



# PAPERmatters! 2018

## Conference & Exhibition

25<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup> September 2018

Lancaster University



For 2018, the **PITA PAPERmatters!** Conference/Exhibition returns to **Central Lancashire**, considered by many to be the 'Ancestral Home' of Papermaking in the UK. Adopting the ever popular split, demi-conference formula to minimise time away for the office, this packed two day event (*split over Tuesday, 25<sup>th</sup> afternoon and Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> morning*) provides Papermakers and Suppliers alike an opportunity to:

Catch up on the latest developments in the key Papermaking areas, including:

- **What are the future trends in Fibre Supply** - *Will Farmers be our new best Friends?*
- **What's New in Forming** - *Are Contaminants really an issue?*
- **Energy** - *Is the Nuclear Powered Paper Mill a possibility?*
- **Mathematical Modelling** - *Can you really control the Dryer Section with a Slide Rule?*
- **Is it safe to eat?** - *Do you really know what is in that Burger Box?*
- **The Environment** - *What can the Paper Industry do to aid Milk Production?*
- Update on the latest informed views on the impact of **Brexit** on Papermaking in the UK and what will happen when Europe leaves the Commonwealth

The **PITA Office** has compiled and continues to add exciting new topics to a packed two day programme (*no early finishes on the First day!*). The Full Programme will be published on the **PITA Website** at the end of July, along with booking details.

It would not be a **PITA Event** without a Social Event and on Tuesday evening delegates will be invited to mingle for a Late Summer Barbeque, a chance to make or lose your fortune in '**Casino Papeterie**' and, for once and for all, we will decide 'Who are the Better Papermakers' in our Handsheet Making Competition.

The venue for this **must attend event** is **Lancaster University**, located 3 miles south of the Centre of Lancaster (*with a regular bus service between the Railway Station and the University Campus*) and only 2 miles from the M6 Motorway.

Accommodation is available on the University Campus, adjacent to the venue, with prices ranging from £48 per night when booked using the special promotional code provided to delegates.

***It's going to be a great, a really great event!***

All this, including conference proceedings, meals & refreshments for only £175 (plus VAT) for PITA Members.



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