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### 'Filter Media 4: Cost Effective Solutions'

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Charges include VAT, lunch and refreshments. A VAT invoice  
will be issued on receipt of payment. The Society regrets that it  
cannot refund the registration fee if registrants cancel within 2  
weeks of the date of the meeting. Prior to that a 20%  
cancellation fee will apply.*

## ABOUT THE SOCIETY

The Filtration Society was formed in London in 1964. It is a charitable, non-profit organisation established to advance and disseminate knowledge on the design and use of filtration and separation techniques in industry, commerce and other walks of life.

Membership of the Society is available at several grades including Student and Individual levels. Corporate Association is available to companies. Membership is open to interested individuals; most members work for manufacturers and users of filtration and separation technologies, or for universities and research organisations.

The Society organises regular technical meetings that keep members up to date with advances in filtration and separation and their application and refreshes their knowledge of established technologies. Membership has many benefits which, depending on the grade, include:

- Reduced registration fee at meetings
- Networking and sales opportunities
- Regular copies of the quarterly journal FILTRATION, the official journal of the Society
- A 12½% discount on "The Dictionary of Filtration and Separation" from Filtration Solutions
- A 50% discount on "Filtration & Separation" and 15% discount on books from Elsevier

The Society currently has members in about 30 countries around the world. It has an established Trust Fund which is used to recognise distinguished contributions to filtration and separation through the award of The Gold Medal and The Suttle Award.

Further details can be found in The Filtration Society membership leaflet or on the world wide web at:

<http://www.filtsoc.com>



## Filter Media 4 Cost Effective Solutions

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## Annual General Meeting

**19 November 2009**

**A one day international  
technical meeting and  
exhibition**

**to be held at  
Ramada Hotel, Christleton,  
Chester, UK**

## Filter Media 4: Cost Effective Solutions

The filter medium is the critical component that determines whether a filter process will perform adequately to give the desired separation efficiency. One of the key roles of a filter medium is to create a clear separation of particulate from a fluid or gas with the minimum consumption of energy.

This one day conference will bring together people interested in advances in new filter media that are being applied in industry. From tightening legislation to the growing number of finer, more demanding, filter processes, new filter media developments are constantly being driven by customer requirements.

It has been 2 years since the last filter media one-day meeting organised by the Society. Since then new developments have taken place in media for both gas and liquid applications. This meeting will feature key elements of these developments, including the role of design of media, recent products grown from industrial R&D, and different modern filter media technologies in successful applications case studies.

The continued development of filter media is key in many filtration processes and will be of particular interest to process engineers, designers, technical and R&D staff, research institutes and decision makers.

**Attendance at Filtration Society meetings is open to all - members, non-members, UK and non-UK delegates. All delegates will receive a comprehensive set of bound notes which have always proved to be a very popular and up to date reference source.**

**Members and non-members are welcome to attend the Annual General Meeting of The Filtration Society, but only members may vote.**

## TECHNICAL PROGRAMME

- 9.00-9.30 Registration with coffee  
9.30-9.40 Welcome and Introduction, Richard Wakeman, Honorary Secretary.  
9.40-10.15 Filter Media Markets – Trends and Prospects. Ken Sutherland, Northdoe Ltd, UK.  
10.15-10.50 Coffee break + visiting exhibition  
10.50-11.25 Selection and Testing of HEPA Filters to Meet Regulatory Requirements. Mike Vinson, Camfil Farr, UK.  
11.25-12.00 New Trends in the Classification of Air Filters. Dr Thomas Caesar, Freudenberg Vliesstoffe, Germany.  
12.00-12.40 Poster presentations by exhibitors and others.  
12.40-14.00 Lunch + visiting exhibition  
14.00-14.35 Metallic Membrane Developments – Basic Performance Criteria. Andy Bevis and Richard Morgan, Porvair Filtration Group, UK.  
14.35-15.10 Metal Fibre Media in Various Filtration Applications. Jérémie De Baerdemaeker, Bekaert, Belgium.  
15.10-15.40 Tea break + visiting exhibition  
15.40-16.15 Latest High Performance, Low Pressure Drop, Glass Media. Paul Smith, Hollingsworth and Vose, UK.  
16.15-16.50 Innovative Low Pressure Plasma Coatings for Gas and Liquid Filter Media. Filip Legein, Europlasma, Belgium.  
16.50-17.00 Close of Technical Meeting  
**17.10 Annual General Meeting**

## EXHIBITION

An exhibition will be held at the Filter Media technical meeting. Exhibitor packages are available – for more information contact the Honorary Secretary (richard.wakeman@lineone.net) or Dr Graham Rideal (rideal@whitehousescientific.com)

The Ramada Chester is well served by a network of motorways and offers ample free car parking, and is nearby Manchester and Liverpool International Airports.



## FORTHCOMING FILTRATION SOCIETY MEETINGS in 2010

- February – Reducing the Carbon Footprint of Filtration  
March – Sludge Dewatering and Handling  
May – Innovation in Filtration Technologies  
October – Filter Testing and Characterisation



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