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September 30, 2024

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 1, 2024

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| 9:00 – 9:45 a.m. | Tour Check-in |
| 10:00 a.m. – 3:00 p.m. | <p>Exclusive Tour of LyondellBasell's PO/TBA plant</p> <p><i>Join us for a tour of the largest propylene oxide (PO) and tertiary butyl alcohol (TBA) plant in the world. The Houston-based facility represented the single-largest investment in the company's history, to date. The products produced at the plant are sold to domestic and global customers, with a majority of the products being exported via the Houston Ship Channel. The PO/TBA Project was part of LyondellBasell's \$5-B organic growth program taking place on the U.S. Gulf Coast.</i></p> <p><i>The tour will depart promptly at 10:00 a.m. Details on motorcoach pick up will be forwarded to tour participants. Lunch will be provided, and buses will return to the hotel between 2:30 and 3:00 p.m. depending on traffic. Space is limited, register early.</i></p> |

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 2, 2024

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| 7:30 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. | Registration/Badge pickup |
| 8:30 – 8:35 a.m. | <p>Welcome Remarks: Lee Nichols, <i>Vice President, Content</i></p> |
| 8:35 – 9:05 a.m. | <p>Keynote: Various Options for a Bottomless Refinery.</p> <p>Rajesh Samarth, <i>Chevron Lummus Global CEO</i></p> |

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| <p>TRACK ONE <i>(Greenway Ballroom)</i></p> <p>Session One:</p> <p>Refining – Process Optimization (FCC, Alkylation, Coking, Treating, Hydrocracking) Moderator: Joseph C. Gentry, Vice President - Licensing GTC Vorro Technology, LLC</p> | <p>TRACK TWO <i>(Bluebonnet Room)</i></p> <p>Session Two:</p> <p>Digital Transformation/Evolution (Predictive Analytics, IIoT, Cybersecurity, AR/VR, AI, etc.)</p> |
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| 9:10 – 9:40 a.m. | <p>Off-Gas Treatment to Mitigate Environmental Impact:</p> <p>Suma Ninan, <i>Senior Technical Professional Leader – Process, KBR</i>, Khalid Alshamrani, Project Engineer, Saudi Aramco and Abdul Rahman Habib, Project Management – Lead, Saudi Aramco</p> | <p>Driving Value Maximization with Process Digital Twins and Data Analytics:</p> <p>Sathiyarayanan Arunachalam, <i>Vice President</i></p> |
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| 9:40 - 10:10 a.m. | <p>Fire Heater Debottlenecking and Optimization Strategies:</p> <p>Simbarashe Mambiri, <i>Process Engineer</i></p> | <p>Unified Power and Process Paves the Path To Net Zero:</p> <p>Constantine Lau, <i>Global Director</i></p> |
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| 10:10 – 10:40 a.m. | <p>Needle Coke & Synthetic Graphite: Advancing Performance through Technology Application:</p> <p>AI Faegh, <i>Director Delayed Coking Technology</i></p> | <p>AI For Valve Predictive Maintenance:</p> <p>Jay Hunt, <i>Global Business Development Manager</i></p> |
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| 10:40 – 11:10 a.m. | Networking Refreshment Break | |
| | Session Three: Emerging Process Technologies (Refining and/or Petrochemicals) | Session Four: Catalyst Technologies Moderator: Terry Helton, PhD, Retired, ExxonMobil |
| 11:10 – 11:40 a.m. | Breezon R1270: Pertamina's Natural Refrigerant Revolutionizing Energy Efficiency and Environmental Sustainability: Andrie Prasetyo <i>Polypropylene Process Engineer, Ari Fajar Riyanto, Sr. Specialist III</i> <i>Downstream Research and Perliansyah, Officer I Communication, Relations & Compliance</i>  | Affordable Superior Hydrocracking Catalysts Through Strategic Zeolite Modifications: Kurt Du Mong, <i>Chief Executive Officer</i>  |
| 11:40 a.m. – 12:10 p.m. | | Sinopec Non-Oil Route For Light Olefins Production -The Integration of S-MTO and OCC Process: Dr. Hongxing Liu, <i>Senior Engineer</i>  |
| 12:10 – 12:40 p.m. | Sulfur Removal: A pathway for Energy Reduction and Decarbonization: Rahul Khandelwal, <i>Business Director</i>  | Enhancing Refinery Profitability and Sustainability; Advanced Catalyst Systems for Renewable Fuels: Marc Schreier, <i>Principal Engineer</i>  |
| 12:40 – 1:40 p.m. | Lunch | |
| | Session Five: Green Petrochemicals | Session Six: Energy Efficiency/Plant Optimization |
| 1:40 – 2:10 p.m. | Charting Decarbonization Pathways for Key Primary Petchem Production Routes: Joseph Fallurin, <i>Manager - Oil and Gas Climate Solutions and</i> Catherine Huyett, <i>Senior Associate</i>  | Sustainable Furnace Technologies – a Transformational Pathway to Net Zero: Peter Armstrong, <i>Vice President of Business Development</i>  |
| 2:10 – 2:40 p.m. | Ethylbenzene Production Technology with Diversified Feedstock: Dr. Darui Wang, <i>Vice Director. R&D Division</i>  | Sustainable Process Development and Refinery Integration: Veshal Venkat, <i>Research Engineer</i>  |

