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## PROGRAM AGENDA

09:00-09:30	Registration
09:30-09:45	Welcome Remarks & Program Introduction
09:45-10:15	<b>Processing of EPDM and its Blends</b>   Dr. P Thavamani, Managing Director, UMAC Automotive Components Pvt. Ltd.
10:15-10:45	<b>EPDM Rubber: Recent Global Research Perspectives</b> Prof. Kinsuk Naskar, Chairperson, Rubber Technology Centre, IIT Kharagpur
10:45-11:15	<b>Application of EPDM Rubber</b>   Dr. P Thavamani, Managing Director, UMAC Automotive Components Pvt. Ltd.
11:15-11:45	<b>Coffee/Tea Networking Break</b>
11:45-12:15	<b>Modified EPDM use as Alternative Material for 6PPD in NR and SBR Formulations</b>   Dr. Mohammed Saleem, Senior Scientific Officer, Indian Rubber Materials Research Institute (IRMRI)
12:15-12:45	<b>Developing Sustainable Materials Roadmap for EPDM</b>   Dow
12:45-13:15	<b>Bio-based EPDM: Green Cross-linking Strategy</b>   Barkat Aziz, Research Scholar, Rubber Technology Centre, IIT Kharagpur
13:15-14:00	Lunch Break
14:00-14:30	<b>Vulcanization of EPDM Rubber: Pros and Cons of Various Vulcanizing Agents</b>   Prof. Kinsuk Naskar, Chairperson, Rubber Technology Centre, IIT Kharagpur
14:30-15:00	<b>Curing EPDM with PEROXIDES - a Decade of Learnings</b> Karthik Raghupathy, Managing Director, Shree Polymer Products
15:00-15:30	<b>Sustainability Drive in OEMs and the Initiation in EPDM based Compounds</b>   Binu Thankappan

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15:30-16:00	<b>Coffee/Tea Networking Break</b>
16:00-16:30	<b>EPDM Reclaim: An Innovative Sustainable Solution for Automotive Industry</b>   <i>Kalyan Das, Head - Sales &amp; Business Development, GRP Ltd.</i>
16:30-17:00	<b>Fire Resistant EPDM Rubber: Compounding, Testing and Applications</b>   <i>Dr. P Thavamani, Managing Director, UMAC Automotive Components</i>
17:00-17:30	<b>Engineering and Mechanical Properties of PA80/EPDM Blends</b> <i>Dr. Siby Varghese, Joint Director (Retd.), RRII, Rubber Board India</i>
17:30-18:00	<b>EPDM Round Table</b>   Open Discussion - EPDM Process Troubleshooting

## INVITED SPEAKERS



**Dr. P. Thavamani**



**Binu Thankappan**



**Prof. Kinsuk Naskar**



**Karthik Raghupathy**



**Kalyan Das**



**Dr. Mohammed Saleem**



**Barkat Aziz**



**Dr. Siby Varghese**

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Indian Delegates: Rs. 15,000

Overseas Delegates: US\$ 300

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