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PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED FOR FEBRUARY MEETING

If you prefer you can reserve a spot by email or fax. Send us a note that you will be there. We will confirm receipt of your reservation. You can then either bring the payment with you or put it in the mail.

Please make your reservation prior to February 5th, 2007.

Please note:

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To make your reservation today contact Gary at: gary@geandb.com or by fax at (519) 896-7350 (If registering by mail please use the form on the back page)

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SCC Ontario Chapter Meeting THURSDAY FEBRUARY 8TH, 2007

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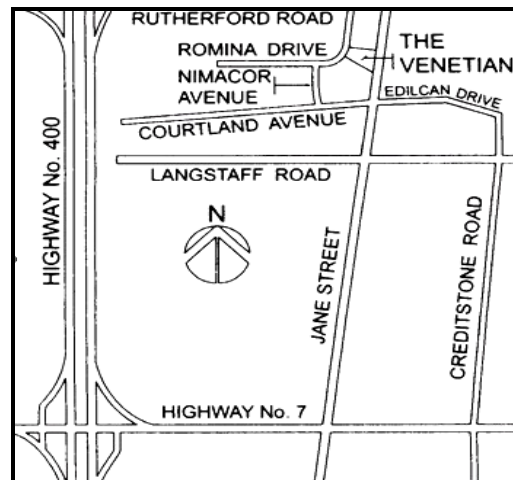
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Location: The Venetian Banquet & Hospitality Centre
219 Romina Drive, City of Vaughan,
ON, L4K 4V3 (tel: 905-264-9960)

Time: 5:30 p.m. Cocktails
6:30 p.m. Dinner
7:30 p.m. Presentations
9:30 p.m. Adjournment

Fees: \$45 pre-paid SCC member
\$55 pre-paid non-member
\$10 pre-paid student
\$60 at the door



Abstract #1

Continuous Microfluidic Reactors for Polymer Particles

Eugenia Kumacheva

Department of Chemistry, University of Toronto, 80 Saint George Street,

Microfluidic reactors provide high heat and mass transfer rates, safe and rapid synthesis and the possibility of the development of new reaction and formulations pathways, too difficult for conventional processes. In my talk I will review our progress in production of polymer particles by using continuous microfluidic reactors. The method includes (a) the generation of monomer or liquid polymer droplets with extremely size distribution in a microfluidic flow-focusing device and (b) *in-situ* solidification of these droplets by photopolymerization, photocrosslinking, or gelation. Different aspects of these processes such as the macroscopic properties of liquids, effect of polymerization rates, the role of the material of microfluidic device and the synthesis of particles with different shapes, morphologies and compositions will be demonstrated. Furthermore, I will show several strategies for the production of capsules.

Biography

Professor Eugenia Kumacheva received her Ph.D. in Physical Chemistry of Polymers at the Institute of Physical Chemistry (Russian Academy of Science). She then worked in the Department of Chemistry at the Moscow State University, followed by a postdoctoral position at the Weizmann Institute of Science (Israel). In 1996 Professor Kumacheva joined the University of Toronto and now holds a Tier 1 Canada Research Chair in Advanced Polymer Materials. Her research interests include polymers at interfaces, advanced polymer materials, morphology of multicomponent polymer systems and Microfluidics.

Abstract #2

Linker-based lecithin microemulsions

Edgar J. Acosta

Department of Chemical Engineering and applied Chemistry,
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Lecithin microemulsions have attracted the interest of academic and industrial R&D groups because of their potential application as drug delivery systems and as "green solvents" in industrial and household cleaning applications. Previously, lecithin microemulsions had to be formulated using toxic medium chain alcohol or concentrated polymer solutions with low solubilization capacity. The introduction of linker-based microemulsions has circumvented the toxicity issues associated with medium chain alcohols, and have made possible to formulate systems with high oil solubilization capacity. I will expand on the concept of linker molecules and a brief summary of its applications as solvents for environmental remediation, as detergents, as skin cleansing formulas and as drug delivery vehicles. The challenges and outlook of linker-based systems will also be discussed.

Biography

Dr. Edgar Acosta received his B.S. in Chemical Engineering from the Universidad del Zulia (Venezuela) in 1996 and his M.S. and Ph.D. in Chemical Engineering from the University of Oklahoma in 2000 and 2004, respectively. He is currently an Assistant Professor in the department of Chemical Engineering at the University of Toronto. His research encompasses the area of colloids, complex fluids, and formulation engineering.

POSTER PRESENTATIONS.....

In addition to our speakers for the evening we are pleased to have two student posters available for attendees to view.

Hong Zhang is Professor Kumacheva's student and will present "A Microfluidic Approach to Biopolymer Microcapsules with Controlled Morphology". Justin Grant is Professor Allen's student and will present "The Mechanism of Interaction for Blends containing the Polysaccharide Chitosan and Non-Ionic Sorbitan Esters in the Development of Stable Emulsions".

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may continue to attend monthly
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form with unemployment details.**

Presenters Wel- come!!!



The SCC Ontario Chapter board is currently accepting submissions for presentations ! Interested parties can submit a presentation abstract and a biography. Your talk may be accepted for either a Chapter meeting or Education Day.

Please send all enquiries to Andy Halasz (speaker coordinator) at ahalasz@hunteramenities.com

Farewell from the Chair

My term as the Chair for 2006 has come to an end. The year has gone by so quickly, it is hard to believe it is over.

We had a really busy year in 2006. We started the year off with an evening meeting in February. We enjoyed Craig R. Weiss's presentation on Consumer Product Testing. During the Cocktail hour we also had two poster presentations given by our scholarship students, Jessica Yuan and Ketha Sivasegaran. In March, we hosted a Regulatory Update – Full day regulatory seminar given by David Steinberg on the topics of Canadian, US and European regulations and changes. We were able to offer this seminar free to all SCC members. The spring closed off with an evening meeting in May, at which Bruce W. Gesslein spoke on Amino Acids and their derivatives in Anti-Aging. End of spring also brought us a Free Continuing Education Course in early June. We had over 30 attendees and we learned all about Creative Thinking. John McCook instructed a very interesting course.

The fall was equally busy for our chapter. The September event, our Annual Education Day drew close to 100 participants. This year's topic was Preservation and we had a variety of speakers from across the industry. Our speakers included Qinyun Peng of EMD Chemicals, Steven Schnittger of Estee Lauder, Rosita Nunez of Lonza Inc, Chris Johnson of Kinetik Technologies & Timothy Kapsner of Aveda Corp. The day Seminar was followed by dinner meeting at which Vera Matovina of Plant Power Company educated us on the "Smelling Sensations – New Trends in Essential Oil Industry". Steven Schnittger has won the Best Speaker award for Ontario Chapter for 2006 for his part in this seminar. Our last evening meeting was held in November with John C. Hill of International Flora Technologies presenting on "Oxidative Stability of Botanical Emollients".

And while we spent a lot of time on Education, we also had time to have some fun! In April we held our second annual Casino Night and Silent Auction. We have had over 100 participants, bidding on over 150 prizes. We raised in excess of \$10,000 for Nellie's Women's Shelter.

