

# Your Stand by Stand Guide to Euro Bus Expo 2012

## 21st Century Technology Solutions 5/D 26

A free wi-fi zone is being provided by 21st Century at its Technology HotSpot, it will allow visitors and exhibitors free access to the internet. The company will also be streaming



A graphic of 21st Century's stand.

live images from cameras at various locations around the exhibition using its LIVEview technology.

## AT Industries Limited 5/C 94

Bus and coach interior fabric will be on show at AT Industries' stand. Alongside examples of its floorings, wall linings and other materials, will be some new designs.

Representatives from the company will be on hand to discuss interior needs.

## AA Drivetech 5/D 15

AA DriveTech will be promoting its range of Driver CPC training courses, the most recent addition to which is its First Aid Skills for Professional Drivers delivered in conjunction with the British Red Cross. The principal news however, is that the organisation has the ability to deliver its Driver CPC courses at 20 new venues throughout the country from November, using the Premier Inn chain.



Acdeos's new rear ramp for minibuses.

## Acdeos 5/F 53

Acdeos is to introduce a new rear ramp for minibuses. Called AXS, the M1 tested ramp is designed to be robust with light operation.

## ACKSYS Communications and Systems 5/T140

A new wireless device will be presented by ACKSYS, the WLN-xROAD. The product is an 802.11n wi-fi access point designed for

onboard bus applications. Its technology ensures an expanded coverage, higher data throughput and increased radio link reliability. It allows application data to be automatically loaded at the depot. Built with a rugged enclosure, it has been designed to operate in harsh operating conditions.

## ACGB Aluminium Tanks 5/C90

### Actia UK Ltd 5/T181

Vehicle electronics and diagnostics specialists, Actia will be returning to Eurobus' Technology Zone. Visitors will be able to experience live demonstrations of bus electronic systems, including the next generation multiplexed architecture and new dashboard control centre, complete with high

resolution full colour TFT display. Workshop diagnostic technicians and maintenance staff will benefit from viewing the latest evolution of Multi-AID, with its remote access to vehicle systems via telematics link. A range of products and services will be displayed, from telematics and CCTV, to passenger counting and passenger information.

### A.I.D. Fuel Card Services 5/H 13

Representatives from AID Fuel Card Services will be meeting existing and new customers at the show. The company has a diverse fuel card portfolio, allowing it to tailor its cards to customer's requirements.

### Air1 5/C 47

AdBlue solutions will be promoted by Air1, which will display examples of its storage and dispensing solutions. A new product on show will be its test kit for checking AdBlue is not contaminated. Visitors to the stand can receive a free touch screen glove for iPhones.

### Air Seal Products 5/C20

Exhibiting at EuroBusExpo for the first time, Air Seal Products will be promoting its tyre protection sealant. The company claims the product increases tyre life by 20%, reduces fuel costs and helps prevent punctures.

### Airconco Ltd & Ransome Engineering 5/B 79

PCV air conditioning system specialists, Airconco, will be present to discuss service or parts requirements. The company will also have a selection of its components on display, along with its 2012 catalogue and other literature.

### AK Carpets 5/F 86

An array of coach carpets and linings will be on display at AK Carpets' stand. The product range includes flooring, side lining, matting and

accessories. Harry Law from the company will be there to discuss all interior trim needs. A cost effective and efficient service is offered by the Lancashire based firm.

### AlcoDigital Drivealyzer 5/J 74

Drug and alcohol testing equipment will be displayed by AlcoDigital Drivealyzer. These include the company's Drivealyzer interlock

device. This requires the driver to breathe into it and, if sufficient alcohol is detected, it immobilises the engine. Sharing its stand is Autotag, with whom the business has collaborated to develop a key cabinet that requires an alcohol free breathalyser test to unlock. Breathalysers for trips to France are also available on the stand.

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### Alcolock GB Ltd 5/F 14

Displayed and demonstrated on Alcolock GB's stand will be its alcohol activated vehicle immobiliser, the Alcolock DS-10. It consists of an alcohol breathalyser unit, which is tethered to the vehicle's ignition. If it detects a pre-set amount of alcohol, then it will prevent the engine from starting.

### Alcolock (UK) Ltd 5/T170

A range of alcohol testing equipment for drivers will be displayed by Alcolock (UK). Its main product on show will be its Interlock V3, which involves a breathalyser connected to the vehicle ignition. If it detects alcohol, then the engine will not start. The company supplies major bus and coach manufacturers with this equipment, as well as the aftermarket.

### Alexander Dennis Ltd 5/D100

Seven vehicles will be displayed on ADL's stand, including four buses and three coaches. ADL is to take the wraps off a series of new products, including models for home and export markets. The company will unveil its new Enviro500 double decker in the colours of KMB, ushering in a raft of product improvements, as well as passenger and operator benefits. (For more details see pages 19-22 of this issue). It will introduce its new high capacity Plaxton inter-deck coach, the Elite i, expanding its Elite range. With major announcements expected about its next generation hybrid buses, one of the vehicles on show will be an Enviro350 hybrid. Other buses on the stand will be an Enviro400 double decker and an Enviro200 midibus.

In addition to the new inter-deck coach, Plaxton products on the stand will be a Volvo B9R based Elite for Fourways of Leeds and a Mercedes-Benz Vario based Cheetah, destined for Lucketts of Fareham. Plaxton's Sales and Marketing Director, Kevin Wood, said, 'The extension to the Elite range promises to be the star of the



The Alexander Dennis Enviro500 for KMB.

show, and is a clear demonstration of ADL's investment in Plaxton.'

Adding to the vehicles in the hall, Plaxton will display a small selection of new and used coaches outside the NEC. They include a new Panther and a 2008 Volvo B12B Panther re-fitted with 70 three-plus-two seats, a first for this type of vehicle.

### Alfatronix Ltd 5/T30

Poole based Alfatronix Ltd is showing a range of voltage converters, battery chargers and power supply units. One of several possible new products it will be displaying is a rack mounted DC to DC battery charger.

### Allbus 5/T151

At Euro Bus Expo, Allbus will inform visitors about its coach hire and business network management systems. The company offers a web based application, which it claims is better than other management software. It allows clients to manage the complete coach hire process, creating a business network with customers and suppliers. Described as an easy and safe way to assign and control resources, orders, invoicing, payments, statistics and much more, it is possible to access the system's daily calendar from iPhone, Android and Blackberry.

### Allison Transmission 5/H 86

Two products from Allison's fully automatic transmission range will be displayed, the Torqmatic Series and the 2000 Series. The company's UK team will be on hand to explain how its units allow more of the engine's horsepower and torque to be used effectively. The manufacturer claims the high reliability and durability of