

2023 Field Trip

Closing the Innovation Gap: Reducing the Impact of Materials as they move into Tier 1 & 2



For example, did you know that treating cellulosic materials with dyes and chemistry changes the fundamental make-up of the biodegradability of the original material. The tour would be led by scientists covering three interactive sessions: Applying Chemistry to Materials, Microfibre Shedding & Mitigation Strategies, and Material Degradation at End of Life.

Field Trip Location: Sheffield, UK

Duration of Tour: 1 Day

Date of Field Trip: Friday, October 27.

Arrival Details: Arrive in Sheffield by 11am (2 hours by train from London St. Pancras)

Departure Details: Depart by 3pm.

Who can attend? Anyone is welcome (some restrictions may apply).

Cost to Attendees: 150 USD

What is included (provided by Xeros Technology):

- Food and drink during the tour.
- Ground transportation from train station to lab in Sheffield.

Attendees are responsible for:

- Train ticket from London to Sheffield (Round trip).
- Meals, incidentals, etc. that fall outside of the tour.

Please only sign up for this Field Trip if you intend to attend. Field Trip Hosts spend time and financial resources to provide this opportunity for our attendees. ***No-shows will be charged an additional 250 USD (400 USD total) to help the Field Trip host cover out of pocket expenses.**

Textile Exchange is facilitating this Field Trip alongside the conference and is not responsible for any details of the trip being offered. Attendee contact information will be shared with the tour host for details and communication about the Field Trip.

Neither Textile Exchange nor the Tour Host are responsible for the negligence of attendees. Out of courtesy for others attending, the tour will remain on schedule as per the agenda outlined by the Tour Host. No exceptions will be made for late pick-ups, early drop-offs or any variants to the schedule. It is the sole responsibility of the attendee to ensure his or her travel is planned in accordance with the agenda shared by the tour host.