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ROOM A: Tuesday 11 November

10.00 The Future of Formulation Testing: Strengthening Claims with Novel Approaches
Tom Archer, Lucideon

10.20 Skin Perfector Anti-Dark Spot and Sensory Innovation at Greentech
Shin-yi Huang, Greentech

10.40 Cryo-Rejuvenation: A Holistic Approach to Glass-Skin
Rachael Davison-White, Barentz UK

11.30 Ubiquitination: The Key to Universal Beauty?
Valérie Daniel, Hallstar Beauty

11.50 Soothe the Senses: Using the link between the skin and brain to care for our mental health
Kat Davies & Lissie Dufton, IMCD UK

12.10 PhytaPure PRO™ Silver Cluster Leaf: Clinically Proven Impact on Skin. Proven Impact at Origin
Lyndsey Effsie, Blue Sky Botanics

14.00 Mindera - The Future of Product Protection
Edward Rolls, Symrise UK

14.20 The Brain–Skin Axis: A New Era of Neurocosmetics for Skin Resilience & Longevity
Raphaëlle Tron, Active Concepts

14.40 Next-Gen Natural Actives: Innovating Beauty for Global Trends
Dr Dario Zanichelli, Phenbiox

15.30 From Menopausal Care to Skin Harmony: The Rise of Endophyte-Based Actives
Yasmine Haddad, PROVITAL

15.50 Insights and Research on the Skin Microbiome: The Importance of Scientifically Backed Solutions
Dr Oliver Worsley, Sequential, The Skin Microbiome Testing Co

16.10 The Impact of Exposome on Hair
Ariadna Tejedor Álvarez, Zurko Research

ROOM B: Tuesday 11 November

09.30 INDUSTRY LEADER SESSION
Opening Plenary: The Power of Representation – Rewriting Beauty Through Culture, Innovation and Connection
Ateh Jewel, Industry Leader

10.00 Long Chain Amphoterics: Safe, Effective Additives for Cleansing Formulations
Dennis Abbeduto, Colonial Chemical

10.20 Roots to Radiance: The Future of Hair Care
Kumpal Mehta, Tri-K Industries

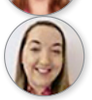
10.40 Lipex® SheaLuxe TR: Multi-Award Winning, Natural Alternative to Dimethicone for Skin and Hair
Åsa Berry, AAK

11.30 Surprising Sensations – Our Texture Highlights with a Twist
Roman Ott, RAHN

11.50 Choosing a Testing CRO: Advice to Help Make Sure you Obtain Robust and Ethically Sound Results
Stewart Long, Cutest

12.10 The 12 Hallmarks of Skin Longevity: Where Science Meets Beauty
Monia Benvegnu, BASF

14.00 Beauty Insights: Focus on Fragility
Caroline Sharp, Baptiste Simonot & Marine Josse, Cornelius Group & SILAB


14.20 Beyond Glow: Unlock Healthier Skin with a Natural Antioxidant Skin Defense!
Anna Farthing, Lubrizol

14.40 KeraBio™ K31: Biotech Powered Biomimetic Bond Builder, Delivering a Vegan Keratin Recharge at the Molecular Level to Elevate Hair Strength Beyond Repair
Mike Hindley, Croda Europe

15.30 Skinification of Hair Care: Global Solution to Fight Climate Changes
Mélanie Serre, Laboratoires Expanscience

15.50 Biohacking: Charge Your Skin and Hair With Energy
Chiara Degl'Innocenti, RAHN

16.10 Fasting-mimicking Biotechnology: A novel strategy to activate cellular longevity pathways for advanced skincare
Raquel Ferreira, Vytrus Biotech

ROOM C: Tuesday 11 November

10.00 A Practical Guide to Formulating with Sustainable Marine Derived Thickeners and Stabilisers
Trevor Barker, Rettenmaier UK

10.20 Introducing Collapeptyl™: New Texturactive Solution to Boost 20 Skin Collagens and Activate the K-Glow
Sabine Pain, Ashland Industries Europe

10.40 Going Viral: A Taster from Our Trends Report
William Cook, Adina Cosmetic Ingredients

11.30 Understanding the Vitamin E Family - More Than Just One Molecule
Ana Domingo, BTSA

11.50 Transformative Cosmetics: Creating Dynamic Textures, Visual Shifts & Instant Efficacy
Lauren Simson, Aston Chemicals

