



# NEWS ALERT

## Cortec®/Energia Demonstrates Hands-On Corrosion Control at Colombian Corrosion Demo Show

The Corrosion Demo Show on March 1<sup>st</sup>-2<sup>nd</sup> was a rewarding time for Cortec® to join distributor Energia Integral Andina in providing hands-on demonstrations of Cortec's VpCI® Technology in Colombia.

The two-day conference was organized by the Colombia Association of Corrosion Engineers (ACICOR) and NACE International, with the support and participation of CIC (Corrosion Research Corporation) and ICP (Columbia Petroleum Institute). It was held at the Santander Industrial University in Piedecuesta, Santander, Colombia. In addition to technical paper presentations, the event focused on practical hands-on application activities at exhibitor booths located on the university campus.

Dario Dell'Orto (Cortec® VP International Sales) joined William Mejia (Project Development Manager) and Martha Liliana Castiblanco (Sales Coordinator) of Energia Integral Colombia at its booth devoted mainly to rust-removal demos. Visitors to the booth had the chance to apply VpCI®-422 or VpCI®-423 to rusty metal parts (some of which belonged to attendees or other exhibitors), neutralize them with VpCI®-414, and in some cases apply VpCI®-386 clear coat.



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As the only corrosion inhibitor exhibit at the show, Cortec®/Energia drew a good amount of attention, especially from students of Santander and other universities hearing about Cortec® solutions for the first time. These connections will provide opportunities for Energia to follow up with future young professionals who will one day be integrated into the industrial world of Colombian manufacturing companies.



During the conference, Cortec®/Energia also had the chance to promote continued cooperation with ACICOR by discussing with Eng. Judith Chovil (ACICOR President) the possibility of organizing special seminars to demonstrate Cortec's VpCI® Technology and its practical application to industry. Cortec® is grateful for these opportunities and looks forward to ongoing work and growth with Energia and ACICOR in Colombia!



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