



APRIL 2012 LASCT BULLETIN

Bosses' Night

At our April dinner meeting, the LASCT recognizes our members' "Bosses". We encourage everyone to bring your boss for an enjoyable social (and educational) evening.

DATE: WEDNESDAY, April 11, 2012

PLACE: Holiday Inn
7000 Beach Blvd.
Buena Park, CA 90620

TIME: Social Hour 5:30 pm
Speaker 6:00 pm
Dinner 7:00 pm

PRICE: \$ 25.00 members w/reservation **by** 12:00 p.m. Monday, Apr. 9
\$ 35.00 non-members w/reservation **by** 12:00 p.m. Monday, Apr. 9
\$ 35.00 members w/o reservation or reservation **after** 12:00 p.m. Monday, Apr. 9
\$ 45.00 non-members w/o reservation or reservation **after** 12:00 p.m. Monday, Apr. 9

RSVP: lasct@earthlink.net or call (714) 998-1891.

SPEAKER: Mike Hakos, Taminco

Mike Hakos is responsible for the sale of all Taminco amines in the Midwest, West Coast, and Canada. Additionally he is the North American Market Manager for their Performance Products business. He has been selling in the Coatings Industry for 10 years, first with Eastman Chemical Company and more recently with Taminco. He received a BS in Chemistry from Grove City College and his MBA from St. Josephs University.

TOPIC: *Testing of VOC's and Use of Non-Traditional Amines*

Mike will be covering different methods for testing VOC's and what problems they find within the testing parameters for each method. Mike will also be discussing non-traditional amines that can help reduce and or eliminate your VOC's.

DRAWINGS:	Door Prize	Restaurant Gift Card
	Best Question	\$ 20.00
	Attendance	\$ 400.00

March Meeting Winners:

Door Prize - Gift Card	Eddie Lyons, <i>Horn</i>
Door Prize - P.T. Hutchins	Eric Bach, <i>Turk International</i>
Best Question	\$ 20.00 V.C "Bud" Jenkins
Attendance	\$ 380.00 Bill Watson, <i>Vista Paint (not present)</i>
American Coatings Show - ACA	
Full Conference Registration	Babette Turk, <i>Turk International</i>
Show Registration	Eric Bach, <i>Turk International</i>
Show Registration	Scott Hoffer, <i>Dorsett and Jackson</i>

A Special "THANK YOU" to P.T. Hutchins Company for providing wine at our March meeting.

Please visit www.lasct.org for more information regarding upcoming meetings, events and job postings.

PROPOSED NEW MEMBERS

Dual Membership

Local Membership

Scott Robeson *Brenntag Specialties, Inc.*

RESERVE AD SPACE NOW! 2012-2013 YEARBOOK

It's time to reserve your ad space in the 2012-2013 Los Angeles Society for Coatings Technology Yearbook and Directory. The Yearbook and Directory includes not only members of the Los Angeles Society but also all members of Arizona, Golden Gate, and Pacific Northwest Societies for Coatings Technology, and will be distributed to all members of the Coatings Societies of the West Coast as well as select members of Coatings Societies across the USA.

The LASCT Yearbook & Directory is hands-down the most effective use of your advertising dollar in the Western United States and Canada — and perhaps across NAFTA. SUPPORT YOUR INDUSTRY BY ADVERTISING! Funds raised by the LASCT Yearbook are used to support Coatings Industry events, scholarships, and education!

Don't miss this invaluable opportunity to reach current and future customers! The deadline for inclusion in the 2012-2013 Yearbook is June 15, 2012. Please contact the LASCT Office at (714) 998-1891 or lasct@earthlink if you would like an advertising packet.

ANNUAL SPRING FROLIC

Cal Poly, SLO will hold their annual Spring Frolic on Friday, April 20, at Tustin Ranch Golf Course. Please refer to the enclosed flyer for information and reservations. This event is limited to the first 144 golfers, so get your reservations in early!

GOOD FELLOWSHIP NEWS

To report any new "happenings", please contact Bert Osen at (562) 863-0378, or by email at losen@earthlink.net.

EMPLOYMENT

Companies in the coatings industry are hiring! Employment opportunities are posted on the LASCT website at lasct.org. Postings are updated regularly.

MARK YOUR CALENDARS!

Please mark your calendars for the **May Meeting** which will be held on **Wednesday, May 9, 2012**. As always, meetings are held on the **second Wednesday of each month**. See you there!

Tim Feters
2011-2012 LASCT Secretary