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EPF Summer Schools

The titles of last EPF Summer Schools were:

- 2013: *Polymers & Energy: Polymers for Future Energy Challenges*
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Organization



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10TH EPF Summer School

POLYMERS AND CIRCULAR ECONOMY

May 17-19, 2021
Digital Event



<https://www.aim.it/epfschool2021>

Scope & Objectives

The 2021 EPF Summer School will be devoted to the hottest topic concerning synthetic polymers: improving their capability to fit within the needs of circular technologies for more sustainable economic and social models.

The school will be somewhat shorter than usual, due to the boundaries of on-line events with respect to residential ones. However, the program has been designed to cover many decisive issues: market situation and recycling targets within the EU, different technological options and scientific routes to re-use plastic wastes, comparison of fossil and bio-based feedstocks, evaluation of life cycle assessment.

Invited Speakers (to be updated)

- ♦ A. Alburnia, Borealis, Austria
- ♦ M. Levi, Politecnico di Milano, Italy
- ♦ C. Jehanno, POLYMAT University of the Basque Country UPV/EHU, Spain
- ♦ V. Decottignies, SUEZ, France
- ♦ A.J. Ryan, University of Sheffield, UK
- ♦ S. Duquesne, University of Lille, France
- ♦ A. Dove, University of Birmingham, UK
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- ♦ F. Picchioni, University of Groningen, NL
- ♦ G. Riva, Federchimica Plastics Europe, Italy
- ♦ M. Shaver, University of Manchester, UK
- ♦ E. Malmstrom Jonsson, KTH Royal Institute of Technology, Sweden
- ♦ E. Burgin, LyondellBasell, Italy

The program includes 14 courses by top-level international experts as well as a poster session for participants willing to present their research work. English is the official language of the EPF summer schools.

How will the School be held

The school will be held on 17-19 May 2021 in digital form by:

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Registration

Registration fee	Before 17 April, 2021	After 17 April, 2021
Full delegate*	€ 150	€ 160
Full delegate AIM Member	€ 130	€ 140
Student**	€ 120	€ 130
Student AIM Member	€ 100	€ 110

*including compulsory AIM-membership fee for 2021 (a separate receipt will be issued).

#Proof of studentship must be provided. A post-doc is not a student.

To register, please follow the instructions at www.AIM.it/epfschool2021/registration not later than 17 April, 2021. The deadline for payment of the early registration fee is 17 April, 2021.

Presenters of poster contributions must pay their registration fee by 17 April, 2021.

Cancellation Policy

A 50% reimbursement of the prepaid registration fee will be made available at the end of the school for cancellations received in writing by 1 May, 2021. No refunds will be possible after that date.