pagola Poliuretanos Associate Members: Borsodchem, Hall Analytical, Cannon, Cargill, IPF
<i>09.30</i>	<i>Second bus transfers from all other hotels to Pestana Palace Hotel</i>
10.00–10.30	<i>Coffee Break / Networking</i>
10.30–10.45	<i>Welcome</i> , Bart ten Brink, President, EUROPUR
10.45-11.45	<i>The day after Tomorrow</i> , Peter Hinssen
11.45-12.30	<i>Market Report Europe</i> Angela Austin, Managing Director, Labyrinth Research & Markets and Patrick de Kort, Regulatory Affairs Manager, EUROPUR
12.30-13.30	<i>Networking Lunch</i>



13.30-14.45	<p><i>Panel discussion: EoL of Mattresses and Furniture: What is the right direction?</i></p> <p>Moderator: Michel Baumgartner, Secretary General, EUROPUR</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation by Antonio Vasconcelos, Managing Partner, NEW NEXT • Tom Mikkelsen, Global Senior Category Manager Chemicals, Tempur Sealy • Frederik Lauwaert, Managing Director, European Bedding Industry Association • Ingrid Hontis, Adviser Environment and Energy, Fedustria • Lee Salamone, Senior Director Centre for the Polyurethane Industry, American Chemistry Council • Remi Beulque, Adviser for Development of Innovative Sectors, Eco-Mobilier
14.45-16.10	<p><i>Panel Discussion: Recycling of PU foam: what are the prospects?</i></p> <p>Moderator: Bart ten Brink, President, EUROPUR</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Presentation by Marcel Moeller, EMEA & India Marketing Director, Dow Polyurethanes • Bart Haelterman, Corporate Manager Sustainable Innovation & HSE, Recticel • Herbert Bettinger, Group Manager Foaming Technology & R&D, Eurofoam • Prof. Dr. Michael Bottlinger, Trier University of Applied Sciences • Michal Soltysinski, Head of Foam Production, Ikano Industry • Manuela Borao Fernandez, Senior Manager Circular Economy, Repsol
16.10-16.40	<p><i>Coffee Break / Networking</i></p>
16.40-17.10	<p><i>Electrification of vehicles – Impact on acoustics requirements</i> Michael Krebs, PU Expert, Carcoustics Techconsult</p>
17.10-17.40	<p><i>Sponsor Presentation (Huntsman)</i> Irina Bolshakova, Senior Market Manager, EMEA</p>

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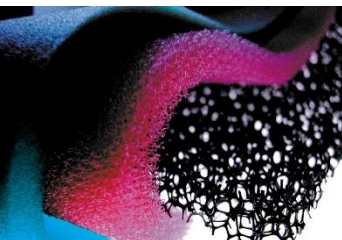


18.00	Bus Transfer from Pestana Palace to Hotels Vila Galé, Sana Malhoa and Occidental Lisboa
19.00	<i>Departure for dinner from Hotels Pestana Palace, Vila Galé, Sana Malhoa and Occidental Lisboa</i>
19.30-22.30	<i>Networking Dinner at Adega de Colares Winery</i>
22.30	<i>Bus transfer to Hotels Pestana Palace, Vila Galé, Sana Malhoa and Occidental Lisboa</i>

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Bus transfer from other hotels to Pestana Palace

09.00-10.45: Odour and VOCs

Meeting room Belem

Moderator: Hamdy Khalil (Woodbridge)

What you should know before trying to reduce material odor, Michael Holzwarth, IMAT-UVE

Consumer concerns on odour in bedding and upholstered furniture, Kacper Krecioch, Ikea

Surfactant VOC management in Automotive Low Emission Polyurethane foams, Rossella Riccio, Dow

Odour and VOCs characterization: Huntsman analytical expertise driving foam performance excellence, Ana Martins, Huntsman

09.00-10.45: Flame Retardants

Meeting room Ajuda

Moderator: Adri Aerts, The Vita Group

Regulatory update on Flame Retardants in Flexible PU Foam, Patrick de Kort, EUROPUR & Lee Salamone, American Chemistry Council

What are the market solutions for regulatory challenges?

Heiko Tebbe, Lanxess

Munjal Patel, ICL

Eric-Jack Gerard, Shekoy

Steven Chu, Wansheng

10.45-11.15

Coffee Break and Networking

11.15-12.30: Additives and Surfactants

Meeting room Belem

Moderator: Bart Haelterman, Recticel

Additive for Better Bond Strength in Flame Lamination, Isabelle Wessely, Evonik

An overview of anti-microbial solutions for flexible PU foams in Europe, Alessandro Vezzoli, Lonza

Huntsman PU additives solutions lowering the emissions in flexible foam applications, Riccardo Cirra, Huntsman

11.15-12.30: Product Stewardship / EHS

Meeting room Ajuda

Moderator: Michel Baumgartner, EUROPUR

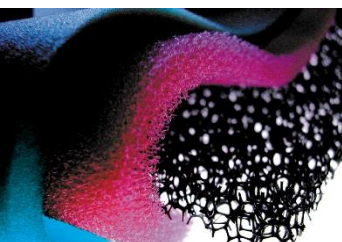
An updated risk evaluation on VOC emissions from PU foam, Adri Aerts, The Vita Group

Regulatory evolutions on OELs for diisocyanates and measurements systems for air monitoring, Hans-Georg Pirkel, Covestro

New ISOPA Guidelines for the safe loading and unloading of TDI and MDI in bulk, Ronald Van der Kooij, Huntsman

12.30-13.30

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<p>13.30-14.30</p>	<p>Regulatory Issues Europe and USA Meeting room Belem</p> <p><i>Update on the planned REACH Restriction for Diisocyanates, Jörg Palmersheim, Secretary General, ISOPA</i></p> <p><i>Regulatory Update for flexible PU foam production in Europe, Adri Aerts, Senior Technical Adviser, The Vita Group</i></p> <p><i>Regulatory Update and market Report for flexible PU foam production in North America, Russ Batson, Managing Director, Polyurethane Foam Association</i></p>
<p>14.30-15.30</p>	<p>How to deal with (fake) social media claims as a corporation? Meeting room Belem</p> <p>Richard Gutjahr, Journalist</p>
<p>15.30-15.45</p>	<p>Closure and Farewell, Eric van Lancker, President, EURO-MOULDERERS</p>

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