



AUTOMOTIVE COMPOSITES ALLIANCE

The mission of the Automotive Composites Alliance (ACA) is to serve as the composites industry's source of expert information for automotive, truck, bus, and rail industries to OEM's and the media by representing composites manufacturers and material suppliers who actively promote the benefits and use of composites for these industries.

Activities and Achievements:

- **Engaged** with major automotive OEMs including Honda, Ford, GM, and VW to present composites technology to provide solutions to the automotive industry's needs.
- **Developed** and supported the ACMA Composites Technology Day program featuring an exhibition and parts display, private technology presentations in a curated technical program and direct engagement with the engineering community aimed to create business opportunities for ACMA members.
- **Learned** about industry market opportunities and trends and critical business information to help make better decisions on where to allocate company resources based on the information and market data provided by S&P Global.
- **Collaborated** on and contributed to the development of a composites automotive technology roadmap to detail R&D investments needed to grow the automotive market.
- **Participated** in the ACMA Policy Fly-In's on Capitol Hill to educate congressional legislators on important areas of technology using composites in automotive manufacturing.

Current and Future Projects:

- **Education:** Planning and executing several ACMA Composites Technology Days per year at major automotive OEMs including Hyundai-Kia, GM, and Ford. Educate OEMs, government officials, and end-users regarding the various materials and process opportunities composites have to offer.
- **Outreach:** Engagement with automotive OEMs to learn their critical needs and manufacturing objectives to implement composites technology.
- **Advocacy:** Educating Congressional Legislators on Capitol Hill on the impact and use of composites in automotive.

For more information or to join this committee, contact the Composites Growth Initiative at cgi@acmanet.org.



MEMBERSHIP

Manufacturers:

- ✓ Ashley Industrial Molding Inc
- ✓ Avient
- ✓ Core Molding Technologies, Inc.
- ✓ Hanwha Azdel, Inc.
- ✓ LyondellBasell
- ✓ McClarin Composites
- ✓ Molded Fiber Glass Companies
- ✓ Rassini International
- ✓ Teijin Automotive Technologies

Affiliates:

- ✓ Cegep Saint-Jerome
- ✓ Clemson Composite Center
- ✓ Composites Association of New Zealand (CANZ)
- ✓ Lucintel
- ✓ Kansas State University
- ✓ Kansas Polymer Research Center
- ✓ University of Delaware - CCM
- ✓ University Of Maine – Advanced Structures and Composites Center
- ✓ University Of Massachusetts Lowell
- ✓ University of Tennessee Knoxville
- ✓ Washtenaw Community College

Suppliers and Distributors:

- ✓ Alformet
- ✓ AOC
- ✓ Aramco Services Company
- ✓ Arkema, Inc.
- ✓ Armacell, LLC
- ✓ Baltek Inc.
- ✓ Covestro LLC
- ✓ Composites One, LLC
- ✓ IDI Composites International
- ✓ INEOS Composites
- ✓ Interplastic Corporation
- ✓ IPCO US, LLC
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- ✓ Luna Innovations, Inc
- ✓ Lyten Inc.
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- ✓ Nippon Electric Glass Co., Ltd.
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- ✓ SGL Carbon Fibers, LLC
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- ✓ United Initiators, Inc.
- ✓ Vectorply Corporation
- ✓ Vibrant Corporation
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- ✓ Zoltek Corporation