

## **Nanofilm CEO Scott Rickert promotes nanotechnology as key to strengthening U.S. economy at Nanomanufacturing Summit 2011**

September 21, 2011 – Valley View, Ohio – Dr. Scott Rickert, President and CEO of [Nanofilm](#), is a keynote speaker at the Nanomanufacturing Summit 2011 and 10<sup>th</sup> Annual NanoBusiness Conference, September 25-27, 2011, in Boston. His topic is “Welcome to the Nano Age: Six Signposts to Success”.

Drawing on his 26 years as a successful nanotechnology business owner, Dr. Rickert’s presentation will discuss how nanotechnology will transform American industry and the U.S. economy. The presentation will explore key trends in nanotechnology research, product commercialization, government relations, manufacturing strength and environmental issues.

“I believe the commercialization of nanotechnology is crucial to a stronger U.S. economy – and, in fact, the transformation is already beginning,” said Dr. Rickert. “I want to lead the discussion on how science and business, research and commercialization come together to drive success.”

[Nanofilm](#) is a leader in nanofilm technology and self-assembling thin films for a variety of substrates and surfaces. With an in-house team of nanotechnology specialists, the company continues to leverage its rich technological strengths and core competences to capture growth opportunities in nanotechnology applications worldwide. Nanofilm is a privately held company with headquarters in Valley View, Ohio, near Cleveland.

[The Nanomanufacturing Summit and NanoBusiness Conference](#) showcases emerging areas of nanomanufacturing and commercialization of nanotechnology-enabled products by leaders in the field of nanomanufacturing. This year’s event is being co-organized by the National Nanomanufacturing Network (NNN) and the NanoBusiness and Commercialization Association (NanoBCA)

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