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TR Fastenings' Andrew Fletcher to speak on plastic fasteners at Engineering Solutions Live 2022



TR Fastenings is delighted to be supporting this year's Engineering Solutions Live Show, on 24th March 2022 at the British Motor Museum in Gaydon, Warwickshire.

The show is the UK's one-stop shop for thought leadership and meeting new contacts in the engineering sector. It provides visitors with the opportunity to visit market-leading solutions providers, networking with senior decision-makers from across the UK whilst boosting knowledge during expert-led seminars.

Andrew Fletcher, Director of Plastics & Rubber (Commercial & Technical) at TR Fastenings, will be presenting an 'Introduction to Plastic Fasteners' in a Fastening and Joining session. He will cover the key opportunities and challenges that exist around plastic fasteners and will provide an insight into best practices around specifying the most suitable product for an application. The seminar will also cover the important aspects to consider to help prevent product failures and costly design changes and give guidance on the common mistakes to avoid.

Andrew will examine some basic properties of plastic fastener materials and will cover the features and benefits of typical fastener types. He will round off the session with a look at how TR can offer collaborative support to customers to ensure that the right part is specified first time.

The five key takeaways from the seminar will be:

1. Importance of early design collaboration

2. Steps to establishing the best type of fastener for an application
3. Understanding of basic properties of popular fastener materials
4. Features and benefits of plastic fastener types
5. Common mistakes to avoid when choosing a plastic fastener

TR will also be exhibiting during the show and will be on Stand 32. If you are not able to attend the seminar, do please visit us and meet the team on the day.

More about Andrew

Andrew Fletcher is the Director of Plastics & Rubber (Commercial & Technical) at Trifast plc. Before joining in February 2021, he was Managing Director and Technical Director at Optimas Solutions, previously known as Heyco then Anixter. He spearheaded New Product Introductions, managing the entire process from initial inception through to final product launch. With more than 27 years in his field, Andrew is highly regarded due to his deep knowledge of the industry.

