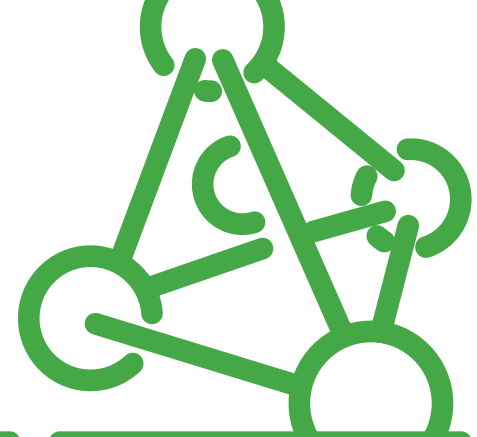




ENGINEERING PROPERTIES & STRUCTURE

A Division of the Society of Plastics Engineers



WHO WE ARE



Origins – Started by scientists and engineers interested in structure-property-process relationships, the Division has spawned several Divisions & SIG over the years.



EPSDIV is where leaders are born.



EPSDIV is the core venue to promote and showcase cutting-edge technology



EPSDIV's structure and properties fundamentals link to key disciplines

- » smart materials
- » nanotechnology
- » biopolymers
- » environmental / green technology



EPSDIV provides intersectionality of:

- » academia and industry
- » faculty, professional, postdocs, and grad & undergrad students
- » fundamental and applied research
- » SPE divisions and special interest groups (SIGs)



EPSDIV offers opportunities to network and design careers and life

- » career advice
- » social network

EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

Professional

- » Annual Technical Conference (ANTEC)
 - Technical programming
 - Best division paper awards
- » Regional and topical conferences
- » Resume feedback sessions

Educational

- » Training
- » Webinars and seminars

Organizational

- » Board meetings (teleconference)
- » Online discussions
- » Newsletter and website

Community

- » Outreach programs
- » Socialization & networking
- » Knowledge-sharing

MEMBERSHIP

Top Reasons to Join:

- » Professional development
 - Personal growth
 - Mentorship program
 - Networking with industry experts, company professionals, and academia
- » Technical development
 - Staying connected to the industry
 - Collaboration
 - Critical thinking
 - Scholarship opportunities
- » Leadership development
 - Positions of influence
 - Committee management
 - Volunteering opportunities

An EPSDIV member has:

- » Access to members in person at conferences and online (e.g. LinkedIn)
- » Opportunities to chair sessions and programming of future conferences (e.g. EPSDIV sessions at ANTEC)
- » Involvement in the decision-making process for division businesses
- » Access to technical library, member directory, training and learning webinars, and online blogs

NETWORKING



AND MANY MORE!

Three easy ways to become a member!

1. Student membership is free!
2. Join SPE at 4spe.org or scan the QR code to the right - Select EPSDIV membership while joining SPE and get involved in the EPSDIV inner circle conversations!
3. Email the Division Chair at spe.epsddivision@gmail.com

