



## **Get ready for UTECH Europe!**

The major UTECH Europe 2012 exhibition and conference for the polyurethanes industry is fast coming over the horizon and, as in 2009, the Polyurea Development Association Europe has been allotted a half-day session in the conference to update delegates on the latest developments in this fast-growing business.

But this major event is broader than that: running 17-19 April 2012 in the Maastricht Exhibition and Congress Centre, in Maastricht, the Netherlands, it brings together all the major suppliers of raw materials, ancillary chemicals and processing equipment in an exhibition which attracts all the world's suppliers and more than three thousand visitors.

In just three days you can meet all the major companies in this business sector, including your major raw material suppliers, such as BASF AG, Bayer MaterialScience, Dow Polyurethanes and Huntsman Polyurethanes not forgetting the major Chinese raw material supplier, Yantai Wanhua Polyurethanes Co. Ltd, now a significant player in the European sector, following its recent acquisition of the BorsodChem operations in Hungary.

### **Wide-ranging conference**

In addition, the wide-ranging conference running in parallel with the exhibition is expected to attract several hundred polyurethane specialists, eager to hear about the latest technical developments in all areas of the industry including, of course, the polyureas business. These specialists will have the chance to hear the leading specialists from the world's major companies, detailing the latest research and development results from their major laboratories around the world.

The full list of exhibitors at UTECH Europe 2012 is already available, and the comprehensive programme for the conference is to be released shortly. Simply visit [www.utecheurope.eu](http://www.utecheurope.eu) for the latest state of play. You can plan your visit there too, with details of hotels and travel possibilities all presented on the website.

### **PDAE present too!**

In just three days you will have the chance to meet and discuss your future raw material requirements, update your technical understanding, and network with your colleagues in the polyureas business. UTECH Europe 2012 will see the polyurethanes world all in one place! And the PDAE will also be there, so come and meet us and discuss any issues you are facing in developing your business: and make sure you come to the PDAE conference session, running 10:00-13:00h on 19 April, to hear about the latest business possibilities and technical advances.

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