SCHEDULE – CAPS Workshop – MoMA May 23-26, 2011

	MONDAY (23rd May)	TUESDAY (24th May)	WEDNESDAY (25th May)	THURSDAY (26th May)
9.00am	**Introduction and welcome (TL)**	**Discussion of Day #1** **Recent research: effects of aqueous cleaning systems on acrylic paints (RCW)**	**Discussion of Day #2**	**Discussion of Day #3** **Practical session: (RCW, BAO, CS, TD)**
	Recap of CAPS Colloquium 2009 (TL and AP)		**New materials:** Pemulen and Velvesil. (TD/CS/RCW)	
	Discussion of problems encountered: approaches, methods and materials used for cleaning acrylic paint		**Acrylics cleaning - collaborative research with Dow Chemicals** (AP)	
Break				
	Cleaning of acrylic painted surfaces: Overview of research to date (BAO)	**Case studies and recent developments in cleaning systems** • BAO – Tate AXA Art Modern Paints Project (TAAMPP) work • Cindy Albertson: Oldenburg *Floor Cake* • CS + TD: Use of the Modular Cleaning Program (MCP) for acrylic painted surfaces	**Practical session: (RCW, BAO, CS, TD)** Cleaning tests contd. • Applying the MCP • Further exploration of new materials • Fine control of solution parameters • Pemulen and Velvesil. • Microemulsions	**Group discussion:** what works; what doesn't; general observations **Wrap up** General conclusions and insights Future directions and priorities
Lunch				
	Introduction to theory and practice of liquid cleaning. (RCW) Modifying the aqueous environment. pH and conductivity	**Practical session: (RCW, BAO, CS, TD)** New cleaning systems and approaches ▪ Dry cleaning ▪ Simple cleaning solutions ▪ Dow surfactant products	**Feedback discussion on new products**	
	Practical session: (RCW & BAO) • Evaluating paint properties. • Aqueous cleaning. • pH measurement. • Conductivity measurement. • Preparation and characterization of cleaning solutions.		**Practical session:** **(RCW, BAO, CS, TD)** Cleaning tests contd. • Applying the MCP • Further exploration of new materials • Fine control of solution parameters • Pemulen and Velvesil. • Microemulsions	
Break				
	Practical session contd.	**Tips and tools for cleaning acrylics**	**Practical session contd.**	
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End 5.00pm	**Discussion of practical session**	**Discussion of practical session**	**Discussion of practical session**	

KEY: AP = Alan Phenix; BAO = Bronwyn Ormsby; CS = Chris Stavroudis; RCW = Richard Wolbers; TD = Tiarna Doherty; TL = Tom Learner;

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