

# TMS Leaders Discuss Materials Education in the U.K.; Oral History Project on Mining and Materials

# new and noteworthy at TMS

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# TMS Leaders Exchange STEM Outreach Ideas in the U.K.

Stanley M. Howard, 2016 TMS President, and James J. Robinson, TMS Executive Director, joined more than 130 scientists and engineers at the 8th

International
Materials Education
Symposium at
the University
of Cambridge,
United Kingdom
(U.K.), in April.
Coordinated by
Granta Design, this
year's symposium
explored innovative

Materials Education Symposia

TMS President, gave an overview of student engagement initiatives offered by TMS at the 8th International Materials

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Stanley M. Howard, 2016

approaches to excite and inspire students in materials science, engineering, and design.

Howard gave a talk on TMS programs and initiatives to more fully engage college students in the life of the society as a means of encouraging them to participate

in professional society
membership as they develop
their careers. He first discussed
TMS's involvement in the
Material Advantage program
that offers a single low-cost
student membership to four
professional societies—TMS,
ASM International, The
American Ceramic Society,

and the Association for Iron & Steel Technology.

Howard then went on to highlight a number of TMS-specific student programs. These included the Materials Bowl, a question-and-answer competition on science and engineering topics held at every TMS annual meeting; the student run symposium supported by the TMS

Leaders program and the resources it offers to smooth the transition from school to the professional world. "Our younger members are infusing our community with new ideas, abilities, and interests," Howard said. "It is critical, both to the future of TMS and the profession that we serve, that we nurture this trend by helping students appreciate the value of professional engagement to their careers after they graduate."

Robinson also participated in the symposium program by presenting a poster on the outcomes of  $Comic-tanium^{TM}$ ,

Education Committee; and the popular

Bladesmithing Competition that challenges

student teams to produce a knife or sword

blade by hand hammering or trip hammer forging. He concluded his presentation

with a brief overview of the TMS Young

symposium program by presenting a poster on the outcomes of *Comic-tanium*<sup>TM</sup>, TMS's recent outreach effort that uses the mythologies of comic characters to attract young people to STEM (science, engineering, mathematics and technology) careers.

Other symposium speakers gave presentations on open on-line teaching techniques, project-based learning, and effective deployment of new information and learning technologies. A report of the symposium can be downloaded at http://www.materials-education.com/index.htm.

Prior to participating in the Materials Education Symposium, Howard and Robinson visited TMS members at the University of Oxford for a briefing on the Department of Materials' outreach efforts to both high school educators and students. The program offers a suite of professional development courses for teachers that provide guidance and resources on using



Stanley M. Howard and Michael F. Ashby, Emeritus Professor of Materials, Cambridge University, continue conversations started in the Materials Education Symposium sessions over dinner. Ashby is chair of the symposia series's academic advising committee.

concepts of materials science as a means of satisfying curriculum requirements. Student-focused activities range from classroom visits, to open days at the materials science laboratories and facilities at Oxford, to more in-depth residential programs.

George Smith, Emeritus Professor of Materials, Oxford, shared the history of the program, having led the development of it when he was department chair in the year 2000. He noted that a critical factor in the program's success was actively listening to the needs and concerns of teachers in managing their requirements. "They requested that we not ask them to do anything new, but instead help them do what was expected of them," he said. For additional information on Oxford Materials Outreach, visit http://outreach.materials.ox.ac.uk/index.php.



(Left to right) Chris Grovenor, professor, Department of Materials, Oxford University, led Stanley Howard and James Robinson on a tour of Oxford's Begbroke Science Park. George Smith, Emeritus Professor of Materials at Oxford, hosted Howard and Robinson on the daylong visit to the university that included a briefing on its student outreach initiatives.

