

Education & Innovation for the Polymer Community

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Greetings;

We are proudly announcing our upcoming short course; "[Testing and Analysis of Polymers: Mechanical, Thermal, and Chemical Properties](#)". The short course will be held at Gulf Scientific Corporation, **Dubai, UAE**. This short course, which will be given in **English**, will be held between **16 - 18 May 2011**.

This short course is designed for polymer industry professionals such as polymer engineers, foremen, operators and managers as a tool enabling them to perform their jobs better and with higher efficiency. This will help attendees to better understand basics of polymers and their properties. The stress would be on understanding the fundamentals of polymer properties and how to test them. Emphasis will be on interpreting the test results and turn them to useful tool of improving your job.

This short course will be given by SPRC faculty members; **Chair Professor Rabeh Elleithy** and **Dr. Ilias Ali**. **Prof. Rabeh Elleithy** is the technical director and chair professor of SABIC Polymer Research Center (SPRC) at King Saud University. He spent 10 years in polymer industry working at PolyOne Corp and BASF Corporation in the USA. He spent 15 years in academia in universities like Case Western Reserve University & Tuskegee University in the USA. **Dr. Ilias Ali** is an Assistant professor of SABIC Polymer Research center at King Saud University. His major research focus is on polymer nanocomposite, polymer synthesis and characterization etc. He spent 5 years in industry and academia. Prior to joining SPRC, he worked as a research Scientist at GE plastics in India.

The fee for attending the course and course material is **4500SR**. There is a special discount for 3 or more participants from the same company. If the course fee is paid in full before the beginning of the course, a separate discount will be applied. All attendees will reserve "[Polymer Testing](#)" book as a free gift. Kindly **distribute this letter** among your colleagues as you see fit. Please contact us if we could be of any assistance.

Best regards;

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