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Salt Training Seminar - Feedback Form

By Salt Partners in association with IMFORMED

Salt Partners are an independent firm of salt consultants and engineering contractors active in the field of salt and chloralkali production and processing worldwide.

Seminar leader: Vladimir M. Sedivy, President, Salt Partners Ltd.

Seminar location: Grand Elysée Hotel, Hamburg.

Seminar date: Tuesday November 15th, 2022, starting at 09:00 (the day before the Salt Forum 2022 conference). Seminar room will be announced at the hotel event display.

Objective: To give participants a comprehensive introduction and overview of the salt industry. The seminar will be useful for anyone new to the industry or old hands wishing to update their knowledge. No prior technical or commercial knowledge is required. The seminar would be equally useful for people from salt production, processing, refining, trading, equipment manufacturing, plant design and other services. It would be also useful to those in downstream sectors, such as chloralkali manufacture, for whom salt is an important raw material.

The seminar is intended as a free questions-and-answers forum. The participants are encouraged to bring forward any subject of interest occurring to them before and during the seminar. The participants are expected to express their own views and to oppose any statement expressed by anyone, as they feel appropriate.

At this stage we are assessing which topics to give priority during the seminar.

If you or a colleague are interested, or have already registered for the seminar, please indicate which topics you would like to be covered in the training seminar. On a scale of 1-5, where 1 is the most important, please identify the topics you favour. Please underline or mark and write the number next to the topic:

- Salt and brine chemical and physical properties (mineralogy, sea water, analytical methods);
- Low and high temperature NaCl properties (freezing, de-icing, dihydrate, eutectics);
- Natural salt sources (rock salts, sea water, lake waters, saline aquifers, diapiric formations, geology, hydro-geology, seismic prospecting, core drilling);
- Salt production methods (dry and solution mining, solar salt, thermal evaporation, membranes);

- Solar saltworks (evaporation, crystallisation, sea water chemistry, saltworks design and operation, biological saltworks management, harvesting methods and equipment);
- Salt processing methods (salt washing, purification with hydroextraction, magnetic, optical);
- Brine purification (for brine evaporation and crystallisation, for brine electrolysis);
- Salt refining (recrystallisation, hydromilling, centrifuging, drying, screening, additive blending);
- Salt storage, handling and transport (bulk, mechanical, hydraulic, pneumatic, packaging);
- Salt products, qualities, production methods (de-icing, industrial, table, pharma, tablets, licks);
- Materials of construction (low and high temperatures, metals and plastics, corrosion protection);
- Salt uses (chloralkali, softening, curing and tanning, preservation, textiles);
- Salt economics (capital and operating cost, financing, marketing, financial modelling);
- Salt project implementation (design, procurement, construction, commissioning, management).

Other possible topics:

- Salt history;
- Salt in nutrition and medicine (metabolism, hypertension, dialysis);
- Salt in animal and plant nutrition;
- Salt specialities (herbs, lamps, bricks, lo-salt);
- Controversial environmental issues.

Please return the completed feedback form to Salt Partners by email or telefax at your earliest opportunity, in time for the seminar.

Thank you for your cooperation.

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Best regards

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