

January 2017 Newsletter

New Starters

Welcome to Erick Henneberg who will be working with Professor Bakalis and P&G. We will have another new starter in February, working on a joint project with the University of Sheffield and Rolls-Royce, supervised by Mark Simmons.

Exam Results

The Exam Board will be meeting mid-February, so we will release the marks to you shortly afterwards.

Annual Conference

Please ensure that you submit your abstract by the deadline as we need to assemble the Booklet and send it to the Printer. If you think there may be a problem with Company approval, please let us know in good time.

UK Colloids 2017

About a dozen of you have expressed interest in attending. Please let me know when you submit your abstract. The panel will be meeting in mid-April so you should know if you have been accepted for a poster or an oral presentation. Please block the dates off in your diary.

EngD/CDT Holiday

I was thinking that this year we should either visit Budapest or Bucharest. There are cheap direct flights from Birmingham with Wizz Air. The first week of May is probably the best time i.e. starting to get warm, but not too busy. Let me know by the end of January which one you would prefer.

New Student Rep

Zoe's term comes to an end in March, so we need to elect a new Rep. Can you please let me have nominations by the end of February. We will hold an election at the Annual Conference. The position is open to any student registered as an EngD or a PhD with Integrated Studies.

Monthly Reports

Please ensure that you are in communication with your academic supervisor(s) on a monthly basis and that you complete the Report form and return to Lynn Draper.