
ELECTION RESULTS

Kaufmann, Appleton Elected Vice Presidents; The Officers And Councillors For 1984

Members of the Materials Research Society elected as First Vice President for 1984 Elton N. Kaufmann, Materials Science Division, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory. Under the Society's By-laws, Kaufmann will also serve as President Elect, and will become the Society's President for 1985.

Elected as Second Vice President is Bill R. Appleton, Solid State Division, Oak Ridge National Laboratory. Elected to three-year terms as Councillors are John C.C. Fan, Leonard C. Feldman, Linn W. Hobbs, Richard M. Osgood, Jr., and Louis R. Testardi. They and the other leaders of the MRS are profiled in the following pages.

President and Councillor **C.W. "WOODY" WHITE**

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Woody White is widely known among the membership of the MRS for his unceasingly efforts on behalf of the Society and its programs. He was co-organizer of the 1980 symposium on laser and electron beam processing of materials, and in 1981 was co-chairman of the Annual Meeting. Subsequently he chaired the Publications Committee and influenced the Society's affiliation with the new journal *Materials Letters*. In the past year he has accepted a number of additional responsibilities, notably chairing the Select Committee that recommended the creation of a permanent headquarters for the Society, and serving as liaison with MRS-Europe, the Society's first regional affiliate.



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Past President

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Harry was co-organizer of the Society's first symposium on laser-solid interactions, and in 1981 was a co-chairman of the Annual Meeting and co-organizer of the symposium on grain boundaries in semiconductors. A member of the Society since its inception, he has served in a number of capacities. He helped arrange for the publication of MRS symposia as a Proceedings series, and fostered the development of the *Bulletin* from its origins as an episodic report to its

present, expanded format issued every other month.

First Vice President

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Elton is another dynamo whose list of contributions to the MRS is endless. An organizer of the 1981 symposium on resonance techniques in materials science and the 1982 Annual Meeting, he organized the Corporate Affiliates Committee and served as its first chairman, in which role he defined and implemented successful efforts to obtain recognition for and support of the Society from corporations involved in materials research. Responsible for this year's Plenary Session at the Annual Meeting, he also maintained an active schedule of committee work and directed much of the Society's public relations.

I regard my primary responsibility as insuring the availability of the appropriate implements and atmosphere to guarantee technically and exciting meetings, while using the Society's resources in the most efficient manner possible.

-ELTON KAUFMANN

Second Vice President

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Bill's most recent contribution to the Society is the present Annual Meeting, the largest in the Society's history and the most comprehensive. He has also organized symposia, including the laser processing meeting, and kept up a heavy schedule of committee work, notably on the Nominating, Corporate Affiliates and Program Committees.

Secretary and Councillor

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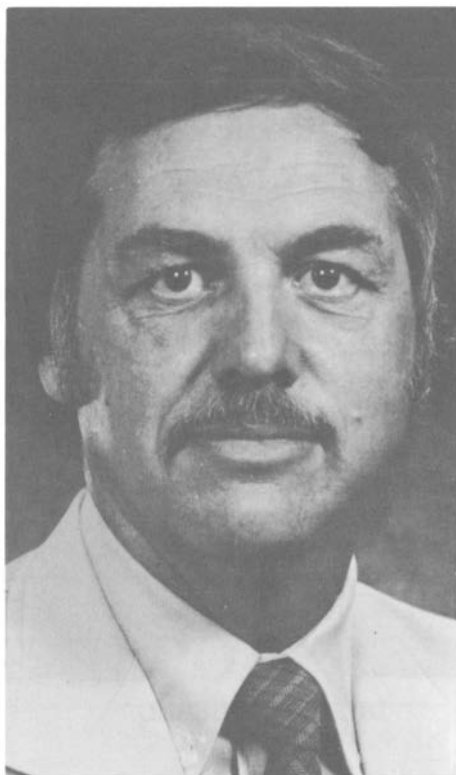
Dick has long been active in the Society, and has served on the Council since 1981. He chaired the committee that wrote the Society's present By-laws, while contributing more than his share of work on other committee and organizational matters. He first suggested the sponsorship of short courses at the Boston Meeting, a successful experiment in 1982 that has been substantially enlarged this year and promises to become an increasingly valuable part of MRS conferences.

Treasurer and Councillor

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Kathy's involvement with the leadership of the Society dates to 1978, when first she was elected to the Council. In 1979 she was an organizer of the symposium on catalyst preparation techniques and maintenance of catalyst activity, and of the Annual Meeting. She has served as Treasurer since 1980. She instigated and has consistently overseen the Society's student awards program.



BILL APPLETON

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LEROY L. CHANG

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Leroy was an organizer of the 1982 Annual Meeting, having been in 1981 an organizer of the very successful symposium on interfaces. Currently, he is Chairman of the Program Committee, which reviews all of the Society's planned topical symposia.

The Society should continue comprehensive long-range planning, keeping in mind that our primary responsibilities are to serve the educational and publication needs of our members.

-BILL APPLETON

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Ted organized and ran for several years symposia on materials for information storage technology. More recently, he has taken an active interest in the publication activities of the Society, and currently serves as Chairman of the Publications Committee.

Councillor

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Rod is most active in the nuclear waste materials community. He helped organize the Society's highly successful 1982 meeting in Berlin, and the Annual Meeting symposium on nuclear waste management.

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Co-chairman of this year's symposium on energy beam-solid interactions and transient thermal processing, John is a member of the Corporate Affiliates Committee. He also is an Associate Editor of *Materials Letters*.

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As Chairman of the Education Committee, Len organized (and is an instructor for) this year's short-course program.

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Linn is a co-organizer of this year's symposium on electron microscopy of materials.

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Bernie is co-organizer of this year's Annual Meeting. He is also symposium co-chairman of the meeting on rapidly solidified metastable materials, a symposium he has often chaired in the past.

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Dick co-organized the first MRS symposium on laser diagnostics and photochemical processing. He is a member of the Corporate Affiliates Committee.



DICK SCHWOEBEL

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Rusty is a founder of the MRS, a past president, and a former chairman of the Education, Long-range Planning, Awards and Program Committees. He is the organizer again this year of the symposium called Frontiers of Materials Science, which caption describes the role he continues to play in professional affairs.

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Tom was co-chairman of the 1980 symposium on laser processing of materials. Among his other service he has served on the Corporate Affiliates, Nominating and Awards Committees.



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Lou has long taken an interest in the Society's symposia, including the 1981 meeting on materials processing in the reduced gravity environment of space. He also has worked to encourage more cooperation between government and industry in support of materials science and technology.

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Frank is co-chairman of this year's symposium on progress in bulk semiconductor crystal growth. He also is a Principal Editor of the MRS-affiliated journal, *Materials Letters*. He is a member of the Corporate Affiliates Committee.