

Tin Whisker Mitigation Project Reaches University Enterprise Competition Final

A research project aiming to reduce tin whisker failures in electronics has reached the finals of Loughborough University's Enterprise Awards competition. The project entitled 'WHISKERMIT' has been pioneered by members of the Department of Materials at the university and has developed a whisker resisting polymeric conformal coating using nanotechnology. The research has been funded by both the Engineering and Physical Sciences Research Council (EPSRC) and industry. The project has been nominated in the Awards' 'one to watch' category. A web page and video describing the work can be found at :

<http://www.lboro.ac.uk/enterprise/enterprise-awards/one-to-watch/whiskermit/>

The competition will be decided by an on-line public vote at the above website (open until midnight on the 15th May) so please register your support !