Dr. Kai Yang attended and presented at the Chicago Printing Ink Production Club Technical Meeting and dinner with coworker Maria Heinz from Evonik and distributors from Palmer Holland.

Following his presentation “Evonik - Sustainability for Printing Inks” on 03/19/2024 after dinner Dr. Kai Yang is presented with Chicago Printing Ink Production Club, appreciation and plaque, by Erik Olsen, CPIPC President.

A person holding a plaque with a person standing next to him

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Photo 1 Kai Yang is presented with Chicago Printing Ink Production Club, appreciation and plaque, by Erik Olsen, CPIPC President, for his presentation “Evonik - Sustainability for Printing Inks”

Dr. Kai Yang’s presentation focused on how Sustainability plays a crucial role in the printing inks industry, serving as a threefold risk mitigation concept for our planet, people, and profit. In this presentation, we learned how the printing inks industry can integrate standardized sustainability measurements, such as footprint and handprint, to mitigate risks and promote sustainability across the globe. The audience enjoyed and appreciated this presentation, concluding with further questions about Evonik Corporation's potential approach to tackling enjoyed sustainability challenges in the ink industry and products.

A group of people sitting at a table

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Photo 2 – members and visitors seated before Dr. Kai Yang’s presentation “Evonik - Sustainability for Printing Inks” at Chicago Printing Ink Production Club Technical Meeting. left rear Kathryn Carroll - Palmer Holland, Jason Bambalas - Producers Chemicals. right rear: Adam Cornwell - - Palmer Holland, Lexie Kolono - Palmer Holland

A group of people sitting at a table

Description automatically generatedPhoto 3– Evonik head table await dinner before Dr Kai Yang presentation, Front left: Kai Yang - Evonik, Arshad Khan- IGM,   
rear left: Brayden Pfeiffer - Palmer Holland, Maria Heinz – Evonik, Charles Billstrand INX.

Join us for the next CPIPC meeting. Until next time please find details at [www.CPIPC.org](http://www.CPIPC.org)

Thank you again Dr. Kai Yang, Evonik and Palmer Holland from CPIPC.

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More photos:

A group of people sitting at a table

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Photo 4– CPIPC Executive table: left rear: Jim Kats - Brandt Technologies, Richard Small - Princeton Chemical,   
right rear:- Janene Krul – Producers Chemicals, Duke Thompson – Brandt Technologies, Erik Olson - Producers Chemicals.

Two men sitting at a table

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Photo 5– left: Dam Dimler- Munzing, right :- John Whalen - Kerely ink.

A group of people posing for a photo

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Photo -6 left: Lexie Kolono - Palmer Holland, Dr. Kai Yang, Maria Heinz – Evonik, Jim Kats - Brandt Technologies

A plate of food on a table

Description automatically generated Photo -7 One of several delicious entrée options at La Hacienda De Los Fernando’s Restaurant.