

Past Presidents Panel


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PDA – The Formative Years

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First Organizational Meeting

Neil Darrish – SPI
Tom & Marcia Davis – Visuron
Tom Leaverton – ProSet
Bob Zimmerman – Huntsman
David Cerchie – Versaflex
Greg Livingston – PCSI
Ray Scott – UOP
Brian Bowers - ASTC
Dan Benedict – SPI Urethane Foam Div

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PDA Organizational Meetings

1999 Las Vegas WOC Neil Darrish – SPI
 1999 Chicago UOP Offices Ken Bowman, Robstan Selected
 1999 Kansas City Robstan Offices Officers Elected
 2000 Orlando WOC Announced 1st Annual Meeting Fall 2000

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PDA First Meetings

Nov 2000 New Orleans ~175 Godinich
 Nov 2001 Orlando 181 Godinich
 Nov 2002 San Antonio 232 Primeaux
 Aug 2003 Reno 193 Scott
 Mar 2004 Tampa 216 Scott
 Mar 2005 Biloxi 229 Bower

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First Officers

	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004
President	Chris Godinich	Chris Godinich	Dudley Primeaux	Ray Scott	Ray Scott
President-Elect	Dudley Primeaux	Dudley Primeaux	Ray Scott	Greg Livingston	Greg Livingston
Past President / Vice Pre	Ray Scott	Ray Scott	Chris Godinich	Dudley Primeaux	Dudley Primeaux
Secy / Treasure	David Cerchie	David Cerchie	David Cerchie	Murph Mahaffey	Murph Mahaffey

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First Boards of Directors

Gudson Arnason – GA Exports
 Doug Commette – Gusmer
 Tom Davis – Visuron
 Dan Helton – SPI
 Greg Livingston – PCSI
 Murph Mahaffey – Glascraft
 Tom Matheson – Matheson
 Tom McCann – Const Related Srv
 Tom Murphy – Chapman
 Lee Bower – PCSI
 Lyle Cummings - Hotspray Ind Cgts

Tom Leaverton - ProSet
 David Cerchie - Versaflex
 Rob Loomis – Willamette Valley
 Len Gombert – Gombert Organization
 John Leon – Freedom Technologies
 David Preston – Protective Coatings
 David Zabinski - Huntsman
 Paul Grubbs – Dorsett & Jackson
 Eugene Lee - Epmar
 Brian Zumbolo - Graco
 Bill Hrynklewicz - Gusmer

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International Directors

Toji Nagai – Japan
 Norm English – Australia
 Mattias Sikorski – Germany
 Umile Gianluca - Italy

Weibo Wang - China
 Hann Soo Yoon - Korea
 Christiane Hackl - Germany

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Questions?

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There has been debate about what constitutes a "pure" polyurea. What are your thoughts?

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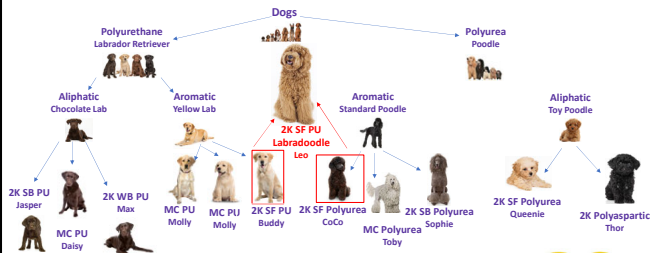
PDA defines a "pure" polyurea as: A pure polyurea coating / elastomer is derived from the reaction product of a polyisocyanate component and an amine-terminated resin blend. For reference purposes, a polyurethane / polyurea hybrid coating / elastomer is the reaction product of a polyisocyanate component and a resin blend component. The resin blend may be made up of blends of amine-terminated and / or hydroxyl-terminated polymer resins.

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However, you can have Hybrids of these technologies, such as:




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Do you think eco-friendly polyureas will be a positive or a negative influence on the industry?


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Where do you see the “new market” for the polyurea contractors in the coming years (food industry, drinking water applications, etc.)?


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Additionally, Is there a geographical location that is “up and coming” in the polyurea industry that contractors should pay attention to?

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What changes or advances have been made over the years in equipment for spraying polyurea?

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Based on mergers and acquisitions that have happened during the past two years, do you think this is good for the industry?

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In one word – Consolidation
Consolidation occurring not only in the SPF and Coatings market ...



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