12.10 Looking Ahead: The Future of Timeless Skin
Mariam Tariq & Dana Cowley, Surfachem

14.00 Introducing Oceamides – The First Natural Water-Dispersible Ceramide From a Marine Source
David Ruiz Parra, MC Beauty Science

14.20 Strategies for Formulating High Naturality Rinse-Off Products – How to Maximise the Percentage and Minimise the Cost
Amelie Nasso, Innospec

14.40 Freedom to Formulate Better Sun Care
Julie Vernhes, Inolex

15.30 Glow Ahead - Emerging Trends in Beauty Care
Helen Hill, Azelis UK

15.50 Green Ferment – Peptide Complexes for Sensitive Skin and to Combat the Signs Associated with Hormonal Variations
Elena Passerini, Innovactive Ingredients

16.10 Mineral Skin Protection and Treatment Against Photo Aging
Ignacio Lopez, ADP Cosmetics

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ROOM A: Wednesday 12 November

09.30 Glittering Concerns: The EU's Bold Move Against Microplastic
Stephen Cotton, Sigmund Lindner

09.50 Immerge into the Ultimate Vegan Keratin Experience
Fanny Vocanson, LipoTrue

10.10 Challenges of Formulating With Sun Filters and a Novel Way to Overcome Them
Sarah Alayan, Ascot International (1996)

11.00 Discover CosVivet ActiPureGran: The Innovative Granule for Sustainable Solid Cosmetics
Michael Anderton, Brenntag UK & Ireland

11.20 Targeting Two Barriers, One Solution: ROSECOCKTAIL™ - Endocuticle Edge Filler & Skin Barrier Repair
Gülnur Poslu, Univar Solutions

11.40 Want the Latest Trends in Colour, Skin, Sun or Haircare? Grant Industries Has Your Back!
Dean Feeberry, Grant Industries

13.30 Protecting & Nourishing the Biome
Brian Fitzpatrick, Oriel Marine Extracts

13.50 Can One Bio-based Ingredient Be a Formulator's Troubleshooting Toolbox?
Ellen Copsey & Kulvinder Kaur, Valida & Sappi Biotech

14.10 Improving the Long Wear of Colour Cosmetics using Naturally Derived Film-Formers
Urmi Dhamnasker, KOBO Products

ROOM B: Wednesday 12 November

09.30 Investigating the Skin Microbiome Using an in Vitro 3D Human Skin Equivalent
Nicola Kingswell, Labskin

09.50 Inside the Core of Innovation: Our People, Our Lab, Your Advantage
Athina Nikolaou, Materials Innovation Factory at University of Liverpool

10.10 A Palm-free, 100% Natural Origin Polymer Pigment Dispersant Delivering High Dispersion Performance and Synergistic Flow Enhancement
David Shih, Patech Chemicals

11.00 Active Ingredients for Active Scalps: Targeting Skin & Scalp Conditions
Sam Wood, HARKE UK & Ireland

11.20 Biobased Elastomer Gel, Bringing New Performance Possibilities to Natural Products
Olga Borisova, Momentive

11.40 Skin Longevity Trend: A New Approach Moving Beyond The Concept of Anti-Aging to Focus on Preserving Skin's Resilience and Functioning at a Cellular Level
Francesca Bernasconi, Sinerga

13.30 Skincare's Must-Have Ingredient: Lab-Grown Powerhouse Active bitop Ectoin® Natural
René Schmitz, bitop AG

13.50 Science-Powered Beauty: The Skintellectual Era
Emer Mackle, Lake Personal Care

14.10 Next-Gen Skincare: Where Cosmetic Science Meets Aesthetic Results
Andre Reis, Chemyunion

15.00 INDUSTRY LEADER SESSION
Closing Plenary: **Liz Earle,** Industry Leader

ROOM C: Wednesday 12 November

09.30 Cosmetic Compliance Under the Microscope: Red Flags & Recalls
Tracey Fanning, Exponent International

09.50 Journey Through Beauty Passports: Formulations and Textures of Europe
Jana Schmitz, BTC Europe

10.10 Sustainably Delivering Luxurious Aesthetics & Sensorial Profiles to Personal Care Formulations
Dr Diane Morris, Verdant Specialty Solutions Halifax

11.00 Transforming Cosmetics: A Journey to Talc-Free Innovation
Claire Summers, Azelis UK

11.20 "You Never Get a Second Chance to Make a First Impression" CutiGuard CLR™
Dr Jule Lexa Völzke, CLR

