TRAINING CALENDAR 2026

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CHESTERTON UNIVERSITY

North America

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Chesterton 2026 North American Training Calendar

Global Training is excited to announce the 2026 North American training schedule. These sessions are open to all Chesterton Specialists and Distributors and feature a comprehensive lineup covering our full product portfolio—designed for both new and experienced professionals.

Our objective is to strengthen product knowledge and support your success in promoting and selling Chesterton solutions.

Throughout the year, we will host a wide range of webinars, with invitations sent two weeks prior to each session. In addition, be on the lookout for industry-specific schools which will be scheduled and held at locations across North America.

Course	Overview	Start Date	Duration	Instructor	Location	Cost
March						
~~**Basic Level I Packing School**~~	This program is designed for new specialists or those looking to grow sales of core packing and gasket products. Participants will learn equipment and product fundamentals, including principles, materials, failure modes, installation, and ROI-focused sales skills.	3/23/2026	4 Day	Ron Frisard	Groveland	$250

*Dates and sessions subject to change

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April						
~~**Basic Level I Mechanical Seals and Pump School**~~	Provides basic centrifugal pump and Chesterton's mechanical seal product portfolio knowledge with hands-on and class-room training.	4/13/2026	5 Day	Alan Evans Joe Salvaneschi	Groveland	$300
~~**Online Sales Boot Camp**~~	This course is an intense comprehensive sales skills training that focuses on using value-added selling for the all Chesterton product lines. Three weekly 4-hour sessions held via GoToWebinar April 14, 21, 28.	4/14/2026	(3) 4 hour online sessions	Mark Orlando	Online	$99
May						
June						
Basic Level I EPS School with Additional Mining Module	Participants will learn the fundamentals of cylinders, presses, materials, designs, and selling engineered polymer solutions through a blend of theory and hands-on lab work. Training combines virtual self-paced content, classroom instruction, and interactive product installation and troubleshooting.	6/1/2026	4 Day	Ron Taylor / Doug Ell	Salt Lake City	$199

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Advanced ARC School	The Advanced ARC course in Minden, LA provides in-depth training on abrasion and corrosion protection, covering root causes, surface preparation, application, and failure analysis with extensive hands-on use of blasting, spray, and testing equipment.	6/16/2026	3 Day	Steve Bowditch	Minden, LA	$199
September						
~~Basic Level I Mechanical Seals and Pump School~~ CANCELLED	~~Provides basic centrifugal pump and Chesterton's mechanical seal product portfolio knowledge with hands on and class-room training.~~	~~8/31/2026~~	~~5 Day~~	~~Alan Evans Joe Salvaneschi~~	~~Groveland~~	~~$300~~
Sales Boot Camp	This in-person session is an intense comprehensive sales skills training that focuses on using value added selling for all Chesterton product lines.	9/15/2026	3 Day	Mark Orlando	Pasadena, TX	$199
Basic Level I ARC School	This 3-day intensive program introduces ARC technologies and sales opportunities, covering corrosion mechanisms, surface preparation, ARC terminology, and product solutions for metallic and concrete substrates with real-world application examples.	9/21/2026	3 Day	Steve Bowditch	Groveland	$199
Advanced ARC School	The Advanced ARC course in Minden, LA provides in-depth training on abrasion and corrosion protection, covering root causes, surface preparation, application, and failure analysis with extensive hands-on use of blasting, spray, and testing equipment.	9/29/2026	3 Day	Steve Bowditch	Minden, LA	$199

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October						
Basic Level I EPS School	Participants will learn the fundamentals of cylinders, presses, materials, designs, and selling engineered polymer solutions through a blend of theory and hands-on lab work. Training combines virtual self-paced content, classroom instruction, and interactive product installation and troubleshooting.	10/19/2026	3 Day	Ron Taylor	Groveland	$199
Basic Level I IL/MRO School	This program focuses on industrial lubricants and MRO solutions, with in-depth coverage of stationary and rotary equipment. Key topics include bearing and pump reliability, motor solutions, gearboxes, and conveyors.	10/19/2026	3 Day	Mark Guenther Gaurav Pattarkine	Groveland	$199
Advanced IL/MRO School	Building off of the level I course, this session will dive deeper into the IL/MRO Product line usage and theory	10/26/2026	3 Day	Mark Guenther Gaurav Pattarkine	Groveland	$199
November						
Basic Level I Packing School	This program is designed for new specialists or those looking to grow sales of core packing and gasket products. Participants will learn equipment and product fundamentals, including principles, materials, failure modes, installation, and ROI-focused sales skills.	11/2/2026	4 Day	Ron Frisard	Groveland	$250
Advanced Packing School	Advanced Packing would include Live loading (Flange, Valve, and Rotary), Flange sealing (Bolting and Heat Exchangers), Custom solutions, and Emissions sealing.	11/9/2026	3-day	Ron Frisard	Groveland	$199
Advanced EPS School	Engineered Polymer Solutions Advanced Training is a 3-day program combining theory and hands-on workshops to strengthen technical expertise and sales skills. The course covers seal failure analysis, hydraulic and rotary seal installation, cylinder design and troubleshooting, solution selection, and key account development through real-world case studies and practical exercises.	11/16/2026	3 Day	Ron Taylor	Groveland	$199

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Webinar topics and invitations will be distributed two weeks prior to each scheduled session. Please note that all dates and topics are subject to change.

For in-person sessions, a minimum of 10 registrants is required for the course to be held.

Please reach out to global.learning@chesterton.com with any questions.