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51st LEEDS LYON

SYMPOSIUM ON TRIBOLOGY
A PATHWAY TO
DECARBONISATION



Sponsorship & Exhibition Offer

We are pleased to announce that the **51st Leeds-Lyon Symposium on Tribology** will be held in Lyon, on **September 2-4, 2026**.

Created in 1974 by Pr. Dowson (Leeds University) and Pr. Godet (INSA Lyon), the **Leeds-Lyon Symposium on Tribology** is one of the **leading** and oldest **congress in tribology in the world** organised every year alternatively in Leeds and Lyon. With around **300 participants from academic and industry** coming from about **30 countries**, this symposium aims **to promote contacts and exchanges between participants** in the unique peaceful venue of Valpré.

This 51st edition is dedicated to **“A pathway to decarbonisation”**:

Humanity is facing urgent environmental and sustainability challenges. The need to decarbonise industrial processes, transportation, and energy production is more pressing than ever, while the responsible use of raw materials has become a crucial issue in modern engineering.

Tribology, the science of friction, wear, and lubrication, plays a key role in meeting these challenges by improving energy efficiency, extending the lifespan of components, and reducing material consumption. From low-friction coatings to sustainable lubricants, from advanced surface engineering to wear-resistant materials, tribology is at the heart of innovative solutions that help reduce greenhouse gas emissions and optimise resource usage. Whether in wind energy, e-mobility, aerospace, or manufacturing, tribological advancements contribute significantly to a more sustainable future.

The **51st Leeds-Lyon Symposium on Tribology** will explore how tribology contributes to decarbonisation efforts across multiple sectors.

Topics of interest include:

- Friction reduction for energy savings
- Eco-friendly lubrication and sustainable materials
- Tribology role in e-mobility and renewable energy technologies
- Surface engineering to enhance durability and reduce material waste
- Life cycle analysis of tribological systems



Why become a sponsor or exhibitor?

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BE VISIBLE

- The Leeds-Lyon Symposium will bring together top researchers and industry representatives from around the world
 - Enhance your company profile among participants

SHOWCASE YOUR INNOVATIONS

- The Leeds-Lyon Symposium is a unique place to showcase your latest innovations, launch and confront new products, ideas, solutions to the research community
 - Give your business maximum visibility and strengthen your brand awareness

GENERATE SALES OPPORTUNITIES

- The Leeds-Lyon Symposium offers you a unique opportunity to network with specialists, seek out international partners and position your products and services with experts
 - Launch new products and highlight existing ones, generate sales leads on the tribology sector

MEET BRILLIANT STUDENTS

- The Leeds-Lyon Symposium is a unique opportunity to improve your network, communicate your message to a highly qualified scientific community, and benefit from a rich networking agenda and social program. PhD students are invited to participate and will be delighted to discover the job opportunities within your company.
 - Attracting new talent and building relationships for the future

Sponsorship packages

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1 000 €
- Your logo visible (at the silver level) on the program, website, signs and all marketing materials
 - After the event “Thank you email” to all participants with your logo
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- 1 complimentary registration (external + banquet)
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- Diamond level**
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- 2 complimentary registrations (external + banquet)
 - 50% discount on other registrations for up to two representatives
 - Your logo visible (at the diamond level) on the program, website, signs and all marketing materials
 - Your logo (and possibly your kakemono) visible during the poster awards ceremony
 - Promotional material included in the delegate kit (A4 - 2 pages maximum)
 - After the event “Thank you email” to all participants with your logo

Exhibitor packages

The exhibition will be held alongside the conference, providing you with the opportunity to network with delegates, showcase your products, generate new sales leads and increase your visibility within the scientific community. Exhibitor space will be located in the break and poster room.

- 4 000 €**
- Bare surface area of 2 m² with 1 table + chairs + electrical connection
 - Possibility of displaying your promotional material, including 1 roll-up or 1 kakemono
 - Highlighting your logo on various media
 - 1 complimentary registration (external + banquet)
- 5 000 €**
- Bare surface area of 4 m² with 2 tables + chairs + electrical connection
 - Possibility of displaying your promotional material, including 1 roll-up or 1 kakemono
 - Highlighting your logo on various media
 - 2 complimentary registrations (external + banquet)

Other opportunities

- 1 500 €**
- Your logo on the badge lanyards
- 1 500 €**
- Your logo on the travel bags
- 3 000 €**
- Your logo on the goodies
- 3 000 €**
- Sponsor the Poster Party (Wednesday evening) – Your logo on site
- 5 000 €**
- Sponsor the Banquet dinner (Thursday evening) – Your logo on site

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