Save the Date

Atlas Material Testing Technology and DyStar, together with ASTM International, will conduct a one-day conference.

Venue: Textiles Committee, P. Balu Road, Prabhadevi Chowk, Prabhadevi, Mumbai
Date: Friday, 21 January 2011

The Conference topics are

Textiles—Light and Weatherfastness

These are topics that have never before been the primary themes of a conference in India and have been chosen because the need for technical and high performance textiles is growing exponentially.
The events will provide a significant opportunity to learn about various aspects of these cutting edge issues as well as enable a unique information exchange. This conference will be the platform for knowledge and information exchange and not a product promotional event.

**Speakers & Topics***:

- **Dr. Andreas Giehl – DyStar Germany**: Light & Wet Light Fastness (1) / Light fastness for Automotive Textiles (2)
- **Dr. Artur Schoenlein - Atlas MTT GmbH Germany**: Performance Based Standards; Challenges and Opportunities
- Adrian Meili – TESTEX AG Switzerland
  Round Robin Tests – 10 years experience with Colour fastness to Light
- **Professor Josep Valdeperas – INTEXTER Spain**
  Concept and evolution of Light / Weather fastness testing procedures
- **Dr. Wolfgang Schiller – President of German Fastness Committee DEK Germany**
  Colour fastness to Light: Rotating rack or flatbed apparatus; DEK round robin test
- **Dr. Peter J Hauser - North Carolina State University USA**
  Cationic Cotton Dyeing and its effects in Light Fastness
- **Dr. Martin J. Bide – University of Rhode Island USA**
  Light fastness standards, testing and correlation
- **Dr. Oliver Rahaeuser – Atlas MTT GmbH Germany**
  Reliable Light Fastness Testing; Instrument Validation and Implementation of Test Results
- **Rahul Bhajekar – Texanlab Laboratories India**
  Case Studies and experiences in Laboratory testing

*Working titles; Topics subjected to change*

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