



CAULKS *and* SEALANTS SHORT COURSE

APRIL 20-21, 2026 GRAND HYATT NASHVILLE, TENNESSEE

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Monday, April 20, 2026

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| 7:45 – 8:15am | Breakfast |
| 8:15 – 9:15am | Introduction to Sealants and Testing for Building Applications
<i>Angelina Sprecher, DAP</i> |
| 9:15 – 10:05am | Sealants for Mobility Applications
<i>Ryan Kruger, Bostik</i> |
| 10:05 – 10:25am | Break |
| 10:25 – 11:25am | Sealant Performance and Durability: Design and Use Perspective
<i>David Nicastro, ABB</i> |
| 11:25 – 12:25pm | Introduction to Rheology
<i>Michael Berlin, Elementis</i> |
| 12:25 – 1:25pm | Lunch |
| 1:25 – 2:20pm | Acrylic Sealants
<i>Farhan Ansari, Dow Chemical Company</i> |
| 2:20 – 3:05pm | Polyurethane and Hybrid Sealants
<i>Ruolei Wang & Jonathan Barrus, Kaneka</i> |
| 3:05 – 3:25pm | Break |
| 3:25 – 4:10pm | Silicone Sealants
<i>David Speer, Wacker Chemical Corporation</i> |
| 4:10 – 4:30pm | Open Discussion & Wrap Up |



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| 7:30 – 8:00am | Breakfast |
| 8:00 – 8:45am | Plasticizers
<i>Emily Mayes, Lanxess Corporation</i> |
| 8:45 – 9:30am | Adhesion Promoters
<i>Anne Dussaud, Momentive Performance Materials</i> |
| 9:30 – 10:15am | Functional Fillers
<i>Navin Patel, Imerys</i> |
| 10:15 – 10:30am | Break |
| 10:30 – 11:20am | Establishing Performance
<i>Christopher White, Ramboll</i> |
| 11:20 – 12:10am | Dispensing Applications in Automotive Sealants and Sealers
<i>Kyle Williams, OTC Industrial Technologies</i> |
| 12:10 – 1:00pm | Lunch |