The Sixth Annual Conference on Recycling of Polymer, Textile, and Carpet Waste
North West Georgia Trade & Convention Center, Dalton, GA

CONFERENCE PROGRAM

8:00-9:00  Registration and Continental Breakfast

9:00-12:00  Session 1

Chair: Werner Braun, CRI

True Brown, Honeywell International, Colonial Heights, VA
Infinity Nylon - A Never-Ending Cycle of Renewal
Matthew J. Realff, James L. Clark, Fred Cook, Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, GA
Regional Systems for Carpet Recycling
Richard Stein, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, MA
Recycling and Public Policy

10:30-11:00  Break

Chair: Satish Kumar, Georgia Tech

Mark Ryan, DuPont, Kennesaw, GA
Update on The DuPont Carpet Reclamation Program and Sustainable Products

William Rinell and Alan Miller, Molecular Waste Technologies, Marietta, GA
Converting Carpet, Textile and Other Waste into Oil and Carbon Black

12:00-1:00  Lunch

1:00-5:00  Session II

Chair: John Boland, Georgia Tech

Gary Kenworthy, Carpet & Rug Institute, Dalton, GA
Governmental Issues Update: Post-Consumer Carpet Initiatives

Panel Discussion on Governmental Issues
Moderator: Howard Elder, J&J Industries, Dalton, GA
Panelists: Werner Braun, CRI
Michael Costello, Honeywell Int.
Mark Ryan, DuPont
Bob Donaghe, P2AD
Catherine Wilt, University of Tennessee

Matthew J. Realff, Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, GA, and Michael R. Costello, Evergreen Nylon Recycling, Honeywell International, Augusta, GA
Carpet Recycling: The Design and Economics of Collection

2:30-3:00  Break

A. Taylor, M. Miraftab, M.E. Hall, D. Holmes; Bolton Institute, Bolton, UK
Novel Underlays Manufactured From Carpet Waste Material

Vikas Nadkarni, Vikas Technologies, INDIA
Process and Product Options for Polyethylene Terephthalate (PET) Recycling

Youjiang Wang, Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, GA
Recent US Patents on Carpet Recycling

5:00-6:30  Reception

5/1/01, Tuesday, 8:30am-12:00pm
Workshop on Processing Technologies

8:00-8:30  Continental Breakfast

Chair: Youjiang Wang, Georgia Tech

Ken Hawn, Tex America, Charlotte, NC
An Overview of Commercial Recycling Technologies and Textile Applications for the Products

John Muzzy, Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, GA
Plastics Processing from Recycled Fibers

10:20-10:40  Break

John Muzzy, Georgia Institute of Technology, Atlanta, GA
Plastics Processing from Recycled Fibers (Continued)

12:00  Adjourn