We started the summer off with some Golf. We held our annual Golf Tournament at the Klineburg Golf Club on July 5th. We had approximately 100 participants. The weather was perfect and everybody had a great time. We closed the year off with our Annual Holiday Dinner Dance on December 1st. We had close to 200 guests, all of whom had a great evening filled with great food, music and lots of door prizes.

Our Student Scholarship program continues to be very strong, with more students selected to receive the scholarship in 2007 and the great success of our 2006 Student Scholarship recipient, Jessica Yuan. Jessica was selected to enter her poster for the Student Poster Showcase held during the Annual Scientific Seminar in Boston (May 2006) and she placed first! Her poster was entitled "Linker-Based Lecithin Microemulsions for Topical Delivery of alpha-Tocopherol Acetate and Sodium Salicylate".

Starting a new year as Chair is always exciting and you always wonder if it will be a success, but this year truly was a great success. I can honestly say that I could not have done this without the help of many great people on the board. I would like to give a great Thank You to: Gary Baker, Mandy Billings, Catherine Blackhall, Janice Cukier, Gayle Dyck, Joanne Gordon, Andy Halasz, Andrea Hopp, Gagan Jain, Cheryl Kunka, Monika Melao, Marilyn Patterson, Rob Quinlan, Sharon Roberston, Ravi Shah and Dennis Zuccolin.

Special thanks go to Gary Baker who continues to put in a lot of his time to serve as our Treasurer. Thank you to Marilyn Patterson for continuing to take care of speakers for our meetings and for taking care of our website. Thank you to Dennis Zuccolin for running our scholarship program and continuing to make improvements. Thank you to Cheryl Kunka & Sharon Robertson & many other volunteers who helped to put the Casino Night together and who continually work very hard to help us support a very good cause. Thank you to Gagan Jain and Catherine Blackhall for organizing the Golf Tournament. Thank you to Janice Cukier and Monika Melao for their organization of the Holiday Dinner Dance. Also thanks to Alaina Wilkins for taking over the responsibility of editing our newsletter.

Thank you to all the volunteers for being there when we need them and who helped out tirelessly throughout the year. As you can see this Chapter is a work in progress and it takes many people to make it work! I hope everybody has enjoyed the events and I hope to see all of you in 2007 attending the many events planned for the new year.

As Monika takes over as the Chair for 2007, I know she will do a phenomenal job and I wish her much success!

Dorothy Maraprossians.

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Trivia (answers on page 12)

1. During the 1400s, looking pale and otherworldly was in. To achieve this, women shaved their foreheads, plucked out their eyelashes and eyebrows, and whitened their faces and bosoms with ceruse. What did ceruse consist of?
a) Eggwhite and Mercuric Oxide b) Vinegar and powdered lead c) Mercuric Oxide and Gum Arabic d) Eggwhite and Arsenic
2. During the same period women sometimes resorted to more drastic method of achieving that "pale look". What did they do?
a) They starved themselves b) They tried to be constantly pregnant c) They bled themselves d) They used hyperventilation
3. In what country did nail polish originate?
a) India b) China c) Greece d) Egypt
4. Helena Rubinstein began her career creating stage and film makeup. When Theda Bara appeared on the screen wearing a lot of one of Rubinstein's inventions, it became instantly popular with the general public. What was it?
a) White face powder b) Mascara c) Eye shadow d) Eye liner
5. Using scents to mask the smell of sweat has always been very common. In what century, however, was the first real deodorant produced?
a) 17th century b) 18th century c) 19th century d) 20th century
6. In the early 1920s she got a tan while on a cruise abroad the Duke of Westminster's yacht. When she got home, the colour of her skin caused a fashion revolution. Who was she?
a) Isadora Duncan b) Emerald Cunard c) Edwina Mountbatten d) Coco Chanel
7. A beautiful model in an evening gown appeared on the cover of a Harper's Bazaar magazine in 1915. She wasn't wearing a corset, her skirts were above her ankle and the back of the dress was scandalously low. But the model lacked one thing in particular that would set off a new trend in fashion in North America. What was it?
a) Bra b) Makeup c) Underarm Hair d) Shoes
8. Lipsticks first appeared in the ancient city of Ur, near Babylon, how many years ago?
a) 900 b) 2000 c) 5000 d) 8000
9. Ancient Egyptians are known for their elaborate eye makeup. What were the ancient eyeliners made of? (Which one does not apply)
a) Burnt Almonds b) Ground up ants eggs c) Powdered malachite d) Stamen from the lotus flower
10. Henna comes from which plant?
a) Nymphaea caerulea b) Lawsonia c) Papyrus d) Centaurea depressa
11. In the 1600s "Beauty Patches" - pieces of velvet or silk cut into the shape of stars, moons, hearts and similar figures - were frequently applied to the face and body to cover smallpox scars. A secret language developed through their use. A patch on the right cheek meant what?
a) You were flirtatious b) You were married c) You were engaged d) You were somebody's mistress
12. In the 16th century, to make the eyes bright some women washed their eyes with what? (Circle all that apply)
a) lemon juice b) sea water c) belladonna d) hemlock
13. What or who was a Vinaigrette?
a) A mixture of perfume oil and lemon juice applied under the arms to mask the smell of sweat
b) A small decorative box perfume box
c) The person who had the responsibility of maintaining the powdered wigs in the royal court
d) A person who prepared the powders, dyes and perfumes used as makeup in the 1600's and 1700's
14. The term "to shampoo" comes from Anglo-Indian roots. The Hindi word champna means to...
a) Fragrance b) Create Foam c) Massage d) Clean
15. The term Shampoo was first introduced where?
a) England b) France c) India d) Egypt
16. The first known commercial maker of shampoo was...
a) Lucien Vidie b) Kasey Hebert c) Farag Moussa d) Pingala
17. The word cosmetic comes from? (trick question)
a) Latin: Cosmaticae, falsely displayed
b) Latin: Cosmae Tiem, to cover, hide
c) Greek: Kosmeticos, skilled in adornment
d) Greek: Cosmos, orderly
e) Greek: Kosmein, to arrange, adorn

And the winners were.....

Congratulations to our table of winners comprised of Jim Vlasic, Olga Shebanova, Paul Nguyen, Derek Sanderson, Shagufta Meghji, Mary Capau and Dorothy Maraprossians.



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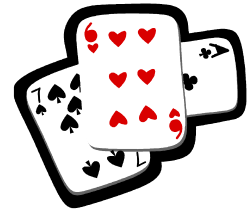
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- ♠ Come to play Texas Hold'em Poker.
- ♠ Come for the chance to win some great prizes.
- ♠ Come for the buffet dinner and **open bar**.
- ♠ Bring all your friends. This is an open event, you do not need to be an SCC member to attend. The cost is the same for all attendees.

The evening starts at 7:00 pm with a great buffet dinner. When you arrive, you will receive your "play" money. Don't forget your invitation from the Holiday Dinner Dance. It entitles you to additional play money. Use this money at any of the casino games. Your winnings can be used to enter draws for some great prizes.

Don't like to gamble? Don't worry, there is a great silent auction for you. Many have walked away with amazing deals on fabulous items. And you can still use your "play" money to enter the draws for prizes at the end of the evening. **Purchases can be made with cash, cheque, VISA or MASTERCARD.** More information will follow soon.

