Martin McLeod

Martin MacLeod, recently retired from the Pulp & Paper Research Institute of Canada (PAPRICAN), has more than 30 years experience in applying fundamentals of kraft pulping to improving mill operations. He has a worldwide reputation as an author and instructor of kraft pulping, pulp quality, and pulp strength delivery on kraft mill fibrelines.

Martin has been a member of PAPTAC since 1965 and is also a TAPPI fellow. In 1997, he received TAPPI’s Pulp Manufacture Division Technical Award and the Johan C.F.C. Richter Prize. He now teaches, writes, and does technical consulting.

COURSE FACULTY

Steve McDonald

Steve was Senior Process Manager for Metso Paper USA, Inc., responsible for displacement batch cooking systems. He has more than 20 years of experience in kraft pulping, process design, controls, operations mill start-ups, and troubleshooting. He recently joined MeadWestvaco.

Dave Lebel

As Manager of Process Technology for Andritz Inc. Dave has more than 20 years of experience in the pulp and paper industry. He specializes in the design, operation, and troubleshooting of continuous digesters, brownstock washing systems, and bleach plants. He has participated in many start-ups of new mills.

MILL VISIT

Course participants will go on a half-day customized tour of Weyerhaeuser's Longview (WA) kraft pulp mill. Built in the mid-1990s, this mill was designed to produce approximately 1200 tpd of bleached kraft pulp for three kinds of products – fine papers, newsprint reinforcement, and paperboard – from two different softwood furnishes and one hardwood one, requiring frequent fibreline swings among various grades. Pulp is made in a two-vessel hydraulic Kamyr digester operating in LoSolids mode, followed by a pressure diffuser. Medium-consistency oxygen delignification is done in a Sunds (now Metso) single-stage reactor with wash presses fore and aft. A Kamyr (now Andritz) DEopD bleach plant uses diffusion washers on the tops of the towers, and delivers bleached pulp into high-density storage at 85%+ brightness.
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