

RUBBERCON 2026

REGISTRATION

APRIL 28 & 29, 2026



2 DAYS FROM 8 AM TO 5 PM



SALONS DE L'AVEYRON | PARIS BERCY

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What is RubberCon?

RubberCon is an international conference dedicated to the rubber industry. Organized by the International Rubber Conference Organisation (IRCO), RubberCon brings together professionals, researchers, scientists, and stakeholders to discuss the latest advancements, trends, and challenges in rubber technology, materials science, and manufacturing.

Topics covered range from innovations in rubber processing, sustainable practices, and material improvements to applications in various sectors such as automotive, aerospace, medical, and consumer goods.

The event usually includes technical presentations, panel discussions, exhibitions, and networking opportunities. RubberCon is held in different countries each year, hosted by national rubber societies that are members of IRCO, which helps bring a global perspective to local issues and innovations in the rubber industry.

ECODESIGN AND RUBBER INNOVATIONS

The **RubberCon 2026** international conference will be held in Paris on April 28th and 29th. This annual event, held alternately in different countries, is coordinated by the national member societies of IRCO (International Rubber Conference Organization).

In 2026, the conference will be organized by **AFICEP**, the French rubber scientific association, under the aegis of **IRCO**.

The main theme of this year's event will be **« Ecodesign and Rubber Innovation »**.

Over the **2 days**, speakers from a wide range of fields - academic and scientific research, technical centers, manufacturers of raw materials and equipment, distributors, elastomer converters, contractors, users and public authorities - will report on the progress of their work and innovations, from materials improvement to product applications, equipment and services, energy efficiency and environmental progress, and future trends and challenges.

The gala dinner will be held on the Seine as a reminder of the opening ceremony of the 2024 Olympic Games.

Finally, Rubbercon 2026 Paris will be the only major rubber and elastomer event in Europe in 2026. So don't hesitate to register to be a part of it!

We look forward to welcoming you to make this
RubberCon 2026 Paris a great success!

REGISTRATION

- **Standard Fee:** 850 €

Fee includes access to the 2 days of conference and the Gala dinner *

- **Student Fee:** 425 €

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Speaker Fee **:

- **Oral Communication / Poster:** 425 €

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**Registration will only be possible after acceptance of the conference proposal by the Scientific Committee

**The boat's capacity being smaller than that of the conference venue, access to the Gala dinner is subject to availability and will be granted in order of registration among those who have confirmed their attendance by RSVP in early 2026.*

Register directly via the following link:

<https://my.weezevent.com/rubbercon-2026-ecodesign-and-rubber-innovations>

ABOUT THE VENUE

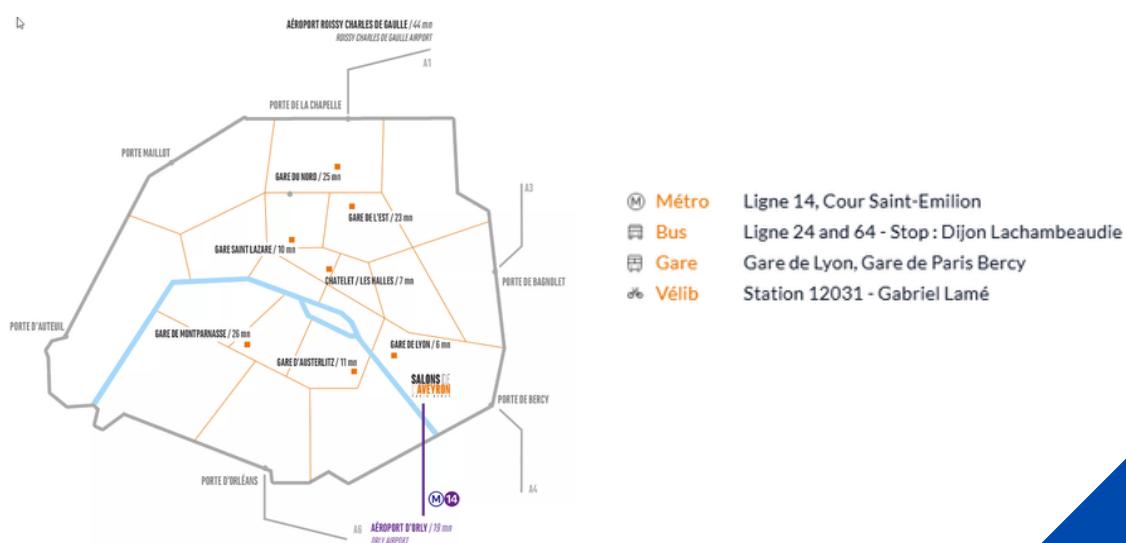
Les Salons de l'Aveyron Paris Bercy is a 1,300 m² modular event space in the heart of the Bercy district, just a stone's throw from the Cour Saint-Émilion and its picturesque Bercy Village. Its bright, modular rooms can comfortably accomodate a large number of people.

Experienced in hosting meetings, conferences, seminars and conventions, a team of professionals will be at our service to ensure a successful event experience for both organizers and attendees and give a new dimension to this 2026 RubberCon.



Where are they ?

Exceptional accessibility via line 14: 20 minutes from Orly airport, directly connected to RER A and C as well as to the main Parisian stations: Gare de Lyon, Châtelet, Gare Saint-Lazare, Bercy.



GALA DINNER

The gala dinner will be held on the Seine as a reminder of the opening ceremony of the 2024 Olympic Games.

Date : Tuesday, April 28, 2026 from 7 PM to midnight.



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**SEE YOU IN
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