

COATING TECHNOLOGY 2026

PROGRAMME MODULE 2

Binder Chemistry & Film Formation

Location:

Nieuwe Buitensociëteit Meeting Center

Stationsplein 1 – 8011 CW Zwolle

2026	HOUR	LECTURER	SUBJECT
Wednesday 18 March	09:30 – 10:00	Dr. Laurent Nelissen (PTN-PTG/e) Dr. Cristina Lavilla Aguilar (Covestro) Dr. Douglas Hayden (Covestro)	Opening & General Introduction
	10:00 - 12:00	Dr. Douglas Hayden (Covestro)	Polyester Chemistry
	12:00 – 13:00	Lunch	
	13:00 – 15:00	Dr. Bart Reuvers (Covestro)	Rheology of Liquid Paints I
	15:00 – 16:30	Dr. Cristina Lavilla Aguilar (Covestro)	Sustainable Resins
	16:30 – 18:00	Happy Hour	Bar of Hotel Wientjes
Thursday 19 March WIENJENS	09:00 – 12:00	Mr. Michael Grahl (Covestro)	2K Polyurethane Technology
	12:00 – 13:00	Lunch	
	13:00 – 17:00	Prof.dr. Rolf van Benthem (TU/e - Shell)	Branched Polymer Architectures
Friday 20 March	09:00 – 11:30	Drs. Jochum Beetsma (Meritus Groep)	Physical Chemistry of Coatings
	11:30 – 12:30	Lunch	
	12:30 – 16:30	Dr. Miroslava Duskova - Smrckova (Inst. Macromol. Chem – Prague – CZ)	Polymer Network Formation

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Monday 23 March	09.30 – 11.30	Dr. Christina Cron (Evonik)	Epoxy Chemistry
	11:30 – 12:30	Dr. Bart Reuvers (Covestro)	Rheology of Liquid Paints IIA
	12.30 – 13:30	Lunch	
	13.30 – 14:30	Dr. Bart Reuvers (Covestro)	Rheology of Liquid Paints IIB
	15:00 – 17:00	Covestro Coating Resins	Lab Tour
Tuesday 24 March	09:00 – 11:30	Dr. Hans Groen (Covestro)	UV Curable Coatings
	11:30 – 12:30	Lunch	
	12:30 – 14:30	Drs. Jochum Beetsma (Meritus Groep)	Film Defects
	14:30 – 15:00	Dr. Cristina Lavilla Aguilar (Covestro) Dr. Douglas Hayden (Covestro)	Evaluation / Closure

Details of the programme are subject to change.
All lectures will be given in English.

Open book examination: Friday 10 April 2026 13:00 – 16:00 hrs Jaarbeurs - Utrecht
Open book re-examination: Friday 01 May 2026 13:00 – 16:00 hrs Jaarbeurs - Utrecht