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Applied Biobased-materials Conference 2018

“Biobased Materials for Innovations in Fibre Applications”

Friday April 20th

Brightlands Chemelot Campus, Urmonderbaan 22, 6167 RD, Geleen (NL)

Dear invitees,

The **Aachen-Maastricht Institute for Biobased Materials (AMIBM)** is delighted to invite you to its third international conference on Biobased Materials. This year's focus is on Biobased Materials for Innovations in Fibre Applications.

In 6 consecutive sessions a series of international key-note speakers will guide you along the value-chain, giving you the opportunity to discuss latest research developments and future perspectives of applying biobased materials. During the breaks you will be able to browse poster presentations. Brightlands Chemelot Campus offers an inspiring and hospitable environment for the ABC 2018.

Registration is open now. Please register before **April 2nd** via www.maastrichtuniversity.nl/abc2018.

The conference fee amounts to €89 and can be transferred to ING Bank NL05INGB0657618705, reference: “35930005N ABC2018”.

After receiving your registration and payment you will receive a personal confirmation.

We look forward to see you in Geleen at the ABC 2018!

Prof. Dr. Stefan Jockenhövel (Scientific Director AMIBM),
Dr. Richard Ramakers (Managing Director AMIBM)

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ABC 2018 SPEAKERS:

08:30 Welcome

Key note speech

Prof. Pasi Kallio (Tampere University of Technology, Fibrenet)

Session 1: From nature to the lab – using natural resources for technological applications (Chair : Prof. R. Fischer)

Prof. Udo Conrad (Leibnitz IPK Gatersleben)

Dr. Luisa Bortesi (AMIBM)

Session 2: New Biobased Building Blocks (Chair: Prof. S. de Wildeman)

Martin Schürmann (InnoSyn)

Marie Delgove (AMIBM)

Session 3: High performance Biobased Materials (Chair: Prof. S. Rastogi)

Guy Buyle (Centexbel)

Dr. Jules Harings (AMIBM)

Lunch

Session 4: Sustainability of Biobased Materials

(Chair: Ass. Prof. Y. vd Meer)

Prof. Claude Villeneuve (Université du Québec à Chicoutimi)

Dr. Achille Laurent (AMIBM)

Session 5: Biobased Materials in home textiles (Chair: Prof. G. Seide)

Prof. Thomas Gries (Institute for Textile technology, RWTH Aachen)

Margareta Merke (AMIBM)

Session 6: Biobased Materials for Medical use (Chair: Prof. S. Jockenhövel)

Prof. Lorenzo Moroni (MERLN , Maastricht University)

Anne Coenen (AMIBM)

16:00 Closing statements , Poster Award ceremony, Social Gathering

17:00 Farewell