

Greener Materials Research Symposium Agenda

Time	Topic	Speaker
8:30	<i>Breakfast and Networking</i>	
9:00	Welcome	Julie Chen, Vice Chancellor of Research and Innovation, UMass Lowell
9:10	Introduction to TURI's Academic Research Program	Pam Eliason, TURI
9:20	Keynote address Using proactive chemicals management to promote competitive advantage	Freimut Schröder, Siemens Healthineers
9:50	Safer Surfactants: Developing and assessing alternatives for medical devices	Kevin Johnson, Siemens Healthineers Peter Gaines, Associate Professor, Biological Sciences, UMass Lowell
10:15	Safer Sanitization: Video Evaluating the ability of cleaners to provide sufficient sanitization to eliminate the use of toxic disinfectants in non-critical applications	Mike Glass, MD Stetson Nancy Goodyear, Associate Professor, Biomedical and Nutritional Sciences, UMass Lowell
10:25	<i>Break</i>	
10:45	Collaborations: How partnering with UMass researchers adds value for companies seeking safer processes/products	Teri Hamelin, Director, UMass Lowell Core Research Facilities
11:00	Safer Solvents Panel: Moving towards safer formulations for multiple applications	
	Video: Finding Solutions to Eliminate Toxic Solvents	Greg Morose, TURI
	Safer contact adhesives: Research with ITW Polymers Sealants, Rockland, MA	Chris Hansen, Assistant Professor, Mechanical Engineering, UMass Lowell
	Safer windshield washer formulations: Research with Camco Manufacturing, Leominster, MA	Shane Taylor, Chemical Engineering doctoral candidate, UMass Amherst
	Panel Q&A	
12:00	<i>Lunch & Posters</i>	
12:45	Keynote address Defining success in green chemistry innovation	John Warner, Warner Babcock Institute
1:30	<i>Special dessert</i>	
1:40	Proposed Research Panel: Discussion with potential industry partners	Waters Corporation Mexichem Specialty Compounds Bradford Industries
2:00	Poster Session and Networking	
2:30	Adjourn	