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We are looking for volunteers now and during the event. You can volunteer now to help organize and request donations. You can help during the evening in a variety of ways.

We are especially looking for an MC for the evening! Your job would be to announce the auction table closures and other events as they occur throughout the evening. You would also help with the prize draws at the end of the evening.

Would you like to sponsor this event? Would you like to make a donation to the auction? Do you know of a business or service who might donate? We will be happy to pick up any donations you have available. We can provide you with all you need to make any donation requests.

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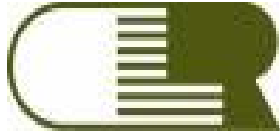
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Our February 8th chapter meeting's theme is **team spirit day!**

Come to the February 8th chapter meeting and donate \$10.00 to **The Redwood** woman's shelter. This entitles you to wear your favourite team jersey or clothing to the chapter meeting. The \$10.00 entry fee also gives you one chance at winning the Leaf's tickets.

Don't have any team related clothing?

Don't worry, you can still enter the draw for the Leafs tickets for a donation of \$10.00.

Really want to win those tickets?

You can enter as many times as you want for \$10.00 per entry.

You must be present at the chapter meeting in order to win.

The tickets are for a Leafs game on Tuesday, April 3rd, 2007.

Maple Leafs vs. Philadelphia Flyers.

These are Air Canada Club Access Seats at the blue line! (Section 107, Row 28)

(Tickets compliments of Thomson Rogers Law Firm)

Come out to the chapter meeting with your favourite team jersey or clothing and some cash, for a chance to win the tickets.

ALL PROCEEDS GO TO THE REDWOOD WOMAN'S SHELTER.

This is a taste of the fun you can have at the SCC Charity Casino and Auction. Join us on April 27th for a fun evening in support of a great cause. Keep your ticket stubs from the February draw and bring them to the Casino Night. They will entitle you to additional play money that night.

See page 9 for more details on Casino Night.

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2006 Holiday Dinner Dance



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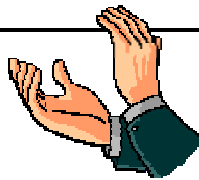
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Trivia Answers (questions on page 6)

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| 1. b) Vinegar and powdered lead | 7.c) Underarm Hair | 13.b) A small decorative box per fume box |
| 2. c) They bled themselves | 8.c) 5000 | 14.c) Massage |
| 3. b) China | 9.d) Stamen from the lotus flower | 15.a) England |
| 4. b) Mascara | 10.b) Lawsonia | 16.b) Kasey Hebert |
| 5. c) 19 th century | 11.b) You were married | 17.c) Greek: Kosmeticos, skilled in adornment
d) Greek: Cosmos, orderly
e) Greek: Kosmein, to arrange, adorn |
| 6. d) Coco Chanel | 12. a) lemon juice
c) belladonna | |

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The SCC Ontario board is proud to announce that it has chosen as its 2006 speaker award recipient, **Mr Steven F. Schnittger** of Estee Lauder. Steve presented on *Preservative Optimization* during our September 20th Education Day. Thank you Steve for your contributions and congratulations on your award!



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March 7th, 2007 The Venetian, Vaughan ON	Regulatory Meeting– Barbara Wolf– “REACH”
April 27th, 2007 The Venetian, Vaughan ON	Charity Casino and Silent Auction Night in support of The Redwood Woman’s Shelter
May 10-11th, 2007 Anaheim, CA	2007 Annual Scientific Seminar
May 24th, 2007 The Venetian, Vaughan ON	SCC Ontario Chapter Meeting– CP Kelco
May 31st, 2007 Kleinburg Golf Club	SCC Ontario 7th annual Golf Tournament
September 20th, 2007 The Venetian, Vaughan ON	SCC Ontario Chapter Meeting– Education Day
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November 30th, 2007 The Venetian, Vaughan ON	SCC Ontario Chapter Holiday Dinner Dance

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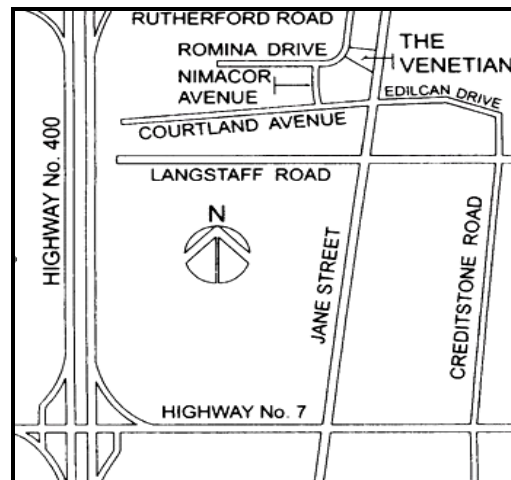
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March 7, 2007

Location: The Venetian Banquet & Hospitality Centre
219 Romina Drive, City of Vaughan,
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Time: 8:30 a.m. Registration
9:00 a.m. Morning Session
10:30 a.m. Break
12 p.m. Adjourn Meeting



Abstract:

A new European Union chemicals regulation was passed by the European Parliament on December 15, 2006. Although this is a chemicals regulation, the cosmetics industry has not been exempted and will be impacted. REACH stands for Registration, Evaluation and Authorization of Chemicals. All cosmetics ingredients manufactured and sold within the European Union or those imported in after REACH takes effect will require a registration number. Finished goods that are imported into the European Union will require documentation that all individual ingredients are similarly registered.

This summary of the REACH regulations will give key definitions of REACH terms, types of information required and several points to stimulate discussion. The REACH regulation becomes effective on June 1, 2007 and registration of new chemicals and pre-registration of phase-in chemicals (that have EINECS numbers) will likely begin on June 1, 2008 and close in the end of 2008. Consortia of suppliers will begin forming after the publication of the chemicals registered as the REACH principle of "one substance, one registration" will mandate sharing of data and testing costs among suppliers (manufacturers and importers) and perhaps downstream users. Some of the data submission deadlines are in conflict with the Seventh Amendment to the Cosmetics Directives marketing ban on animal testing of cosmetic ingredients. All of the safety and environmental information will be available to the public through the Internet.

Not all the procedures of REACH are clarified at this point. Information is still being developed as is the Internet software to be used to pre-register/register. This presentation will provide an update on what is known of the process at this point in time.

Helpful websites: <http://ecb.jcr.it/REACH/>
<http://ecb.jrc.it/REACH-IT-INFORMATICS> (for RIP reports)

Other regulatory issues such as the recent decisions from the Cosmetic Ingredient Review process of CTFA in the United States and some recent activity on the nanotechnology front that may impact the cosmetics industry will also be updated.

Please come and bring your questions for a lively, interactive discussion.

