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BRAZIL – INSTITUTE OF PACKAGING VISITS AUSTRALIA



New Year's Day 2012 a group of AIP members enjoyed the company of Assunta Camilo, Director of the Brazilian Institute of Packaging, at the home of past president Llew Stephens and his wife, Sharon.

Assunta shared with us many comparisons between the two Institutes. In particular our focus on education and relationships with the packaging industry. The Brazilian Institute is based outside San Paulo, which is the second largest city in the world with a population of over 20 million.

The Brazilian packaging industry has over 7,000 technical members or those in need of technical assistance. To address this need the BIOP has developed 31 training courses, organised over 41 events and co-written a series of technical books to reach more than 4,000 professionals in the packaging chain. It is worthy of note that this has all been achieved since 2005.

A recent innovation has been 'Club Packaging'. This is a portal that allows packaging professionals to communicate, inform and advise each other. While operating over 1 year, there are now over 3,000 members of this club.


The web site for BIOP or 'Instituto De Embalagens' is well worth a visit: www.institutodeembalagens.com.br or visit www.clubedaembalagem.com.br

Ralph Moyle MAIP, Vice President

NEW MEMBERS

The AIP would like to welcome the following new Members...

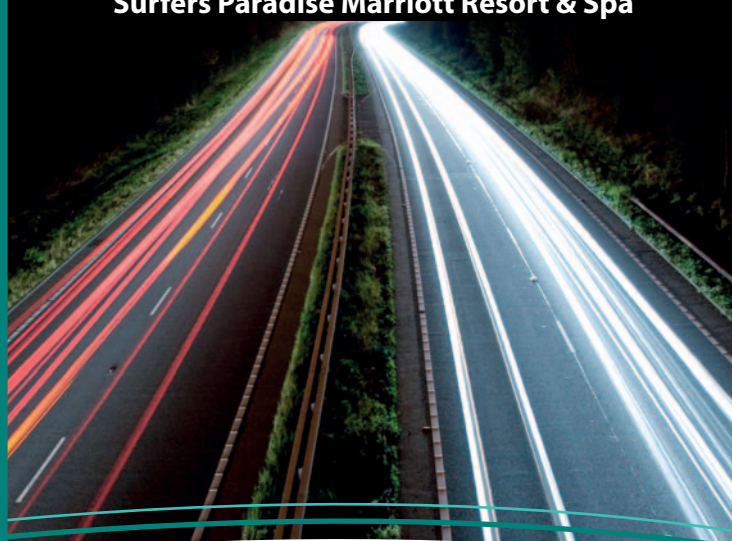
NAME	GRADE	STATE
Catherine Fabien	Member	NSW
Suzanne Fisher	Member	USA
Russell Lew-Kee	Associate	VIC
Joon-Yip Wong	Associate	SA



MARK THESE DATES IN YOUR DIARY

AUSTRALIAN INSTITUTE OF PACKAGING

PACKAGING...THE ROAD AHEAD
2012 AIP NATIONAL CONFERENCE
 Thursday the 14th and Friday the 15th of June
 Surfers Paradise Marriott Resort & Spa



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DON'T MISS OUT ON THE LATEST AIP ACTIVITIES FOR 2012

ALL Members are invited to attend ANY events across Australia & New Zealand.

VIC AIP/SPE VIC TECHNICAL DINNER

When: **Wednesday the 1st of February**
Where: Box Hill Golf Club, Box Hill
Time: 6.00 pm for a 6.30 pm start
Speakers:



Sharon Givoni
Lawyer and Principal
Sharon Givoni Consulting



Craig Benson
Country Manager for Australia and New Zealand
Milliken Design, Inc.



Steve Roberts
Head of Sales, Pigments
Clariant (Australia)

BOOKINGS CLOSED

QLD

INTRODUCTION TO PRINT TECHNOLOGY HALF-DAY TRAINING COURSE

When: **Friday the 9th of March**
Where: Mt Ommaney Lodge, Mt Ommaney
Time: 9.30 am arrival for a 10.00 am start
Presenter: Andrew Readman

NEW COURSE



Have you ever gone to a press approval and struggled to make the printer understand what you wanted?

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NSW

BARRIER AND MAP PACKAGING TECHNOLOGY HALF-DAY TRAINING COURSE

When: **Wednesday the 14th of March**
Where: Oatlands Golf Course Club House, Oatlands
Time: 10.00 am arrival for a 10.30 am start
Presenter: Emeritus Professor Harry Lovell OAM, FAIP



The ability to create a specific atmospheric environment to suit specific products e.g. foods, as well as provide protection through packaging is not new...

NEW COURSE

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NSW

AIP/SPE NSW TECHNICAL DINNER

When: **Thursday the 9th of February**
Where: Oatlands Golf Course Club House
Time: 6.00 pm for a 6.30 pm start
Speakers:



Dr. Martin Poppe
Head of Global Technical Marketing - Printing Inks
Clariant Produkte (Deutschland) GmbH



Craig Benson
Country Manager for Australia and New Zealand
Milliken Design, Inc.



Rowan Williams
Business Director, Plastics
BASF Australia

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NZ

INTRODUCTION TO PRINT TECHNOLOGY HALF-DAY TRAINING COURSE

When: **Monday the 2nd of April**
Where: BNZ Highbrook Partner Centre, East Tamaki
Time: 10.00 am arrival for a 10.30 am start
Presenter: Andrew Readman

NEW COURSE



Do you want a basic understanding of what problems you are likely to encounter with each print process?

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INDUSTRY EVENTS SUPPORTED BY THE AIP

WA SAFETY SHOW



7-9 August 2012
Perth Convention & Exhibition Centre

www.thesafetyshow.com.au

FOODTECH PACKTECH 2012



Tuesday 25th - Thursday 27th September
ABS Showgrounds, Greenlane, Auckland, NZ

www.foodtechpacktech.co.nz



AUSPACK PLUS 2013

7th to the 10th of May 2013
Sydney Showgrounds
Sydney Olympic Park

www.auspackplus.com.au

SA

INTRODUCTION TO CORRUGATED BOXES HALF-DAY TRAINING COURSE

When: **Wednesday the 15th of February**
Where: Plant Research Centre, Urrbrae
Time: 11.30 am arrival for a 12.00 noon start
Presenter: Ron Mines MAIP



This half-day training course will present the humble corrugated box, as probably the most diverse single-form packaging medium in use throughout the world, today and in the future. The course will cover the basics of papermaking for the box industry, will then progress through the conversion of paper and other materials, into the finished package that is so necessary for the marketing, safe storage and transportation of virtually every type of product that we buy on a daily basis...

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