

## WEDNESDAY 16 OCTOBER

### 12.00–12.55pm Registration and lunch

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1.00–1.15pm

#### Welcome

##### Neil Bolton, BAMA Vice Chair

BAMA's Vice Chair, Neil Bolton of Procter & Gamble, will welcome all guests to the BAMA Forum and explain the format of the conference and awards evening. This will be followed by a short introduction from the event sponsor, Haluk Giray of Sarten Ambalaj.

1.15–1.30pm

#### BAMA update

##### Patrick Heskins, Chief Executive, BAMA

Patrick will provide you with an update on what BAMA has been working on and current industry trends.

1.30–1.55pm

#### Over 50 years of excellence: the journey of Sarten Packaging

##### Mehmet Sami Karabacak, UK Sales & Marketing Manager, Sarten Ambalaj

In this presentation, we delve into the rich history and evolution of Sarten Packaging. From their humble beginnings to becoming a prominent presence in the packaging industry, Mehmet will explore key milestones, innovations and the enduring commitment to excellence that defines Sarten Packaging today. Learn about the company's comprehensive range of packaging solutions and how they cater for diverse industries worldwide, reflecting their commitment to quality, sustainability and customer satisfaction.

1.55–2.15pm

#### Going underground – the unseen world that impacts your business

##### Jason Galley, Chief Executive & Director, MPMA

In his first year out of industry, Jason has been astonished by the procession of decision makers who simply don't understand the beautiful circularity of metal packaging. In his presentation he explores the potential impacts on the aerosol industry in the UK.

2.15–2.45pm

#### The Poisons Act 1972 and Control of Explosives Precursors and Poisons Regulations 2023 – Industry compliance

##### Dr John Sandford O'Neill, Chemical Security Lead, Homeland Security Group

This presentation is brought to you by the Explosives Precursors Engagement Team who support policy work across government to counter terrorism threats and support the Homeland Security Group (HSG) policy leads in delivering counter terrorism and national security objectives. Specifically, the team works to prevent and detect terrorist acquisition of substances (chemical, biological, radiological and explosive) and to reduce the vulnerability of sites holding them. As of 1 October 2023, regulations around explosives precursors and poisons as defined in the Poisons Act 1972 were tightened. This was in response to the Manchester arena bombing where 22 people lost their lives in May 2017. This presentation will provide attendees with a refresh of those legislation changes, an opportunity to ask questions and an overview of what the team does and how they may be able to help your business with compliance.

### 2.45–3.15pm Tea and coffee

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3.15–4.00pm

### Fragrances with benefits

**Celine Herbette, Perfumer, CPL Aromas Ltd**

A brief insight into the creation of fragrances for aerosol applications and some of the added-value opportunities they can offer to our products and the consumer.

4.00–4.20pm

### CTSI's offerings to business to assist in product safety compliance

**Philip Church, Learning and Development Manager, Chartered Trading Standards Institute**

The world of legislation and regulating products is complex but essential for both businesses and consumers.

CTSI offers the Business Companion and the Business Certificate of Competence in Product Safety, delivered by industry experts, and provides information and training that businesses need to help them navigate this complex area.

Why is product safety important? How do various regulators carry out market surveillance and enforce product safety? How does your business manage the risk that arises from participating in the market? These are some of the essential topics delivered through these products and services. The information gained from them will enable your business to ensure the safety of your products and customers, and will protect your brand.

4.30–5.00pm

**AGM – BAMA members only**

## Aerosol Technology Course

**19 and 20  
November  
2024**

Practical  
session:  
Lindal  
Laboratory

Expert  
session:  
Holiday Inn,  
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## THURSDAY 17 OCTOBER

- 9.00–10.30am** **Interactive session: The Volcke world of aerosols**  
**Tanja Vasiljevic, Chief Marketing Officer, Volcke Aerosols Connection**  
We all work with aerosols. Tanja and Sara will show you how Volcke started with one spray 55 years ago and have grown the business to becoming a global aerosol manufacturer present in 10 markets – while never forgetting the founder’s motto that “business has to be fun”, too.
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- 10.30–11.00am** **Tea and coffee**
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- 11.00–11.40am** **Industrial strategy – concept to implementation**  
**Seamus Nevin, Chief Economist, Make UK**  
Following the election of a new government who have pledged to implement an industrial strategy, this presentation will examine the next steps needed to ensure that manufacturing is at the heart of this plan and fulfils its ambition to grow manufacturing GDP from 10% to 15%.
- 11.40–12.15pm** **Sustainability matters – accelerating your carbon reporting journey**  
**Ro Eggesfield, Head of Impact, Reporting & Disclosures, Seismic**  
Beyond being the right thing to do, businesses are being faced by increasing pressure from stakeholders to act on sustainability, especially on carbon emissions. In this short session, Ro Eggesfield from Seismic, a leading sustainability partner driving lasting environmental and social change across all areas of business, will share the key drivers for sustainability for UK business and the aerosols industry. Ro will also share how you can accelerate your carbon reporting journey to meaningfully measure impact and communicate your progress transparently and consistently to support compliance and value chain commercial requirements without fear of greenwashing.
- 12.15–12.30pm** **US regulatory update**  
**Doug Raymond, Raymond Regulatory Resources (3R), LLC**  
The California Air Resources Board (CARB) will begin their next rule development on consumer products. This is CARB’s first rule development in several years. CARB rule developments are extremely important to the consumer products industry because the rules adopted by CARB spread across the country. Thus, we need to get the rules right in California.
- 12.30–12.55pm** **Regulatory update**  
**Paul Jackson, Regulatory Affairs Director, BAMA**  
Paul Jackson will update you on the latest changes to UK and EU regulations affecting aerosols.
- 12.55–1.00pm** **Closing remarks**  
**Neil Bolton, BAMA Vice Chair**
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- 1.00pm** **Lunch and close**

*Note: details in this programme may be subject to change.*



23 April 2025

# Innovation Day

Royal Armouries, Leeds

Sponsored by:



The BAMA Innovation Day is returning to the Royal Armouries in Leeds on Wednesday 23 April. We're already lining up a programme of exceptional speakers, so if you would like to showcase your own innovation on the day, please get in touch as soon as possible to secure your presentation slot.



## What will you get from the Day?

### 8.45am: Opening with coffee and registration

- Four sessions in the auditorium, with speakers presenting on a range of different topics
- Extended coffee breaks and lunch, to network in the Exhibition Hall and meet the presenters
- Individual table-top spaces, where speakers and other companies can answer questions and visitors can look at samples and prototypes
- A comprehensive overview of new approaches to technical, environmental, and industrial solutions
- A balanced swing between conference-style and hands-on learning

### 4pm: Closing remarks

Attendance is free, and open to members and non-members.

Exhibition tables are available in the Hall, please contact

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