11.40 Rapid Microbiological Methods – The Future of Cosmetic Microbiology
Liam Stephens, Melbec Microbiology

13.30 Specialist Active Technologies: Exploring Innovative Mechanisms of Action and Testing Methodologies
Felix Graydon, Carst & Walker

13.50 Empowering Skin to Resist Time: Sytheon's, Now Hallstar, Innovative Approach to Skin Longevity
Olivier Garnier, Hallstar Beauty

14.10 New Generation of Natural Polymer Associations Designed Through AI
Frederick Soulageon, Cargill Beauty

SENSORY
WORKSHOPS

DAY ONE: Tuesday 11 November

10.00 Chromavive Elixir Biphasic Microemulsion with SPF50
Michael Anderton, Brenntag UK & Ireland

10.30 From Hyaluronic Entanglement to Molecular Elegance: How Activated Silk™ Hydrogels Can Propel Formulas Forward.
Raquel Mirabent, Evolved by Nature

11.30 Magic Mac – Unleash the Power of Macadamia Oil
Christine Cheverry, Olvea

12.00 Foam Extravaganza: Rediscover Iselux
Sarah Glynn & Amelie Nasso, Innospec

12.30 The Active Beauty Expedition - A sensorial journey into natural treasures for tomorrow's skincare rituals
Raphaëlle Tron & Jessica Choi, Active Concepts

14.30 Enhance the Experience, Feel the Difference – New Texture Collection for Skin Care
Jason Dearden-Watts, Joanne Roberts & Steffen Tekstra, Surfachem & Evonik

15.00 High Efficacy Gelling Agents
Cristina Maggion, Phoenix Chemicals

16.00 The Science of Visual Emotion From Concept to Prototype: A Sensorial Formulation Showcase
Loredana Dattilo, Amita Healthcare UK

DAY TWO: Wednesday 12 November

9.30 Texture & Sensory Compass: A Sensory Journey Through the World of Textures
Dr Lorena Bechthold, Berg + Schmidt Care Ingredients

10.00 Let Us Spraymulse: Novel SPF Solutions
Aisha Nuhu, Alchemy Ingredients

11.00 Delivering Science in Beauty: Designing Unique Textures with Diverse Materials
Jean-François Malaval, DKSH

11.30 Transform Your Formulations with Vita Hydrocolloids: Texture, Feel & 360° Applications
Maria Matesanz, Quimivita

13.30 Superior Sensorial Suncare to Protect and Hydrate Your Skin Naturally
Martin Fallows, Ashland Industries Europe

14.00 Natural Perfumery: 20 Years from Constrained to Unchained
Dominik Ewald, Adina Cosmetic Ingredients

MIXING DEMONSTRATIONS

Happening right in the heart of the exhibition, on the exhibitors stands, these demonstrations offer solutions to any mixing and formulation challenges you may encounter.

DAY ONE: Tuesday 11 November

10.00 A collaborative mixing demonstration showcasing NATURSOL EMI Rev — a cold-process, high-performance alternative to CTAC that effortlessly forms a light, elegant emulsion for effective hair restoration.
Stand 305, IKA

11.30 Lab Scale Mixing of a Moisturising Body Wash
Stand 934, Ytron-Quadro

14.00 A Collaborative Demonstration on Producing an all Natural, Sulphate-Free Shampoo
Stand 904, Silverson

DAY TWO: Wednesday 12 November

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Stand 305, IKA

11.30 How Emulsions and Gels Can be Formulated to Obtain a Wide Range of Functional Properties
Stand 904, Silverson

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DAY TWO: Wednesday 12 November

9:30 BCA Session
British Chemicals Association

9:50 SugaBoost – Award-Winning APG Derivative Technologies
Dennis Abbeduto, *Colonial Chemical*

10:10 1,4-Dioxane Free: AOS as an Alternative to SLES
Maurizio Peroni, *Innospec*

11:00 From Skin to Surface; the Power of Multi-Applicational Ingredients
Chloe Hughes, *IMCD UK*

11:20 Crossing the Aisle From Cosmetics and Diverging into Homecare
Harrison Gellini, *Surfachem;*
Ashley Quigley, *Surfachem*

11:40 Bringing Multifunctionality and Versatility to the Detergents Industry
Bethany Hales, *Verdant Specialty Solutions*