Biography-Barbara Wolf

Barbara Wolf has over 25 years in the cosmetic industry, the last 8 years with Estee Lauder. She is currently Executive Director of Regulatory Affairs where she is involved in responding to regulatory and safety issues throughout the world. She is a certified Safety Assessor for the European Union. Prior to joining Estee Lauder, Dr. Wolf worked at the Revlon Research Center where she held numerous positions in product development, basic research (“blue sky”), product safety, microbiology and clinical/claim substantiation. She was awarded the Tribute to Women in Industry in 1995 by the Twin program of Central New Jersey YMCA for professional leadership and accomplishments. Before joining Revlon, Dr. Wolf was a fellow of the National Cancer Institute, a research associate at The Rockefeller University, and a research assistant at Sloan Kettering Institute for Cancer Research. She received her PhD. in Biology at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and a BA in Chemistry from Queens College in New York. She is a member of the American Academy of Dermatology, the Society of Investigative Dermatology, the Society of Toxicology and the Society of Cosmetic Chemists. She works with the CTFA on several committees and serves as a reviewer for the Journal of the Society of Cosmetics Chemists. She has been a member of the SCC Committee on Scientific Affairs since January 2004 and served as Chair for 2006. She has moderated and presented at SCC meetings both national and regional. Her lifelong interests have been the causes and consequences of naturally and environmentally induced aging.

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Welcome from the Chair

I wish to thank you for the opportunity to serve as Chair for our 12th year of the Ontario Chapter of the Society of Cosmetic Chemists. I have had the pleasure of working on our Board for the last few years and I appreciate all the hard work the volunteer group has done to consistently provide Ontario members a Chapter to be proud of. 2006 was a successful year under Dorothy's leadership and I am certain we can look forward to the same in 2007... just look at what we have planned already!

Our February meeting starts off our year in great *SPIRIT*. A great educational experience, by two local university professors, plus student posters for viewing, some added optional fun attire and a chance to win Leaf tickets...all for a good cause. Next, as a Chapter, we will give back to our members a free regulatory meeting covering REACH for pre-registered SCC members in March. In April we have Casino Night, allowing the Ontario Chapter to give back to the community...yet still maintain that spirit of fun for our members. May is a busy month with another great educational chapter meeting and our Annual Golf Tournament. We then take a break to enjoy our few summer months and then head back to the classroom for a full Education Day in September. At our last evening meeting in November, we welcome our speaker and install our next officers. The Annual Holiday Dinner Dance then concludes our year in style.

2007 looks to be a busy year filled with great educational and fun events. This is our Chapter and we can all have input into what we would like to get out of it. Through the year, if you have any suggestions, feedback or have questions on how meetings or events are organized, please feel free to let me know. Our Board meetings often coincide with chapter events and I would encourage anyone who would like to take a more active role to attend our meetings...no strings attached. Maybe just a trivia quiz initiation! Truly, we are always looking for new ideas and ways to provide meaningful education and peer interaction for our members.

I look forward to another great year for the Ontario Chapter and hope to see you at our upcoming events.

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Trivia (answers on page 14)

SPORTS

1. What was Wayne Gretzky's first professional team?
a) Sault Ste. Marie Greyhounds b) Indianapolis Racers c) Winnipeg Jets d) Edmonton Oilers
2. Dr. James Naismith, a Canadian, created basketball as a substitute for which sport in the winter?
a) Lacrosse b) Baseball c) Football d) Soccer
3. Which Canadian soccer player starred on Everton in the English Premier League?
a) Tomas Radzinski b) Owen Hargreaves c) David Beckham d) Pelle
4. Which professional heavyweight boxer won the gold medal for Canada in the 1988 Seoul Olympics?
a) Oscar de la Hoya b) Casius Clay c) Trever Summerhill d) Lennox Lewis
5. Who was the first Canadian baseball player to win NL MVP?
a) Larry Walker b) Steve Molitor c) Fergie Jenkins d) Rob Butler
6. Which country is Olympic wrestler Daniel Igali from?
a) India b) Spain c) Nigeria d) England
7. Which Canadian born soccer star, played for team England?
a) Bobby Orr b) Rick Nash c) Owen Hargreaves d) Gordie How
8. Which of the baseball greats hit their first professional home run in Toronto?
a) Ty Cobb b) Joe Carter c) Sean Green d) Babe Ruth
9. In the 2001-2002 NHL Season how many Canadian Teams were there?
a) 2 b) 4 c) 5 d) 6
10. Which city is home to the team known as the Canucks?
a) Calgary b) Vancouver c) Montreal d) Edmonton
11. What is the name of Calgary's NHL Team?
a) Jets b) Canucks c) Oilers d) Flames
12. What is the name of the CHL Team from Brandon
a) Winter Hawks b) Wheat Kings c) Moose d) Jets
13. Which team won the 2001-2002 Memorial Cup?
a) Mississauga Ice Dogs b) Kitchener Rangers c) Kootenay Ice d) Guelph Storm
14. Who won the Calgary Stampede Chuckwagon Races in 2001?
a) Kelly Sutherland b) Rodney Roy McKinnon c) Gene Autry d) Roy Rogers
15. Which team won the Grey Cup in November 2001?
a) Calgary Stampeders b) Toronto Argonauts c) Rough Riders d) Hamilton Tiger Cats
16. Which CFL Team was playing out of Regina in the 1990s?
a) Ottawa Roughriders b) Regina Roughriders c) Montreal Allouettes d) Saskatchewan Roughriders
17. Which Canadian city is nicknamed the City of Champions?
a) Vancouver b) Toronto c) Edmonton d) Barrie
18. Which two Canadian Cities hosted the Olympics in the 1970s
a) Vancouver and Montreal b) Calgary and Vancouver c) Brantford and Meaford d) Calgary and Montreal
19. Who won the Gold Medal in triathlon at the 2000 Summer Olympics in Sydney?
a) Martha Stewart b) Sean Wilkins c) Aaron James d) Simon Whitfield
20. Where was Olympic gold medalist, Catriona Le May Doan, born?
a) Saskatoon b) Red Deer c) Regina d) Edmonton

And the winners were.....

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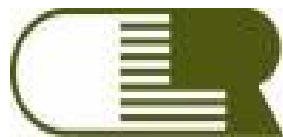
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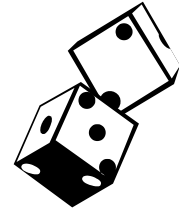
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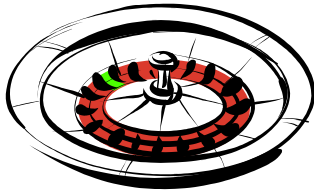
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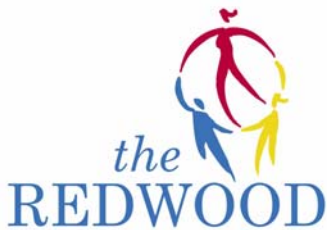