# Posters Recognized for Excellence at 3DMS 2016

Congratulations to the following individuals who received top honors for their posters at the 3rd International Congress on 3D Materials Science (3DMS), held in St. Charles, Illinois, July 10–13, 2016:

### **Professional Category**

1st Place:

"3D Grain Reconstruction Using Laboratory-based Diffraction Contrast Tomography"

Yubin Zhang, Technical University of Denmark; A. Lyckegaard, Xnovo Technology ApS; P. Reischig, Xnovo Technology ApS; C. Holzner, Carl Zeiss X-ray Microscopy, Inc.; and E. Lauridsen, Xnovo Technology ApS

2nd Place

"3D Predictions of Additive Manufactured Microstructures Using a Modified Potts Kinetic Monte Carlo Approach" *Theron Rodgers*, Jonathan Madison, and V. Tikare, Sandia National Laboratories

### **Student Category**

1st Place

"A Framework for Modeling Microstructural Characterization Errors and Their Effect on the Accuracy of Grain Ensemble Statistics" *Gregory Loughnane*,

Mound Laser & Photonics Center, Inc.; Michael Uchic and Michael Groeber, Air Force Research Laboratory

### 2nd Place

"A New In-Situ Far-Field High Energy Diffraction Microscopy Planar Biaxial Experiment"

Garrison Hommer, Colorado School of Mines; Jun-Sang Park, Argonne National Laboratory; Peter Collins, Iowa State University; Adam Pilchak, Air Force Research Laboratory; Aaron Stebner, Colorado School of Mines

# The 3rd International Congress on 3D Materials Science 2016

# **Engineering Competency Model Receives Top Honors**

The American Association of Engineering Societies (AAES) has received a 2016 American Society of Association Executives (ASAE) Power of A Gold Award for its Engineering Competency Model. The model was created as a guideline for the development of professionals in the engineering workforce. The American Institute of Mining, Metallurgical, and Petroleum Engineers (AIME), of which TMS is a member society, is a member of AAES.

Jeffrey W. Fergus, Director, Professional Development on the TMS Board of Directors and professor and associate dean at Auburn University, was one of ten subject matter

experts who worked collaboratively to identify and review competencies that would contribute to success in engineering careers. "The model has a tiered structure that begins with competencies common among many disciplines and builds to competencies specific to engineering," said Fergus. "Grouping of competencies that are common among different disciplines is useful to identify opportunities for career transitions and to guide training and education."

An interactive version of the model is available online at www.careeronestop.org/CompetencyModel/competencymodels/engineering.aspx.

## **Oral Histories Explore Mining and Materials Industry**

TMS members figure prominently in sharing insights about the evolution of the mining and materials industry over the past 40 years as participants in the Global Mining and Materials Research Project. The initiative entailed recording and posting interviews with eleven experts and leaders in an oral history resource center housed by the Bancroft Library of the University of California, Berkeley. The interviews are now available for free download and viewing at http://www.lib.berkeley.edu/libraries/bancroft-library/oral-history-center/global-mining.

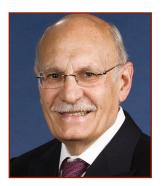
TMS interviewees include:

• Diran Apelian, 2008 TMS President,

Alcoa-Howmet Professor of Engineering, and Founding Director of the Metal Processing Institute, Worcester Polytechnic Institute.

- Alex King, Director, Critical Materials Institute, Ames Laboratory
- Thaddeus Massalski, Professor Emeritus of Materials Science, Engineering and Physics, Carnegie Mellon University
- Alexander Scott, retired TMS Executive Director

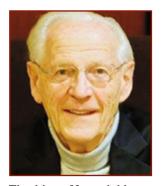
AIME is a collaborator on the project, which is part of the Engineering and Technology History Wiki (ETHW), accessed at ethw.org.



**Diran Apelian** 



Alex King



Thaddeus Massalski



**Alexander Scott** 

### TMS Welcomes New Members

Please join TMS in congratulating the following new members, approved by the TMS Board of Directors at its July 2016 meeting:

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