

MRS Sees Growth in University Chapters, Sections

The 1992 Fall Meeting Council approved petitions for two new university chapters and one new section, increasing the number of university chapters to 24, the number of sections to eight.

If you are interested in joining one of these active organizations, call the president of the chapter or section closest to you—names and telephone numbers are listed below:

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MRS University Chapters

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**Petitions accepted by Council at the 1992 Fall Meeting.* □

UPCOMING CONFERENCES

Symposium on Microwaves to Be Featured at ACerS Annual Meeting

The 95th Annual Meeting of the American Ceramic Society, to be held April 18–22 in Cincinnati, Ohio, will feature the symposium, *Microwaves: Theory and Application in Materials Processing II*. This symposium will focus on the increasingly important role of microwave energy in the fabrication of new and exciting materials. It will provide a forum for the exchange of information that can result in a better understanding of microwave/material interactions, leading to improved processing and new applications.

Endorsed by the Materials Research Society and the International Microwave Power Institute, the microwave symposium will offer the following sessions:

- Microwave Processing—Challenges and Opportunities
 - Microwave Remediation of Nuclear and Hazardous Waste
 - Microwave Sintering
 - Process Modeling Simulation and Microwave Interaction Effects
 - Microwave Deposition of Diamond Films
 - Applications and Microwave-Enhanced Effects
 - Novel Microwave Processing
 - Microwave Processing of Composites and Joining
 - Scale-Up of Microwave Processing
 - Dielectric Properties and Measurements
 - Microwave Equipment Design
- For registration information on the symposium, please contact Jackie Davis at the American Ceramic Society. **Phone: (614) 890-4700.** □

Attention MRS Members—

The 1993 Spring Meeting Program was mailed recently. If you have not yet received your copy, please notify:

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