

October Newsletter

Welcome to the October Newsletter. Items for this month are:

- **Congratulations to John Askin & Richard Tamblyn**
- **Welcome to New Starters**
- **Module Withdrawal/Deferral Form**
- **Upcoming Modules**
- **Coniston**

Congratulations

First of all congratulations to John Askins and Richard Tamblyn who both passed their vivas in September! John has spent the last 4 years working with Rolls Royce researching the development of a zero/low coking surface and Richard spent 4 years with Imerys researching the formulation of added value.

Welcome to New Starters

Last month a number of students joined and a warm welcome is extended to all.

Victor Francia Garcia has joined the EngD programme working with Proctor & Gamble researching an integrated study to the stability of spray dried detergent formulations.

Tom Standring has joined the EngD programme working with Ross Ceramics (part of Rolls Royce) researching disposable ceramic cores for the manufacture of turbine blades.

Jason Dawes has joined the EngD programme working with Bristol Myers Squibb researching roller compaction of pharmaceutical excipients.

Helen Brannon has joined the EngD programme working with BASF researching the modification of polyolefin surfaces.

Jonathan Morrison has joined the EngD programme working with Rolls Royce researching minimizing corrosion in reactors.

Sam Wilkinson has joined the EngD programme working with Johnson Matthey researching formulation for extended product lifetime.

James Courtney has joined the MRes programme researching the development of characterization of novel pemfc electrocatalysts.

Martin Riley has joined the MRes programme researching injection moulding of inert ceramics.

Nicholas Kluczynski has joined the MRes programme researching product recovery strategies for minimum waste manufacture supervisors.

Matthew Blackwell has joined the MRes programme researching a solid oxide fuel cell for aircraft propulsion

Cerise Cooper has joined the MRes programme researching all natural skin cream products.

Daniel Symes has joined the MRes programme researching the production of hydrogen by the sonocatalytic process.

Mohammad Ishaq has joined the MRes programme conducting an evaluation of continuous granulation in twin screw extruders.

Module Withdrawal/Deferral Form

Please note, there is now a form which needs to be completed if you wish to withdraw or defer from a module (this applies as soon as a module for which you are registered commences) and it will need to be signed and approved by your academic supervisor, industrial supervisor and module coordinator. Forms can be obtained directly from John Hooper.

Upcoming Modules

Modules		
Dates	Module Code	Module Title
19/10/2009	04 15322	EngD4 Measurement Techniques
19/10/2009	04 15322	LM Measurement Techniques
02/11/2009	04 21317	Cell Factories
02/11/2009	04 15493	Molecular Delivery
09/11/2009	04 20755	Bioseparations
09/11/2009	04 20323	EngD8 Colloid Chemistry and Rheology
16/11/2009	04 17684	Materials for Sustainable Environmental Technologies
23/11/2009	04 19772	Modern Genome Based Science
25/11/2009	04 19771	Plant Design and Manufacturing Principles for (Bio)Pharmaceutical Production
30/11/2009	04 18003	Marketing and TQM

Coniston

All those registered for Coniston need to email Susan Spurrier and book onto the course running on 28th June 2010. Please confirm with me once you receive confirmation from Susan. Details of the information you need to provide to register can be found at the following link:

<http://www.graduateschool.bham.ac.uk/develop/train/Coniston.shtml>