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SYNTHETIC YARN AND FIBER ASSOCIATION
2007 SUMMER CONFERENCE
Marriott Grande Dunes
Myrtle Beach, SC
August 2 – August 4, 2007

HAVE PEOPLE IN YOUR ORGANIZATION ASKED THE FOLLOWING QUESTIONS?

- How can a US textile company operate in China and be successful? What are the obstacles?
- Why do oil prices continue to rise? Is there relief in sight? What will raw material pricing do for the next 12 months?
- What are the new innovations for producing superior quality products?
- What's going on in the global market? How will it affect me?
- "Green, green, green". Where is the market headed? What are the new standards being developed for this market? Will my product meet the new standards? Furniture, Contract Fabrics, what's next - Automotive?
- Going nuts trying to find a new yarn? What about coconut fibers?
- Where can I meet people and establish contacts within the complete supply chain.
- Which universities/educational institutions can supply me with qualified people and/or resources to meet the needs of today's textile industry?

WANT THE ANSWERS?

Join us at the Summer Conference at Myrtle Beach. Listed below are keynote speakers that have your answers. In addition to the speakers, representatives from the complete supply chain (from raw materials to finished goods) will also be attending. Take this opportunity to gain valuable information and establish long lasting relationships with industry representatives.

Here's what is waiting for you at SYFA 2007 Summer Conference!

- **Expert session speakers**
  - Bill Jasper, Vice President of Sales, Unifi, Inc.
  - Steven Plach, Sales Manager, PTA Americas, BP
  - Barry Kelly, Sales Manager – Warp Knits, Karl Mayer Co.
  - Lee Woodard, Senior Vice President, Interface Fabrics
  - Alasdair Carmichael, President: Americas - PCI Fibres & Raw Materials
  - Chip Hartzog, Vice President of Sales and Dan Feroe, Area Sales Manager, Barmag/Saurer Group
  - Jim Hind, Co-Owner, CoCoNa Natural Technology
  - Special Guest, Glen Ward

- **A mix of learning and fun with special events**
  - Welcome Reception
  - Golf Tournament
  - Volleyball Tournament
  - Tennis Tournament
  - Dinner Dance (dress is business casual)

Hotel reservations can be made by using the enclosed form. Fax or mail the form along with the appropriate deposit to the Marriott. **The hotel cut-off date is <u>Monday, July 2</u>. Should you phone in your reservation, please notify reservations of the group code of "Synthetic Yarn and Fiber Association" to assure the group rate. Please make your reservations as soon as possible to guarantee the group rate.**

Attached is a registration form for advising SYFA of your intentions to attend the meeting. The information supplied on this form will aid the staff in their preparation for the conference. **This form along with your check for the registration fee or credit card information for MasterCard/Visa should be returned to the SYFA office by Friday, July 20.**

We look forward to seeing you at the Marriott Grande Dunes.

Sincerely,

Ulrik Frodermann, Barmag/Saurer Group
SYFA President