



## Chad Chichester

Application Engineer  
MOLYKOTE® Specialty Lubricants

### Primary Responsibilities

- Lubrication application engineering, troubleshooting and technical support to end users
- Lubrication product development
- Transportation and industrial market focus, with an emphasis on automotive applications
- Represent DuPont and the MOLYKOTE® brand through leadership roles and active involvement in societies and organizations such as the Society of Tribologists and Lubrication Engineers (STLE), NLGI (formerly the National Lubricating Grease Institute), and SAE International (formerly the Society of Automotive Engineers)

### Experience and Expertise

Chad joined Dow Corning Corporation (now DuPont) in 1992. He worked in operations for his first three years before moving into a reliability engineering role, where he spent 11 years specializing in condition-based maintenance techniques including vibration analysis, lubrication analysis, acoustic emission analysis and infrared thermography. In 2006, Chad joined the MOLYKOTE® Specialty Lubricants team as a lubricants application engineer. In this role, he has provided engineering and design support to lubricant end users in industrial equipment maintenance and reliability, the oil and gas industry, and the automotive industry.

### Education

Bachelor of Science, Mechanical Engineering, Saginaw Valley State University  
Level III Vibration Analyst, National Vibration Institute  
Level I Thermographer, FLIR Systems  
Certified Lubrication Specialist, Society of Tribologists and Lubrication Engineers

### External Representation

Currently, Chad is Technical Co-Chair of NLGI's Executive Committee and is a member of the NLGI Board of Directors. He also has taught NLGI's Basic Grease, Advanced Grease, and Application & Maintenance courses and has chaired numerous NLGI committees. In 2020, he received NLGI's John A. Bellanti Sr. Memorial Award, which acknowledges meritorious service on the NLGI board, on technical committee projects or to the industry. For STLE, Chad has served as Condition Monitoring Technology Committee Chair and has instructed the Synthetic Lubricants and Condition Monitoring courses.

#### About MOLYKOTE® Specialty Lubricants

For more than 70 years, customers around the world have trusted the MOLYKOTE® brand for performance and expertise to solve or prevent virtually any lubrication problem and to save energy. Available through a global network of channel partners, MOLYKOTE® brand lubricants – which include anti-friction coatings, compounds, dispersions, greases, oils and fluids, and pastes – serve the automotive market and industrial/maintenance, repair and overhaul (MRO) markets. For more information about the MOLYKOTE® brand, visit [molykote.com](http://molykote.com).

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