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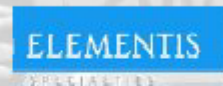
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May 10-11th, 2007 Anaheim, CA	2007 Annual Scientific Seminar
May 15-16, 2007 Edison ,NJ	NYSCC 2007 Suppliers’ Day
May 24th, 2007 The Venetian, Vaughan ON	SCC Ontario Chapter Meeting– CP Kelco
May 31st, 2007 Kleinburg Golf Club	SCC Ontario 7th annual Golf Tournament
September 20th, 2007 The Venetian, Vaughan ON	SCC Ontario Chapter Meeting– Education Day
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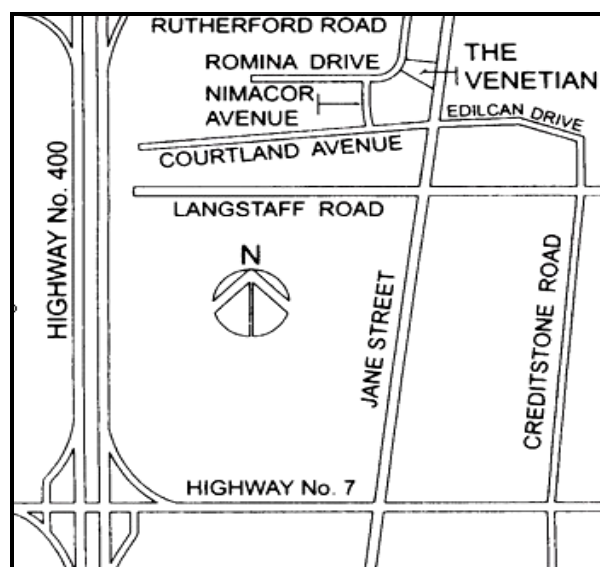
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Mr. Madison has worked for CP Kelco as a research scientist for 5 years. He has experience in personal care, household products, oral care and even cementitious applications. Recently, Nick became the Technical Service Manager for North America. This role allows Nick to support the customer with technical advice and research.

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Attendees tried their hands at Blackjack, Roulette, Texas Hold'em Poker and Crown and Anchor. All games were expertly hosted by the C&S Casino Entertainment group. Winners from the night turned in their gambling money for chances to win great prizes.

Thank you to **Derek Selby** from Cover FX, who was our fabulous MC for the night.

While some came to gamble, others came to shop. And shop they did! With over 300 generous donations from companies around the greater Toronto Area, we had a lot to bid on. Auction items ranged from spa packages, to sports memorabilia, golf packages, household items, cosmetic packages, hotels and bed and breakfast stays, and a host of other items and services. At times, the bidding was fast and furious. But all came away with that special something.

All that gambling and shopping left people hungry and thirsty. The Venetian took care of our needs as usual with a great buffet and an open bar.

And if the night wasn't enough fun for all of us, **we also raised over \$15,000 for The Redwood Woman's Shelter.** A great event and support for a great cause.

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Thank you to the planning and organizing committee, Mandy Billings, Joanne Gordon and especially **Sharon Robertson**, who tirelessly canvassed for so many of the great auction and prize items. And a big thank you to the volunteers who helped make this night a great success!

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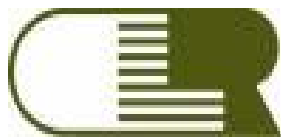
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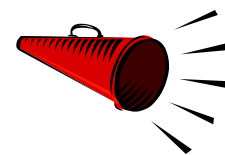


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Optimization of surfactant concentration in topical microemulsion formulations



Jessica S. Yuan, Alice Yip, E. J. Acosta
*Department of Chemical Engineering and Applied Chemistry
University of Toronto*

Abstract:

Alcohol-free lecithin microemulsions have been formulated with food-grade linker molecules and proved to be effective vehicles for topical delivery of cosmeceutical actives. It is important to study the effect of surfactant concentration on the vehicle efficacy and to investigate the minimum surfactant concentration required in these systems to achieve the desired performance. This could lead to the most cost-effective formulations and lower side effect. In this work, we have examined *in vitro* permeation and absorption of lidocaine (a poorly water-soluble ingredient used in acne treatment) from linker microemulsions through pig skin as a function of surfactant concentrations. The results have shown that the cumulative amount of lidocaine delivered increases as the surfactant concentration increases up to a point where a plateau is reached (saturation). These findings suggest that there is an optimum dosage effect in linker-based microemulsion delivery systems, in which the minimum amount of surfactant mixtures is required.

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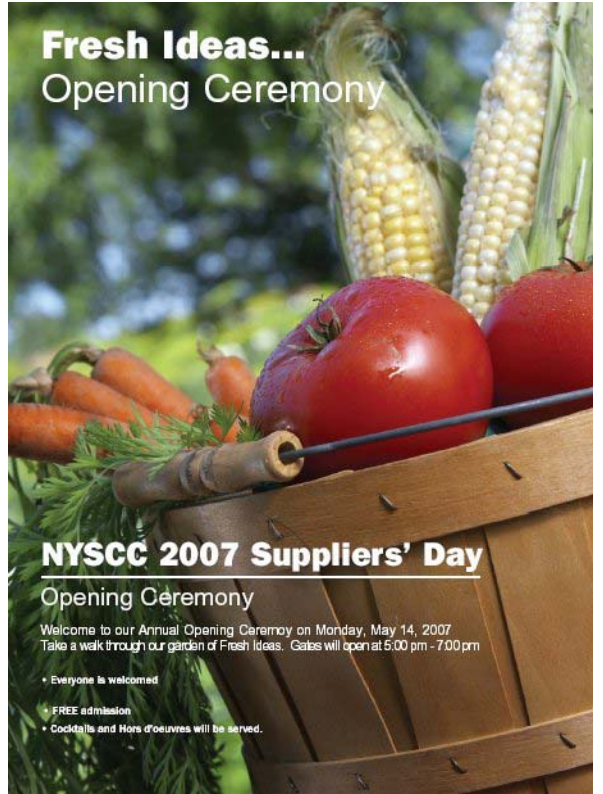
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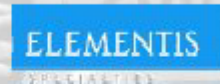
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If you prefer you can reserve a spot by email or fax. Send us a note that you will be there. We will confirm receipt of your reservation. You can then either bring the payment with you or put it in the mail. Please make your reservation prior to **SEPT 15, 2007**.

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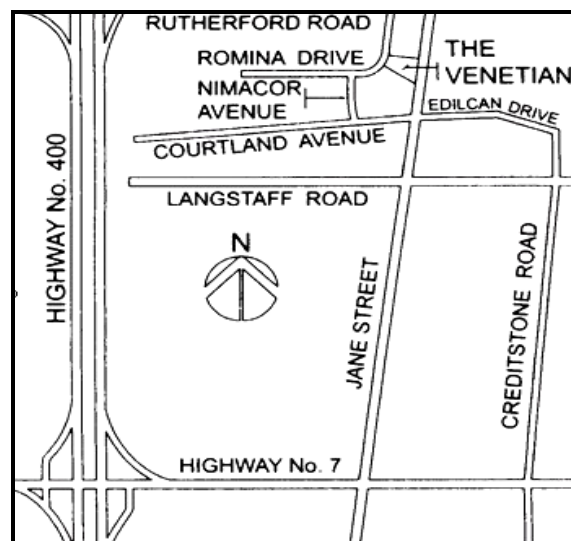
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Mr. Tony O'Lenick

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Bio:

Tony O'Lenick

Tony O'Lenick is President of Siltech LLC. A company he founded in 1989. Siltech is a silicone and surfactant specialty company. Prior to that Tony held technical and executive positions at Alkaril Chemicals Inc, Henkel Corporation and Mona Industries. He has been involved in the personal care market for over 30 years.

