

ADVANCEMENTS FOR METAL BUILDINGS

# CONGRESS

**AMSTERDAM 26. - 27. OCT. 2023**



The light metal construction method is a young and dynamic process. Modern requirements with regard to energy savings, environmental protection and standardization within the European Market require closer cooperation in order to meet today's challenges.

In order to achieve these aims, PPA-Europe, the European Association for Panels and Profiles and IFBS, the International Association for Metal Building Envelopes,

are working closely together. They complete each other in order to bring expertise on product quality, on adequate installation and on efficient advocacy at European level.

This congress will offer the participants the opportunity to operate in a network across the association borders, with the aim of both information exchange and building up new business partnerships. We have compiled a selection of subjects for you which include both current

information about manufacturing and sales of your products as well as prospects for their use. This year the focus is on the sustainable use of metal products and a sustainable metal building envelope.

We are pleased to invite all those interested to this congress. Participation does not require membership.

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**We are looking forward to greeting you in Amsterdam!**

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# THURSDAY

26. OCT. 2023

10:30 PPA-Europe  
General Assembly



13:00 Buffet lunch

14:00 Congress | Opening

14:05 Harry Gatterer | Zukunftsinstitut

## The Future is Human

Arthur ten Wolde | Circular Future

## New EU regulations fostering sustainable business

15:45 Coffee Break

16:15 Nikolaos Emmanouil | Group Life Cycle Assessment  
Specialist Regulatory Affairs | ROCKWOOL A/S

## Policy frameworks and Life Cycle Assessment in construction

Lars Courage | COURAGE architecten

## COLOUR TALKS

17:30 End

18:00 Boat trip (until about: 19:30)

20:00 Walking Dinner in the congress hotel's "SkyLounge Amsterdam" sponsored by Tata Steel



### Registration fee: € 410,00

For registration and detailed congress information, please visit the websites:  
[www.ppa-europe.eu](http://www.ppa-europe.eu) · [www.ifbs.eu](http://www.ifbs.eu)

\* Congress will run only in English language

# FRIDAY

27. OCT. 2023

09:00 Congress

09:05 Johannes Poppenberg | BASF Polyurethanes GmbH

## Constructing a sustainable sandwich panel with BASF

Bernd Döring | Solar-Institute Jülich

## Climate neutral heating and cooling of large light-weight buildings

Stefan Landesz | Tata Steel Colors

## Journey of Tata Steel Netherlands Colors in Europe: Differentiation and Sustainability

Piet Vitse | Pittsburgh Corning Europe

## KEYMARK products, QUALITY you can trust

11:00 Coffee Break

11:30 Jan Noordegraaf | Innograaf BV

## Renovating steel superstructure supported flat roof with PV systems and light weight fire safe insulation

Marco Imperadori | Politecnico di Milano &

Bernard Plancade | ROCKWOOL Core Solutions

## Introducing ROCKWOOL technical book: Construction with stone wool insulated sandwich panels

Albert Kassies | TATA Steel Europe

## Our journey to clean, green and circular steel

13:00 End of congress

13:05 Buffet lunch (until about: 14:00)

13:30



**Optional:** Visit of Tata Steel plant Ijmuiden (Bus transfer)

After arrival: • short presentation about the site  
• site tour per bus  
• visit of the hot strip mill

18:00

## HOTEL

### **Double Tree by Hilton Amsterdam Central**

Oosterdoksstraat 4  
Amsterdam, 1011 DK  
Netherlands

## NOTE

This meeting has to comply with the European Competition Law and the common norms of conduct for the maintenance of anti-trust regulations for the association and its members (PPA-Europe, October 2019 and IFBS, May 2019).



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