



2008 MICHIGAN WINE INDUSTRY ANNUAL MEETING

Wine Filtration Workshop

Location: Crystal Mountain Resort, Thompsonville, Michigan

Date: Thursday, February 28, 2008

Time: 8:30 am – 11:45 am

Chair: Christian Butzke, Enology Professor, Purdue University
2nd Vice President, American Society for Enology and Viticulture

Coordinator: Linda Jones, Executive Director, Michigan Grape and Wine Industry Council
Michigan Department of Agriculture

Theme: A hands-on review of commercial small-scale wine filtration techniques offering perspectives from leading wine industry suppliers, winemakers and wine scientists. Small groups of participants will rotate between techniques.

Techniques: **I. Pads and DE; CMF Demonstration**
Jim Smith & Gerry Lachut, The Hilliard Corporation

II. Depth-Filters and Sterile Cartridges
Conor O'Hara, Cuno Incorporated

III. Membranes and Cross Flow
Nicole Madrid, Pall Corporation

Agenda:

- 8:30 am** **Welcome, Introduction & Group Assignment**
- 8:40 am** **Filtration Overview**
Dr. Christian Butzke, Purdue University
- 9:25 am** **Rotation 1:** Group A/Technique I; Group B/Technique II; Group C/Technique III
- 10:00 am** **Rotation 2:** Group A/Technique II; Group B/Technique III; Group C/Technique I
- 10:35 am** **Rotation 3:** Group A/Technique III; Group B/Technique I; Group C/Technique II
- 11:10 am** **Filtration Roundtable Discussion w/Local Winemakers**
Dr. Dave Miller, VP of Winemaking and Viticulture, St. Julian Wine Company
- 11:45 am** **Adjournment**