Tony is the author of two books, *Surfactants Chemistry and Properties* published in 1999, and *Silicones for Personal Care* published in 2003. He teaches continuing education courses in silicones and patent law for the SCC. He has also published over 45 technical articles in trade journals, contributed chapters to five books, and is the inventor on over 250 patents. He received a number of awards for work in chemistry including the 1996 Samuel Rosen Award given by the American Oil Chemists' Society, the 1997 Innovative Use of Fatty Acids Award given by the Soap and Detergents Association, and the Partnership to The Personal Care Award given by the Advanced Technology Group. Tony is a Fellow in the society of Cosmetic Chemists, was a member of the Committee on Scientific Affairs of the Society of Cosmetic Chemists and is currently a member of the Education Committee. Tony does a column called Comparatively Speaking for Cosmetics and Toiletries.

EDUCATION DAY SCHEDULE

8:30am -9:00 am	Registration
9:00 am -10:30 am	Silicones (Part 1)
10:30 am -10:45 am	Break
10:45 am -12 noon	Silicones (Part 2)
12:00 noon- 1:00 pm	Lunch
1:00 pm -2:30 pm	Natural Oils
2:30 pm- 2:45 pm	Break
2:45 pm -4:00 pm	Patents

Abstracts:

Silicones

Today there are few types of cosmetic product that do not contain silicone compounds. Silicone compounds include a variety of materials that can be soluble in oil, or water or insoluble in them. They can be film formers in long wear lipstick, or very light additives for use in AP applications. Despite their common usage the diversity of silicone compounds available cause formulators problems with selection. The function is dictated by structure. Understanding what makes silicones tick make selection far more efficient. This presentation will address the structure, function, and applications of a range of silicone compounds.

Natural Oils

There is an increased interest in natural products in the personal care market. Nature has provided us with a variety of natural oils, and butters, which despite their similarities chemically, provide different cosmetic attributes in products. This presentation will discuss natural oils and butters, their chemistry and cosmetic aesthetics as well as offering some formulation possibilities. Samples of materials will be available for hands on evaluation.

Patents

Like it or not, today's cosmetic chemist has to deal with the growing number of patents related to compounds, and formulations. New product development starts with a patent search to maximize the effectiveness of research time. This presentation will address questions like What exactly is a patent? What does it do? How do I avoid problems with patents? How do I get a patent?

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Cheryl Kunka
Society of Cosmetic Chemists



Dear Cheryl,

I am writing to share my deep appreciation with everyone at the Society of Cosmetic Chemists for your generous support of the SCC Charity Casino and Silent Auction, a benefit for women and children fleeing domestic abuse.

With your help, the SCC raised over \$15,000 to help women and children living with the pain and humiliation of domestic violence find the courage and resources they need to flee their abuser. We are just thrilled with the success of the event, and are so honoured that you chose to support The Redwood this year.

Your contribution to The Redwood has been put to immediate use to meet the urgent, growing demand to further increase the reach of our services, and will help provide so many families with a lifeline out of an abusive relationship.

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I'd also like to share a special thank you to the SCC volunteers who organized this event. I know you put an incredible amount of time and hard work into ensuring this evening was a great success - we greatly appreciate your commitment to give women and children the promise of new lives, free from violence.

On behalf of all of us here at The Redwood, thank you again for your support.

Sincerely,

Anne-Marie Gardner
Executive Director

SCC Scholarship Update

The SCC Scholarship for 2007/08 has been approved for a group of four students from the University of Toronto and their research proposal on the UV Absorption of Flavenoids Derived from Apples. Jing Guo, Jessica Leen, Liuba Mamonova and Zarna Shah initially began their research while in high school and won the "Best Commercial Potential" award at the 2005 Aventis Biotech Challenge. The work will be completed in the laboratory of Dr. Edgar Acosta (the supervisor of Jessica Yuan, a prior SCC scholarship recipient) at the Department of Chemical Engineering. We look forward to learning more about their research in the near future.

Upon a review of the Co-op student component of the Scholarship Program, the Board has decided not to continue with this option and to focus on supporting student research. Our program is open to any student completing independent research related to cosmetic science at an Ontario University or College and more information can be found at the Ontario Chapter Website.

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- 1) If you're eating canapés, you're consuming small pieces of bread or crackers with something savory on top. Had you been an ancient Greek eating Kanops, what would you have been devouring?
An awning A curtain A couch A mosquito
- 2) Your accident-prone friend brings back a variety of plants for you to include in a salad claiming that they are "wild carrots". You remember hearing that wild carrots have an appearance similar to poison hemlock. Utilizing a botany field guide you are able to identify four different plants. But which of them are wild carrots?
Fools Parsley Cicuta Maculata Conium maculatum Queen Anne's Lace
- 3) Which very useful word associated with the smell of spicy cooking comes originally from the Greek word for spice?
Fragrant Scent Aroma Exude
- 4) This is a very useful white flowered plant whose leaves are used for cattle fodder. The seeds that it produces are commonly used in Indian cooking as a spice, and also as a yellow dye. What is the interesting name of this plant?
Cochineal Valonia Genipapo Fenugreek
- 5) The tree that produces the very wonderful but expensive spice nutmeg originated on which set of islands?
Bahamas Falklands Seychelles Moluccas
- 6) For M&Ms, the candy "melts in you mouth, not in your _____"
- 7) Trix is best known as a cereal, but is also a fruit snack. The slogan is "Silly _____, Trix are for kids"
- 8) Which candy bar was named after a horse?
Snickers Crunch Baby Ruth Zero
- 9) Which candy bar's slogan was "have a break, have a _____"
- 10) Chocolate carries high levels of a chemical which may lower the risk of heart disease. True False
- 11) Can you actually "crave" chocolate? True False
- 12) The Swiss invented chocolate. True False
- 13) What Italian dish containing noodles, meat and sauce comes from the Latin word meaning "cooking pot"?
Ravioli Lasagna Stuffed Shells Calzone
- 14) Which of the following has the most calories?
a) 2 cups Ben & Jerry's Deep Dark Chocolate Ice Cream b) Double Whopper with Cheese
c) Four 2.13 oz. 3 Musketeer Bars d) ½ gallon of Coca Cola
- 15) What ingredient helps give pumpernickel bread its dark colour?
Dark corn syrup Chocolate Molasses Whole wheat flour
- 16) What is the thin bread used to wrap the Chinese dish moo shu called?
Pong Dong Ding Ping
- 17) This type of Italian style bacon is made by rubbing salt and black pepper into the "cheek" or "jowl" portion of the pig and curing it for about three weeks.
Pancetta Prosciutto Chipolata Guanciale
- 18) Residents of which country eat the most corn?
England Mexico United States Brazil
- 19) Up until the late 16th century what vegetable did the French think caused leprosy?
Squash Potato Beet Radish
- 20) What vegetable became the favorite of kids because of a cartoon?
Celery Spinach Carrots Tomatoes

And the winners were.....

Hong Zhang, Justin Grant, Jo-Ann Wipperman, Shad Makhmalbaf, Nick Madison and Janice Cukier.

7th Annual SCC Ontario Chapter Golf Tournament

We were hoping that weather gods would be smiling on us this year for the 7th annual SCC Ontario Chapter Golf Tournament held on May 31st, but Mother Nature had a different plan! Around afternoon Kleinburg blew the horn due to unsafe weather conditions, all golfers returned to the clubhouse safely and the game came to a grinding halt. Interestingly, for some, even the thunderstorm and lightening didn't dampen their spirit as they resumed the game after the weather cleared. Meanwhile the rest of the group kept the bartender busy! Afterwards, we feasted on an elaborate buffet dinner which gave everyone an opportunity to talk about all of the putts that should have dropped.