13:30 Mintel's 2026 Household Care Predictions
Amanda Caridad, *Mintel*

13:50 Trend-Led Performance in the HI&I Sector
Ella Ceraulo, *Cornelius Group*

14:10 Breaking Down Barriers: Biodegradable Polymer Powering the Future of Homecare Formulations
Kulvinder Kaur, *Sappi Biotech*

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ROOM ONE: Tuesday 11 November

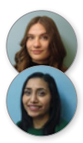
10.00 Key Updates to the Cosmetics Regulatory Framework
Emma Meredith, CTPA

10.30 Coils and Clarity: What You Didn't Learn About Afro Hair
Natasha Briscoe, Arise & Shine Cosmetics

11.30 Fragrance Trends 2025: The Art and Emotion Behind the Scents Shaping Tomorrow's Formulations
Ilias Kakis, Ilya Parfums

12.00 Decoding Microbiome Claims in Cosmetics: A Scientific Perspective
Dr Kristin Neumann, My Microbiome AG

12.30 The Vital Role of the Chemical Supply Chain and the Challenges and Opportunities it Faces
Karen Harvey, Chemical Business Association (CBA)



14.30 How to Create a Successful Cosmetic Brand?
Sandra Skuda-Colvin & Shelia Waterfall, Jarvis Cosmetic Developments

15.00 Adaptive Experimental Design for Sustainable Cosmetic Formulations
Tom Whitehead, Intellegens

16.00 Panel Debate – Forward to the Future
Chair - Daniel Whitby, Chief Scientist, Smink Limited - Current SCS President; **Jessica DeBruyne,** S'ABLE Labs; **Dr Ateh Jewel**; **Lisa Payne,** Stylus

ROOM TWO: Tuesday 11 November

10.00 From Manual to Machine: The Evolution of Mixing Techniques
Elizabeth Guest, on behalf of the CPI

10.30 New Horizons for Skinification
Julia Wray, Beauty Industry Expert

11.30 Quantifying the Environmental Impact of Cosmetic Ingredients through Novel Algorithmic Life Cycle Assessments
Evan Peters, Fairglow

12.00 Education Pavilion
Dr Gill Westgate, Cosmetics Cluster;
Bernice Ridley, Society of Cosmetic Scientists

12.30 Packaging Compliance 2.0: The Shift Towards Circular Beauty
Amanda Isom, Bloom Regulatory

14.30 Navigating the Green Preservation Maze: Tools and Strategies for Modern Cosmetic Formulation
Barbara Olioso, The Green Chemist

15.00 Future Beauty Cohorts 2026 – 28
Lisa Payne, Stylus

16.00 Extended Allergen Declaration - An EU Regulation with Global Impact
Kamal Kaur, The Cosmetic Regulator

16.30 Cosmetic Claims and the Use of AI to Generate and Translate Articles - Opportunities and Threats on a Regulatory Perspective
Dr Sandrine Henry de Hassonville, Cambridge Pharma Services

ROOM ONE: Wednesday 12 November

9.30 Panel Debate – AI in Cosmetics: Your Next Promotion Depends on Being a Winner in the AI Skills Battle
Dr Barbara Brockway, Barbara Brockway Consulting;
Mauricio Cafiero, University of Reading;
Heidi Bannister, Arthur Edward Recruitment;
Danny Mirza, CES London

11.00 Propolis Gangnam Style: The Influence of K-Beauty
Dr Sara Robb, Bath Potions

11.30 Blurred Lines: Navigating Borderline Regulations in the World of Cosmetics
Bethany Dean, Taylored Consultancy

13.30 Managing "Ozempic Face" with Skin Care
Fanny Coste, Cosmevia

14.00 Is AI the Key to Opening Beauty's Back Door?
Neo Chatyoka, Uhuru Botanicals

ROOM TWO: Wednesday 12 November

9.30 2026 Beauty Trends Unveiled
Andrew McDougall, Mintel

10.00 Exporting Excellence: Confronting the Complexities of International Trade
Alastair Gardner, Department Business & Trade

11.00 A Flood of Global Challenges - How EFfCI Supports the Cosmetic Industry to Weather the Storm
Andrea Maltagliati, EFfCI - European Federation for Cosmetic Ingredients

11.30 Not just a Pretty Face. Beauty Trends in an Uncertain World.
Jill Weir, White Label Thinking

13.30 Compliance with Purpose: Safeguarding People, Planet & Your Brand
Christina French, Essench Cosmetics

14.00 Transparency in Product Claims: Communicating Effectively with Consumers
Carmen Martinez Lerga, Olalla Consulting