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| 2:40 – 3:10 p.m. | Potential Emissions Reduction, Recycling, and Increased Energy Efficiency: Ilya Aranovich, Director of Business Strategy  | Optimization & Sustainability by Effective Concept and Detail Design Of Gas Plant: Saravanavel Muthiah Ponnusamy, <i>Process Engineering Manager</i>  |
| 3:10 – 3:40 p.m. | Networking Refreshment Break | <i>sponsored by</i>  |
| | Session Seven: Hydrogen (Methanol/Ammonia – non-grey hydrogen) | Session Eight: Refining/Petrochemical Feedstocks Moderator: Karl Rufener Sr. Technology Manager, Low Carbon Olefin Production LyondellBasell |
| 3:40 – 4:10 p.m. | Pathway to monetize CO2: E-Fuels: Louis Courtaud, <i>Technology Engineer</i>  | Innovating Around Fischer Tropsch Technology: Breakthrough Technology Enabling Scalable, Feedstock Flexible, and Economical Sustainable Fuels: Sanjiv Dabee, <i>VP of Engineering</i>  |
| 4:10 – 4:40 p.m. | | Plastic Pyrolysis Oils as Feedstock for Steam Crackers: Opportunities and Challenges: Dr. Harald Schmaderer, <i>Head of Chemical Technology Services</i>  |
| 4:40 – 5:40 p.m. | Networking Reception | |
| THURSDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2024 | | |
| 7:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. | Registration/Badge pickup | |
| 8:30 – 8:35 a.m. | Welcome Remarks | |
| 8:35 – 9:05 a.m. | Keynote: Learnings from a reactor explosion: Towards safer start-ups of catalysts systems. Adrienne Van Kooperen, PhD, Senior Technical Services Engineer & Hydrocracking Specialist, Shell  <i>An unease around potential high temperature and pressures during fresh Catalyst and adsorbent start-ups, leading to situations where design pressure and temperature are exceeded, made Shell create the Catalyst Safety Assessment (CSA) methodology.</i> <i>The objective is to increase focus on risks during transient phases of start-ups with fresh catalysts and adsorbents within and from Shell. Conducting the CSA, which is a team exercise involving cross-functional technical experts (the CSA team), enables Shell to learn from upsets during start-ups and reduces the risk of safety incidents.</i> | |
| 9:05 – 9:35 a.m. | Keynote: Solutions for a Circular Plastic Economy Mariane Maximous, <i>Vice President, Feedstock and Mechanical Recycling, Circular and Low-Carbon Solutions</i>  | |
| 9:35 – 10:05 a.m. | Downstream Market Intelligence: John Royall, <i>President & CEO</i> , and Thad Pittman, <i>Senior Research Analyst</i> <i>An overview of downstream project data including new data sets on hydrogen, renewables, global pipelines, and LNG will be presented.</i> |  |
| 10:05 – 10:35 a.m. | Networking Refreshment Break | |

| | TRACK ONE <i>(Greenway Ballroom)</i> Session Nine: Carbon Capture/Emissions Reduction | TRACK TWO <i>(Bluebonnet Room)</i> Session Ten: Biofuels, Alternative/Clean/Renewable Fuels |
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| 10:35 - 11:05 a.m. | Next Generation of Olefin Production: Emission and Energy Efficiency: Ghoncheh Rasouli, <i>Product Management Consultant</i>  | Tackle Operational Challenges with FCC Coprocessing Applications: Kevin Yao, <i>Technical Services Engineer</i>  |
| | Session Eleven: Maintenance, Inspection, and Reliability/Corrosion | Session Twelve: Process Controls, Instrumentation and Automation |
| 11:05 – 11:35 a.m. | Innovations in Coating Technologies for Corrosion Control and Fouling Prevention in Harsh Hydrocarbon Processing Environments: Dr. Fadila Khelfaoui, <i>Corporate Engineer, Metallurgy</i> and Luc Vernhes, <i>Director, Business Development</i>  | The Process Control Journey: Advanced Process Control: Muhammed Ahmed, <i>Principal Architect, Digital Value Assur</i>  |
| 11:35 a.m. – 12:05 p.m. | Dynamic Simulation for Green Hydrogen Production: A Novel, Collaborative Approach by ABB and CORYS: Graham Provost, <i>Vice President of Strategy and Business Development</i>  | Optimizing Combustion Processes for Safety and Efficiency: Tim Tallon, <i>Combustion Product Manager</i>  |
| 12:05 – 1:05 p.m. | Lunch | |
| | Session Thirteen: Process Optimization | Session Fourteen: Sustainability |
| 1:05 – 1:35 p.m. | Safe Innovative Approach for Commissioning & Startup of Mega Oil Refinery Complex: Syed Abdul Wahab Ali, <i>Team Lead Naphtha Block-Process Engineer</i> and Shehab Refai, <i>Supervisor North Refinery- Lead Process Engineer</i>  | How Oil Companies Can Lead in The Energy Transition: Greener Today and Sustainable Tomorrow: Peter Le  |
| 1:35– 2:05 p.m. | | Accelerate Your Sustainability Program: Douglas White, <i>Principal, Consultant</i>  |
| 2:05 – 2:35 p.m. | Networking Refreshment Break | |

| Session Fifteen: Circular Economy/Chemical Recycling | |
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| 2:35 – 3:05 p.m. | Hydrochemolytic Technology: A Cost-Effective Alternative to Pyrolysis for The Chemical Recycling of Mixed Plastic Waste: Eric Appelman, <i>Chief Revenue Officer</i> and Abe Dyck, <i>Corporate Development</i>  |
| 3:05 – 3:35 p.m. | Plastic Circularity: Solutions For Plastic Recycling and Utilization of Plastic-Derived Oils In Petrochemical And Refining Units: Aashish Gaurav, <i>Senior Technology Manager, Plastics Recycling</i>  |
| 3:35 – 4:05 p.m. | Novel Additized Solvent Package for Defouling Adamant Asphaltenic Deposits In Heavy Hydrocarbon Process And Storage Units: Dr. Ramesh Kandaneli, <i>Manager</i>  |
| 4:05 – 4:10 p.m. | Closing remarks |