



## Call for 2024 AGM Papers

34<sup>th</sup> ELGI AGM

20<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2024

NHC Eurobuilding Hotel Madrid Spain

## Beyond Lithium: "Take the Bull by the Horns"

Would you be interested in presenting a paper on the above mentioned theme at our 2024 AGM Madrid Spain?

### The 2024 themed topics of interest can include:

- *Thickeners with superior performance at competitive costs.*
- *Improved production processes with reduced energy demand and lower CO2 emissions.*
- *Novel, lithium-free thickening technologies.*
- *Additives and base oils that improve the performance of lithium-free lubricating greases.*
- *Forgotten metal soaps that can replace lithium soap greases in certain applications.*
- *Alternatives to lithium and/or lithium complex greases.*
- *Rise of the "back-up" technologies, what industries and applications are in focus?*
- *Novel solutions to reduce reliance on lithium-based greases.*
- *Performance enhancement of lithium free greases by use of new/novel combinations of additives and base oils.*
- *Will the shrinking dominance of lithium based grease/increased sustainability demands affect end-user investment in lubrication knowledge?*
- *Sustainable solutions for formulation and/or processes.*

Papers that tie in with the 2024 theme will be given high priority. \*\* Topics are not limited to the above criteria, other topics of interest to the grease industry are welcome and will be considered for presentation too. We have 14 slots for presentations, so do submit your paper topic and abstract by 20<sup>th</sup> October 2023.

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