

### **ACS GCI Formulator's Roundtable**

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#### **Overview**

- General Background
- Membership & Mission
- 2008 Year in Review
- 2009 Forecast
- Value Proposition



#### **ACS GCI Roundtables**

- ✓ Industrial sector based
- ✓ Focus on the technical aspects related to green chemistry implementation
- ✓ Non-competitive and pre-competitive environment managed by code of conduct and antitrust guidelines
- ✓ Capitalize on the independent, scientific position of ACS GCI
- ✓ Governed and operated by the members



# **ACS GCI Formulator's Roundtable Membership Definition**

Any corporation, or subsidiary, division or unit thereof, significantly engaged in the formulation of soap, detergents and cleaning preparations and/or perfumes, cosmetics, and other toilet preparations under his or its own brand names.

This includes all corporations identifying with SIC Industry Group 284.

Annual membership contributions = \$1,000 - \$10,000 (according to annual sales volume)



#### Members as of 5/6/09









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# **Prospective Members**

- Ecolab
- Method
- Procter & Gamble
- Reckitt Benckiser
- Staples
- Sysco
- Unilever



# **Management Team**

- Co-Chairs:
  - David Long, ACS GCI
  - Stan "Doc" Weller, Zep, Inc.
- Two representatives from cleanser (personal care) companies:
  - Rob Predale, Johnson & Johnson
  - Phil Sliva, Access Business Group
- Two representatives from cleaner companies:
  - I&I company: Bob Israel, JohnsonDiversey
  - Consumer products company: Herb Vanderbilt, Bissell Homecare Inc.
- ACS GCI Director:
  - Bob Peoples



#### **ACS GCI Formulator's Roundtable**

#### **Mission:**

To be a driving force in the formulated products industry to use Green Chemistry in creating innovative products that are environmentally sustainable throughout its product life cycle and safer to make and use.

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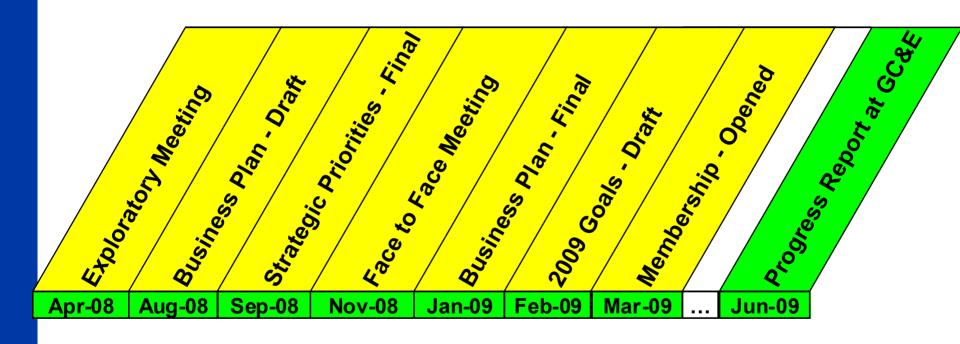


# **Strategic Priorities**

- Promote transparency and consistency through a set of green chemistry principles for formulated products.
- Drive good science in the development of environmentally preferred products standard/ certification.
- Inform and influence suppliers and academia to develop greener alternatives.
- Be recognized leaders in Green Chemistry.
- Incorporate risk-based decision making into green chemistry.



# **ACS GCI Formulator's Roundtable 1 Year Progress**



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# **2009 Projected Plan**

Identify Mgmt. Team								
Drive good science in technical standard development								
	Recogni Formula	ze Princip tors	oles for					
	Define T Concern	•	rmulation					
	Improve Sharing of Non-Proprietary Information relevant to Green Assessment  Develop collaborations to alternatives to areas of co							
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						Set 2009 Objectives		
Apr-09	May-09	Jun-09	Jul-09	Aug-09	Sep-09	Oct-09	Nov-09	Dec-09

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# **Value Proposition**

The Roundtable provides...

- + A discussion forum for common technical challenges
- + A unified voice on emerging issues
- + Research funding\* on areas of particular interest to formulators
- + An opportunity to pool intellectual resources to influence as an industrial sector
- + An avenue to emphasize good science in standard setting



# **Publicity**

- Ever Greener Cleaners Stephen K. Ritter, Chemical & Engineering News, 87(1), December 29, 2008
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   limp along, products promoted for their environmental benefits are posting
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- Green chemistry gains momentum Cynthia Challener, ICIS.com, January 19, 2009
- Webpage: Link found on <u>www.acs.org/greenchemistry</u>



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- SC Johnson & Son, Inc.
- Seventh Generation
- Zep, Inc.
- All prospective members

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