

ALUMINUM ANODIZERS COUNCIL

REGIONAL FORUM

Tuesday, July 22, 2025
Crowne Plaza Minneapolis West
Plymouth, Minnesota

Schedule

8:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m.	Registration and Breakfast
8:30 a.m. - 8:40 a.m.	Introduction (Michael McGinty, BASF/Chemetall)
8:40 a.m. - 9:40 a.m.	“Process Control and Effective Troubleshooting” (Kevin Janis, Reliant Aluminum Products)
9:40 a.m. – 10:40 a.m.	“Anodizing Pretreatment: Etching/Deoxidizing” (Michael McGinty, BASF/Chemetall)
10:40 a.m. – 10:50 a.m.	Break
10:50 a.m. – 11:50 p.m.	“Coloring of Anodized Aluminum” (Pinakin Patel, Techevon, LLC)
11:50 a.m. – Noon	“AAC Technical Bulletin”
Noon - 1:00 p.m.	Lunch
1:00 p.m. – 1:15 p.m.	Travel to AaCron Anodizing
1:15 p.m. – 2:45 p.m.	Plant Tour – AaCron Anodizing
2:45 a.m. – 3:00 p.m.	Travel to Hotel
3:00 p.m. - 4:00 p.m.	Question and Answer Session

Regional Forum speakers, as well as representatives of AaCron Anodizing will be on hand to answer your questions, field your comments, or try to help you solve a problem. This is a great opportunity to share with and learn from other anodizers.

4:00 p.m. Adjourn