We did very well with 74 golfers registered at the Kleinburg Golf Club and look forward to surpass attendance of 100 golfers next year.

To all the golfers who attended, again thank you for your participation.

Esteemed winners of our two flights were as follows:

Flight #1

Craig Boijer
Tim Ewing
Sam Maduri
Dave Rigg

Flight #2

Peggy Soukup
Kris Surya
Steve Surya
Rob Quinlan

This tournament also held three skills competitions.

The most skillful of our group were:

Closest to the Pin

Ladies-Debbie Fergusson,
Men-Dean Gangbar

Longest Drive

Ladies-Cheryl Kunka
Men-Anthony Aquirre

Straightest Drive

Ladies-Sharon Robertson
Men-Dave Labelle

No matter how large or small the event, there is always a lot of work that goes into it and this golf tournament is no exception. A special thank-you goes to Gagan Jain, Catherine Blackhall, Gary Baker, Andrea Hopp, Wayne Fretz for their time and effort in organizing this grand event. Next year's plans are already in the works, and it's shaping up to be the best tournament on record!



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Trivia Answers (see page 7)

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| 1. A mosquito | 6.Hands | 11.True | 16.Ping |
| 2.Queen Anne's
Lace | 7.Rabbitt | 12.False | 17.Guanciale |
| 3.Aroma | 8.Snickers | 13.Lasagna | 18.Mexico |
| 4.Fenugreek | 9.KitKat | 14.Double Whopper
with Cheese | 19.Potato |
| 5.Mocuccas | 10.true | 15.Molasses | 20.Spinach |

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Membership News

General Membership
As of May 31, 2007 the Society of Cosmetic Chemists had a total membership and affiliation of 4156 (3,270 General Members, 545 National Affiliates, 255 Emeritus Members, 3 Honorary Members, 40 Retired Members, 37 Student members and 6 Junior members).
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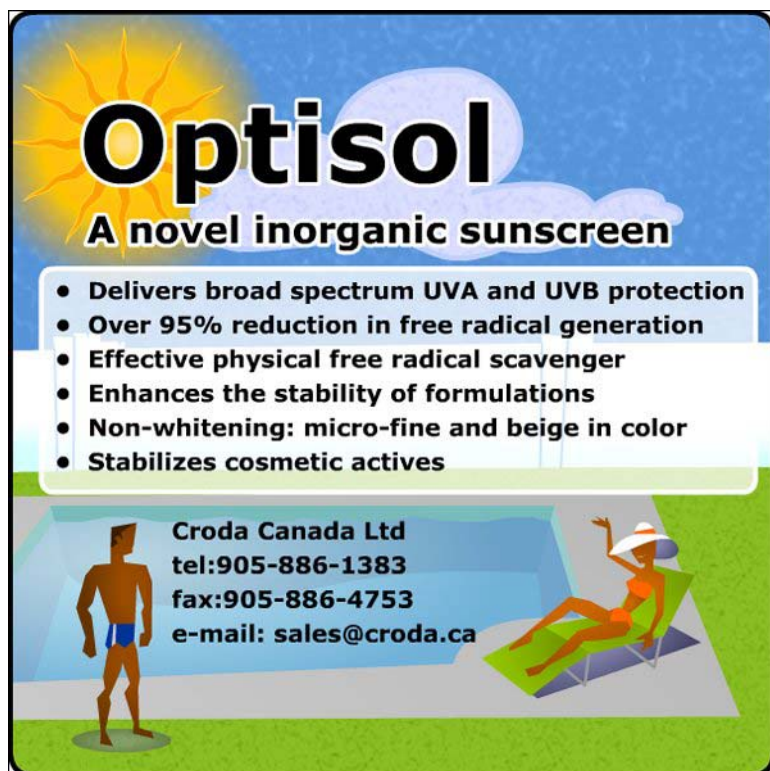
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November 8th, 2007 The Venetian, Vaughan ON	SCC Ontario Chapter Meeting- "Selection and Development of TiO ₂ and ZnO for Sun Care Products"-Yun Shao, Ph.D.Kobo Products, Inc
November 30th, 2007 The Venetian, Vaughan ON	SCC Ontario Chapter Holiday Dinner Dance
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PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUIRED FOR NOVEMBER MEETING.

If you prefer you can reserve a spot by email or fax. Send us a note that you will be there. We will confirm receipt of your reservation. You can then either bring the payment with you or put it in the mail. Please make your reservation prior to **November 5th, 2007.**

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**SCC Ontario Chapter Meeting
THURSDAY NOVEMBER 8TH, 2007**

"Selection and Development of TiO₂ and ZnO for Sun Care Products"

-Yun Shao, Ph.D. Kobo Products, Inc

"Optimization of surfactant concentration in topical microemulsion formulations"

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-Yun Shao, Ph.D. Kobo Products, Inc

Location: The Venetian Banquet & Hospitality Centre
219 Romina Drive, City of Vaughan,
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Time: 5:30 p.m. Cocktails

6:30 p.m. Dinner

7:30 p.m. Presentations

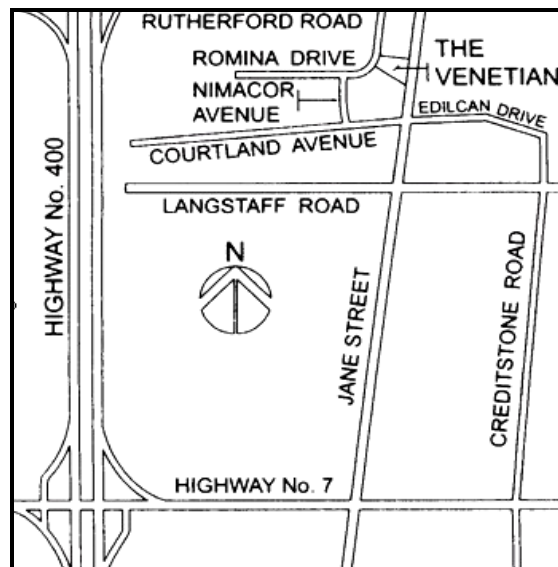
9:30 p.m. Adjournment

Fees: \$45 pre-paid SCC member

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Bio:

Dr. Yun Shao earned his B.S. in chemistry from University of Science and Technology of China and his Ph.D. in polymer chemistry from Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute. He joined Kobo Products Inc. in 1996 and currently serves as the technical director. Kobo Products, Inc. specializes in pigment surface treatment and wet grinding. Dr. Shao has co-authored several patents and technical papers on surface treatment and color development of pigments, and on grinding inorganic UV filters. He has also presented his work in scientific conferences as well as tradeshows around the world.

Abstract#1:

Inorganic UV filters like TiO₂ and ZnO have been widely used in cosmetic products to provide UV protection. In current market, there are a variety of products available with different particle sizes. They are supplied as either powder or pre-dispersion. The primary particles often aggregate to a various degree in either form, which makes it confusing to select a proper grade sometimes.

