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AMERICHEM EXPERT TO PRESENT ON ANTIMICROBIAL ADDITIVES AT SPE PLASTICS INJECTION MOLDING CONFERENCE CHINA 2013

CUYAHOGA FALLS, OHIO (DEC. 3, 2013) – [Americhem Inc.](http://www.americhem.com), a leading color and additive masterbatch supplier to the plastics industry, will present a paper on antimicrobials in medical textiles and plastics at the SPE Plastics Injection Molding Conference China 2013 at the Shanghai Marriott City Centre in Shanghai, China. Americhem’s polymer additives development director Vaman G. (VG) Kulkarni, Ph.D., will speak on Dec. 11, at 4:05 p.m.

Dr. Kulkarni’s presentation titled “Antimicrobials for Medical Textiles and Plastics” will focus on the importance of incorporating antimicrobial technologies into the medical textiles and plastics market. Dr. Kulkarni will discuss silver-based antimicrobials and the performance of masterbatches based on these chemistries, as well as challenges of incorporating these products into fine denier textiles and nonwovens.

Dr. Kulkarni joined Americhem in 1986. Throughout his career, he has served in a variety of positions contributing his expertise in synthetic fibers, additives, international and new business development. He is an honored service member of the Society of Plastics Engineers.

Learn more about the importance of antimicrobial masterbatches in medical textiles and plastics applications at the [SPE Plastics Injection Molding Conference China 2013](http://www.spe.org/conferences/2013/China). For more information about products and services from Americhem, visit www.americhem.com or contact Scott Blanchard at sblanchard@americhem.com.

About Americhem

Americhem is a global organization that delivers custom color and additive solutions for customers seeking superior performance and batch-to-batch consistency for their polymer products. The company specializes in color and additive masterbatches, and single pigment dispersions, all backed by complete technical support that ensures quality, reliability and value. Americhem operates seven manufacturing plants and also maintains a representative sales office in Luxembourg and Monterrey, Mexico. Central Research & Development facilities and headquarters are located in Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio. For more information visit Americhem.com or call 800.228.3476.

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