



POLYMER TECHNOLOGY CENTER

**PTIC Consortium
Texas A&M University
Meeting Agenda
April 19th-20th, 2012**

Room 301 Engineering/Physics Building

Thursday, April 19, 2012		
6:00–8:30	<i>Buffet dinner at TAMU, Engineering/Physics Building Room 301, poster session, Lab Tours, interaction between the Polymer Industry and TAMU/PTC Faculty and TAMU Polymer Students. We hope you take advantage of this awesome opportunity.</i>	
Friday, April 20, 2012		
8:30–9:00	Refreshments & Snacks	
9:00–9:10	Opening Remarks	Introduction and Overview
9:10–9:40	Xing Cheng, ELEN	<i>"Nanoimprint Patterning for Organic Electronics"</i>
9:40–10:10	Mohammad Naraghi, AERO	<i>"Carbonization of Polymer nanofibers - a path to the future"</i>
10:10–10:40	Terry Creasy, MEEN	<i>"Nastic materials for advanced composite structures"</i>
10:40–10:50	Short Break	
10:50–11:20	Cris Schwartz, MEEN	<i>"Investigating the haptics of textured surfaces through friction coefficient"</i>
11:20–11:50	Mustafa Akbulut, CHEN	<i>"Next-Generation, Bio-Inspired, Precisely-Nanostructured Nanocomposites"</i>
11:50–12:45	lunch, Poster Session, & Tours	
12:45–1:15	SPE Student Chapter	<i>SPE Activities Updates & Graduate Student Presentation</i>
1:15–1:45	H.-J. Sue, MEEN	<i>"Polypropylene/MWCNT Nanocomposites"</i>
1:45–2:15	PTIC Business	Education Matter, Industrial Needs, Short Courses, New Consortium, etc.
2:15	Adjourn	