The aim of this study is to investigate the effect of particle size of TiO₂ and ZnO on their UV protection performances, and the development of a desired particle size distribution. TiO₂ and ZnO of different primary particle sizes were selected, dispersed and milled. Their particle sizes were analyzed and UV transmittance curves recorded. The actual UV protection efficacy was evaluated using in-vivo testing. The primary particle size, particle size in dispersion, particle size in sunscreen lotion and the UV protection were compared and correlated.

It was found that as the particle size gets smaller, the UV protection shifts to a shorter wavelength, i.e., more towards UVB region for both TiO₂ and ZnO. While there is an optimal size for TiO₂ for SPF, the finer is better for ZnO. The situation was found to be more complicated for UVA protection. There is an optimal particles size range for TiO₂ and ZnO, respectively.

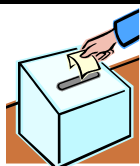
The knowledge obtained was used in liquid foundation to achieve a SPF/PFA ratio of 3 as recommended by EU commission recently. When a combination of properly selected TiO₂, the balance of UVA and UVB protection was well achieved.

Optimization of surfactant concentration in topical microemulsion formulations

Jessica S. Yuan, Alice Yip, E. J. Acosta
Department of Chemical Engineering and Applied Chemistry
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Abstract #2:

Alcohol-free lecithin microemulsions have been formulated with food-grade linker molecules and proved to be effective vehicles for topical delivery of cosmeceutical actives. In this work, the effect of surfactant concentration on the vehicle efficacy was investigated. The results have shown that there is an optimum dosage effect in linker microemulsion delivery systems, in which the minimum amount of surfactant mixtures is required.



SCC ONTARIO CHAPTER ELECTIONS!

It is election time for the 2008 SCC Ontario Chapter Executive. Chair-Elect and Secretary are the positions we need you to vote for. Please see below for bios of the candidates.

Chair – Gagan Jain
Chair-Elect – **open**
Treasurer – Gary Baker
Secretary – **open**

By now, all members should have received their election notices in the mail. As member voting is very important, please take a moment to complete your ballot. This ballot should be returned, in the provided stamped envelope, no later than October 31, 2007.

Chair-Elect:

Candidate: Andrea Hopp

Andrea Hopp is a BSc graduate of the University of Guelph. She has been working in sales in the Personal Care industry since 2001, beginning her career with Amisol Company Ltd, and currently holds a Technical Sales position with Croda Canada Ltd. Andrea has enjoyed the board position of Secretary for the SCC Ontario Chapter for the past 2 years and has been a board member since 2004.

Secretary:

Candidate: Dennis Zuccolin

Dennis Zuccolin received his Bachelor of Science in Biology from McMaster University, Hamilton, Ontario. He began his career as a Laboratory Technologist in the Biomaterials Department at the University of Toronto and later joined Medipro Sciences, a medical device development company. In 1995, Dennis was hired by Apotex Inc. and worked in their Innovative Drug Development Group. Two years later he joined MAC Cosmetics and is currently the Manager of Product Safety.

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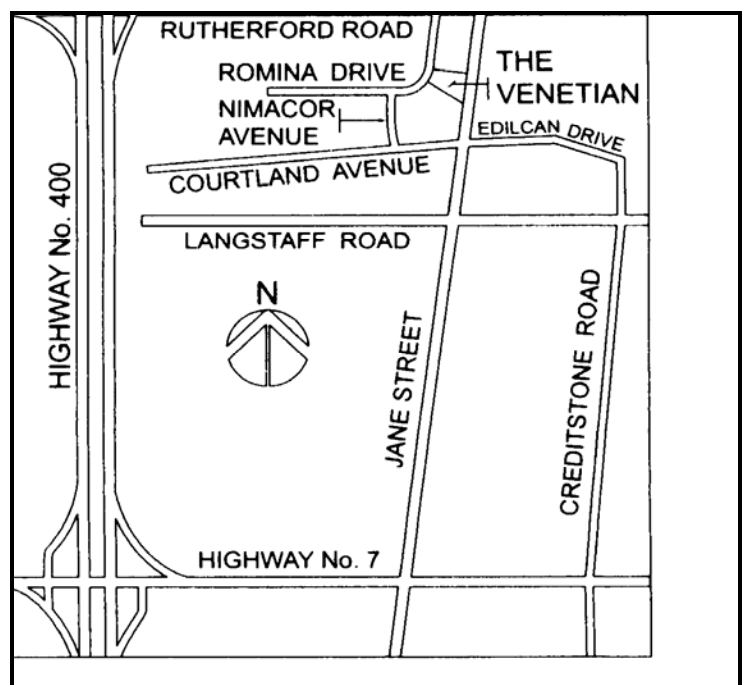
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Friday, November 30th, 2007

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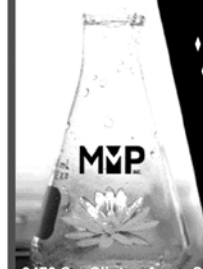
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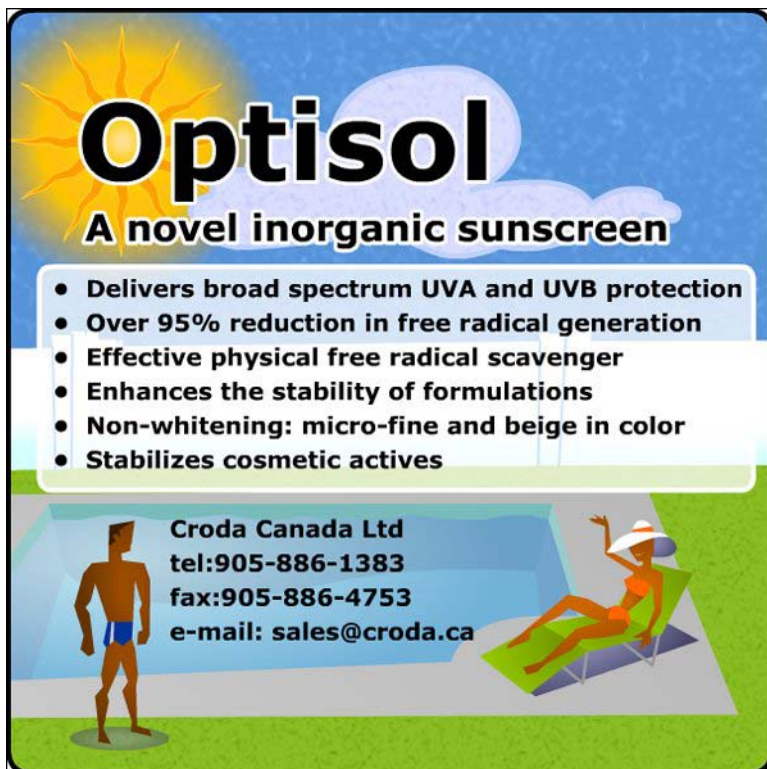
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November 8th, 2007 The Venetian, Vaughan ON	SCC Ontario Chapter Meeting– “Selection and Development of TiO ₂ and ZnO for Sun Care Products”-Yun Shao, Ph.D.Kobo Products, Inc
November 30th, 2007 The Venetian, Vaughan ON	SCC Ontario Chapter Holiday Dinner Dance
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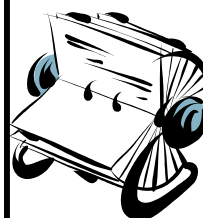


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