

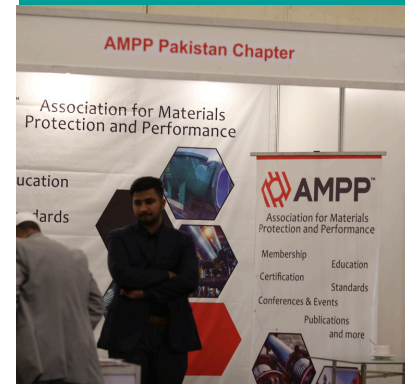
# SUSTAINABLE COATINGS 2024

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Venue: Faletti's Hotel Lahore



On October 17, 2024, SKEN Business Management Services, in collaboration with The Association for Materials Protection and Performance (AMPP) Pakistan Chapter, successfully hosted the "Sustainable Coatings 2024" conference and exhibition at Faletti's Hotel, Lahore, Pakistan. This highly anticipated event brought together over 75 participants representing 22 prominent organizations and institutions to discuss innovative solutions and methodologies for corrosion prevention through advanced coatings.

The conference served as an invaluable platform for knowledge sharing and networking among industry experts, engineers, researchers, and professionals dedicated to addressing the critical challenges of corrosion. It showcased groundbreaking coating technologies and sustainability practices aimed at enhancing material protection and performance across industries. The event was powered by Castolin Eutectic, represented by Mr. Mohammad Zubair (B.E, MBA). Other key branding partners included Sika Pakistan, represented by Mr. Haider Malhi, and ChemServe, represented by Mr. Shahid Bhatti. Their significant contributions underscored the importance of industry collaboration in effectively addressing corrosion challenges.

The conference featured a distinguished panel of speakers who delivered insightful presentations. Dr. Ameer Farooq, Ph.D., Vice Chair, AMPP Pakistan Chapter, discussed the "Effect of Climate Change on the Performance of Protective Coatings." Mr. Ahmed Asad, Founder of Integrity, presented on "Coating Assessment of Pakistan's 1267 km Underground Pipeline." Mr. Muhammad Tahir from SNGPL shared insights on "Coating Failures in Gas Pipelines," focusing on the need for coatings, common reasons for failures, and their solutions. Prof. Dr. Shahzad Maqsood Khan from the Institute of Polymer & Chemical Engineering, Punjab University, explored "Innovative Approaches and Advances in Sustainable Polymeric and Composite Coatings," highlighting coating projects at IPTE and associated challenges. Mr. Uzair Bhatti from Engro Polymer & Chemicals Ltd presented on "Filtered Brine Tank Rehabilitation Reinforced with GF Coating."

The event attracted a diverse audience, including industry leaders, engineers, academic professionals, and policymakers. This created a vibrant environment for dialogue and collaboration. Interactive sessions and Q&A discussions encouraged deeper engagement with the topics presented, fostering knowledge exchange and practical learning.

The event saw participation from leading companies and institutions, including Castolin Eutectic, Fatima Fertilizer Co. Ltd, Global Solutions Company, Olympia Chemicals Ltd, Powersoft 19, Graana.com, Total Parco Pakistan, Sui Northern Gas Pipeline Co. Ltd, Sui Southern Gas Co. Ltd, Karachi Shipyard & Engineering Works Ltd, Nishat Chunian Group, Integrity, Sitara Chemical Industries, Milwala Trading, Izhar Construction, Engro Polymers & Chemicals Ltd, Qadri Group, Descon Engineering Ltd, Inspectest Pvt Ltd, Nuricon Union (Pvt.) Ltd, Seal For Life Industries, Aqua Treat, Sika Pakistan, University of Punjab, Innovior, and ChemServe.

The event was graced by the esteemed presence of Mr. Abdul Rashid Lone, as the Honorable "Chief Guest", a renowned professional with over 36 years of experience in Pakistan's gas industry. Mr. Lone has served in several key positions, including Managing Director of SNGPL, IGSL, and Dawood Hercules Chemicals Ltd, as well as Board Member of SSGC and Interstate Gas System Limited (IGSL).

The "Sustainable Coatings 2024" event stands as a testament to the power of collaboration, innovation, and shared knowledge in tackling corrosion challenges. We express our gratitude to all who contributed to its success and look forward to continuing our journey towards sustainable solutions in material protection.

# EVENT HIGHLIGHTS

