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## Shaping the future - at the PTS Paper & Board Symposium

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PTS Paper & Board Symposium is starting on 6 September 2016 with the exciting lecture session "Shaping the future with paperbased products". Mr. Stefan Karrer, Papierfabrik August Koehler SE and Chairman of the Association for Research and Technology of the German Pulp and Paper Industry, will give a current overview about the **development of the paper industry**.

Thereafter Mr. Arne Kant, Pöyry Management Consulting, will present **strategies to safeguard the future in the paper business**. Based on two long term outlook studies - 'World paper markets up to 2030' and 'World fibre outlook to 2030' - he will forecast future paper and fibre demand by sector. The lecture will show the development of graphic papers, packaging, tissue and speciality papers.

Ms. Ulla Forsström, VTT Technical Research Centre of Finland will focus on **improved resource efficiency by valorisation of the side streams in paper and board mills using paper for recycling**. Methods and process tools further developed in EU REFFIBRE project were used to show possibilities to improve resource efficiency by achieving predetermined paper properties with less materials and energy savings in paper/board production. The tools developed show that only the part of material that is essential for the network structure, strength and other relevant paper properties should be used and the part of the material that is less important may be utilised in other applications and products.

Mr. Peter Barth, Creative Network Consulting, presents in his lecture the **future of print finishing**. In this report the situation of market will be emblazed not only today but rather in the future too. He will introduce and describe various organisations of process. With a view to future design of products and requirements the possible and new technologies will be described. On the whole, new models of business and products for the print finishing will be the result of these remarks.

**Three exciting lectures you should not miss. Register until 8 July and save 10%!**

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