PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Elementary Nonwovens Course Agenda

DATE:
FEB 9–10, 2027

LOCATION:
CARY, NC

Instructor:

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Day 1	Tuesday, February 9
12:00 pm	Lunch
12:30 pm	**Welcome & Introductions**
1:00 pm	**Basics of Nonwovens & Fibers**
2:00 pm	Break
2:15 pm	**Web Forming – Carding**
3:00 pm	**Web Forming – Airlaid**
3:45 pm	**Web Forming – Wetlaid**
4:00 pm	Break
4:15 pm	**Spunlaid – Spunbond**
4:45 pm	**Spunlaid – Meltblown**
5:00 pm	**Spunlaid – SMS, Coform, Other**
5:15 pm	**Recap & Questions**
5:30 pm	Adjourn

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Day 2	Wednesday, February 10
8:00 am	Coffee & Pastries
8:30 am	**Day 1 Recap & Questions**
9:00 am	**Web Bonding: Chemical**
9:15 am	**Web Bonding: Thermal**
9:30 am	**Web Bonding: Needlepunch**
9:45 am	**Web Bonding: Hydroentangling**
10:00 am	Break
10:15 am	**Finishing & Converting**
10:30 am	**Market Highlight: Filtration**
10:45 am	**Market Highlight: Wipes & Flushability**
11:00 am	**Market Highlight: AHP & Reusables**
11:30 am	**Recap & Questions**
11:45 am	Survey & Lunch