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# **GUMFERENCE**

Gumference 2017 – seminar of joint Czech-Bavarian research project no. 8E15B007

**Topic:**

## **„Rubber aging phenomena“**

**Programme:**

Registration 8:00 – 9:00

Opening words 9:00 – 9:15 Prof. Vladimír Sedlařík,  
Director of Centre of polymer systems

Poster session will be arranged during the complete  
seminar in the foyer of CPS

### **1st Session – Plenary lecture**

#### **9:15 – 10:00 Prof. Alexander Lion:**

A model to describe the crystallisation of  
rubber under strain and temperature  
(Universität der Bundeswehr München)

### **2nd Session – Research session**

#### **10:00 – 10:30 Dr.-Ing. Michael Johlitz:**

How to determine ageing of polymers? Basics, experimental methods and modelling approaches  
(Universität der Bundeswehr München)

#### **10:30 – 11:00 Dr.-Ing. Radek Stoček:**

Ageing influence on the Intrinsic Strength of  
Natural Rubber / Butadiene Rubber Blends  
(Centre of polymer systems)

Coffee break 11:00 - 11:30

### **3rd Session – Industrial session**

#### **11:30 – 12:00 Ing. Zdeno Plevák:**

Influence of thermal degradation of butyl rubber compound (Continental A.G.)

#### **12:00 – 12:30 Ing. Jana Voldánová:**

The dynamic ageing of vulcanizates – DMA method vs. Crack growth rate (Trelleborg)

Lunch break 12:30 - 13:30

### **4rd Session – Research session**

#### **13:30 – 14:00 Dr.-Ing. Katrin Reincke:**

Influence of antioxidant type on the thermo-oxidative aging of rubber vulcanizates  
(Martin Luther University Halle-Wittenberg)

#### **14:00 – 14:30 Dr.-Ing. Ronny Behnke:**

Thermo-mechanical analysis of steady state rolling tires with respect to thermal damage  
(TU Dresden)

#### **14:30 – 15:00 Prof. Vratislav Ducháček:**

Chemical aspects of thermomechanical degradation of rubbers (VŠCHT Praha)

**Poster session incl. coffee break** 15:00 – 15:45

**Pannel discussion** 15:45 – 16:15

**Closing words** 16:15 – 16:20

**Tour in to the laboratory of CPS** 16:30 – 17:00